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

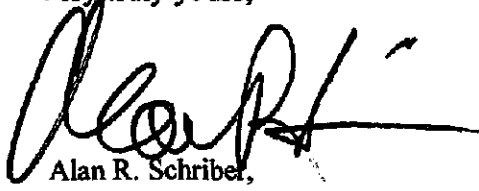
Dear Mr. and Mrs. Radigan:

On behalf of the Honorable Ted Strickland, Governor of Ohio, we wish to 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 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.

Very truly yours,


Alan R. Schriber,
Chairman

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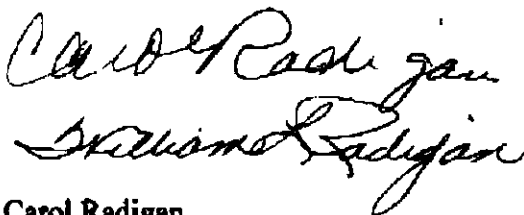
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Project #: 07-0171-EL-BTX

This is to protest the proposed placement of the transmission lines in Thompson Township, Geauga County - not only on Clay Street or Route 528 but ANY location east in Thompson Township. Although there have been many man hours accumulated in the study of possible routes, there have to be less costly solutions, not only in terms of people affected, but also to ATSI/FirstEnergy in financial terms.

Using existing corridors to erect poles and string lines eliminates the need to disrupt peoples' lives and the landscape, and still remain cost effective to ASTI/FirstEnergy, and promote goodwill. As property owners in Thompson Township, and near future residents, we are concerned about the community.

If Ashtabula County and southern Geauga County are the areas to be served with the additional electricity, then utilize existing sites and areas within, and closest to, those communities to expand the service.



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