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Re: American Transmission Systems, Inc. / Geauga County -138kV Transmission Line Supply Project Case No. 07-171-EL-BTX

Dear Mr and Mrs. Davet:

George and Natalie Davet

6192 Sidley Road Thompson, Ohio 44080

Thank you for your concerns regarding the proposed American Transmission Systems, Inc. / Geauga County -138kV Transmission Line Supply Project. As with the consideration of all transmission projects, local and surrounding businesses, residents, municipalities and officials are invited to discuss the present and long-term economical and environmental feasibility of such projects. The response we receive from these entities convey an interest in environmental, ecological and social implications associated with the proposed transmission line.

To date, American Transmission Systems held public information meetings on both March 5-6, 2007 in Huntsburg and Thompson Ohio that residents might be informed on the proposed project. Still at this time, American Transmission Systems has not submitted an application for the project before the Ohio Power Siting Board.

As we appreciate all input into the siting process, once an application is filed, your document will be shared with members of the Board and placed in an official docket for the case. Further, should you wish to view activity involving this application, please visit our web site at www.OPSB.ohio.gov.

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Klaus Lamb Chief Ohio Power Siting Board

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GEORGE AND NATALIE DAVET 6192 Sidley Road Thompson, Ohio 44080

April 2, 2007

The Ohio Power Siting Board 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215

Attention: Alan R. Schriber, Chairman

Dear Chairman Schriber:

We are writing to express our strong opposition to the 138 kV transmission line American Transmission Systems, Inc. ("ATSI") proposes to construct in Geauga County.

One of the routes being considered for the transmission line will cut through the middle of our farm. We are attaching copies of a drawing showing the proposed transmission lines.

Our farm has been in existence for well over 200 years. The house and barn were built in 1875. We raise organic purebred Hereford cattle and purebred Greater Swiss Mountain Dogs. We are attaching pictures of our farm. We believe the Power Siting Board is obligated to require ATSI to find and implement an alternative route to transmit power to other parts of Geauga County that will not permanently damage the natural beauty of our farm and forever diminish its value and the value of the other farms in the proposed path of the transmission lines. Alternatives must be found to avoid the noise, environmental and health and safety hazards the transmission lines will create for the landowners in the proposed path of these high voltage lines.

We have worked tirelessly to preserve the natural beauty of this historic Ohio farm for the last 35 years and we will do everything in our power to protect it from being marred by high voltage wires. We urge you to require ATSI to find and use a less damaging route.

Very truly your Grove Davet

George Davet

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