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Hon. Alan R. Schriber, Chairman  
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
180 East Broad Street  
Columbus, OH 43215

Re: High Voltage Transmission lines

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a petition signed by various homeowners who reside in and around Bridgewater Village, located in Chardon, Ohio. The individuals who have signed the petitions are strongly opposed to the construction of high voltage electrical transmission lines over the Maple Highlands Trail and though the City of Chardon.

Alternate routes are available, and are even preferred by First Energy. The Maple Highlands Trail is heavily used by Chardon and Geauga County residents. We feel construction of the high voltage electrical transmission lines will destroy public park lands.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

*Patricia J. Schmitt*  
Patricia J. Schmitt, President  
Bridgewater Village

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**PETITION OBJECTING TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF HIGH VOLTAGE ELECTRICAL TRANSMISSION LINES OVER THE MAPLE HIGHLANDS TRAIL (OPERATED BY THE PARK DISTRICT) AND THROUGH THE CITY OF CHARDON.**

WHEREAS, the Ohio Power Siting Board is urging American Transmission Systems, Inc. to consider constructing high voltage transmission lines over the Maple Highlands Trail and through the City of Chardon, Ohio; and

WHEREAS, the proposed path of the high voltage transmission lines suggested by the Ohio Power Siting Board would begin at a location on Mayfield Road at its intersection with the Maple Highlands Trail, proceed into the City of Chardon along the trail and continue to its termination point on South Street; and it would then proceed generally following the abandoned railroad right-of-way line in a northerly direction across South Street near the Burlington Green Condominiums to Park Avenue in the vicinity of the former municipal service garage, continue behind Chardon Plaza to Water Street, continue along a path near the Burger King and car wash facilities to Center Street and then proceed from Center Street to First Energy's Fifth Avenue substation; and

WHEREAS, the construction of overhead transmission lines through the City of Chardon is not in the best interest of its citizens.

The undersigned **OPPOSE** construction of high voltage electrical transmission lines by American Transmission Systems, Inc. over the Maple Highlands Trail and through the City of Chardon.

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