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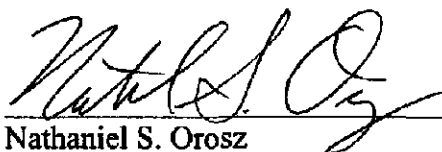
**RE: OPSB Case No. 06-1357-EL-BTX
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Dear Ms. Jenkins:

As required by Ohio Administrative Code §4906-5-09, enclosed please find the proof of publication in the local newspaper of the revised initial public notice regarding Ohio Power Siting Board Case No. 06-1357-EL-BTX, In the Matter of the Application of American Municipal Power-Ohio, Inc., for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for an Electric Power Transmission Line and Related Facilities. Also enclosed is a copy of the notice as it appeared in *The Daily Sentinel*.

Respectfully,



Nathaniel S. Orosz
Counsel for American Municipal Power-Ohio, Inc.

cc: Judge Gregory Price – 12th Floor

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before meeting with New York coach Eric Mangini, who is a year younger than his new QB.

Favre was then joined by Jets chairman and CEO Woody Johnson and general manager Mike Tannenbaum. During his drawn-out dispute with the Packers, Favre said he had been reluctant to speak with Tannenbaum because he was certain the GM would be able to sell him on joining the Jets.

"He's convincing," Favre said, drawing a smile from Tannenbaum. "I know this team had a lot of talent."

Before the Jets received the opening kickoff, Favre and his new backup, Kellen Clemens, talked briefly on the sideline. Favre checked a card containing New York's offensive sets and after each snap, he discussed what transpired with quarterback Brett Rootiff, who in an instant went from raw rookie to teaching one of the game's greats.

Favre is eager to put his messy breakup with Green Bay behind him and so, too, are the Packers.

"It's like a marriage that ends," Green Bay president Mark Murphy said. "It happens. Neither party is at fault."

That was Favre's read as well.

"I think we're probably both at fault," he said. "I'm not going to blame one side or the other. A lot of things happened this season, a lot of shocking things. But at this point it's irrelevant."

For the moment, Favre brings the Jets publicity and perhaps a better chance to compete in the AFC East. His preference was to be traded inside the NFC North, preferably to Minnesota. When it became apparent the Packers wouldn't do that, Favre was open to about anything to keep playing.

New York gave up a conditional pick for Favre. According to NFL.com, the selection would turn into a third-round pick if Favre plays in 50 percent of the games this season, a second-round pick if he plays in 70 percent and the lot make the playoffs, or a first-round pick if he plays in 80 percent and the Jets make it to the Super Bowl.

Notice of Proposed Major Utility Facility

Name and Description of the Proposed Facility

American Municipal Energy Co. (AMEC) proposes to construct an electric transmission line and associated infrastructure with a total length of 1.0 mile, located in Letort Township and Sutter Township, Meigs County, Ohio. This project is known as the AMEC Transmission Line. As required by the Ohio Revised Code Chapter 4906, AMEC has filed a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need from the State of Ohio's Power Siting Board.

Date, Time and Location of Public Hearing

The Ohio Power Siting Board will be holding hearings where the public is invited to provide written or oral comments regarding this proposed transmission line. The Ohio Power Siting Board has scheduled the non-adversarial hearing that was to be held in September. The non-adversarial hearing will be held on October 22, 2008, at 6:00 p.m. at Southern High School, 920 Ohio Street, Racine, Ohio 45771.

The Ohio Power Siting Board has also rescheduled the adversarial hearing that was to be held in September. An adversarial hearing will be held October 27, 2008, beginning at 10 a.m. at the offices of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-2903. Hearing Room 111.

The deadline for filing a petition to intervene as established by the administrative law judge is within 30 days of the publication of this notice. Petitions should be addressed to the Public Utilities Commission, 47 Ohio, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-2903.

This notice serves as the initial notice published regarding this project and the project's proposed facility lines.

The project includes construction of an approximately 3 mile long 345 kVolt transmission line and related facilities necessary to transmit the electricity generated by a proposed 400 MW net electric generating facility, consisting of two 450 MW net electric generating units, to be built in the vicinity of Letort Falls, Meigs County, Ohio.



To learn its public power function, the proposed generation facility is owned by the American Municipal Energy Co. ("AMEC"). The transmission project is an investment owned by the AMEC's parent, and is not being undertaken on a stand-alone basis.

The application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need is now pending before the State of Ohio Power Siting Board. This application has been assigned Case Number 06-1557-FL. This number should be included in all correspondence with respect to this proceeding.

The accompanying map depicts the proposed and alternate routes. The project is located in Meigs County, Ohio. It should be noted that due to the reduced scale and limited detail, this map should be used only as a general guide. Copies of the actual siting application, including specific details of location and construction, are available for public inspection at the following locations:

Meigs County District Library
Mr. Keith Blain, Director
216 West Main Street
Pomeroy, Ohio 45769
(740) 942-5813

Ohio Power Siting Board
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215-2903
(606) 294-6722

American Municipal Energy Co.
Keith Carson, Director of Communications

2600 Airport Drive
Columbus, Ohio 43219
(614) 237-6222

An electronic version of the application can be found at the Ohio Power Siting Board's Web site at <http://psb.ohio.gov>. To receive the application, search under "Current Cases" for case number 06-1557-FL.

Pursuant to Rule 4906.5-06 of the Ohio Administrative Code, the following local government officials in Meigs County have been served with a copy of the application:

Meigs County Chairman/Mayor
Mr. Michael Dierksen, President
400 East Second Street
Pomeroy, Ohio 45769

Meigs County Health Department
Mr. Larry Marshall, Health Commissioner
112 East Memorial Drive
Pomeroy, Ohio 45771

Mr. Robert Marsh
Letort Township Trustee
404251 Letortville Road
Racine, Ohio 45771

Meigs County District Library
Mr. Keith Blain, Director
216 West Main Street
Pomeroy, Ohio 45769

Meigs SWCD
Mr. Joe Babin, Chairman
4101 Highland Road
Pomeroy, Ohio 45769

Toppers Plains
Cheney Water District
Mr. Donald Potts, Operations General Manager
70504 16th Lane
Pomeroy, Ohio 45769

Meigs County Office of Economic and Workforce Development
Mr. Perry Vinturke, Executive Director
238 West Main Street
Pomeroy, Ohio 45769

Meigs County Engineer
Mr. Eugene Triplett
106 Holly Lane
Pomeroy, Ohio 45769

Sutton Township Trustee
Mr. Larry Florensch
P.O. Box 147
Sycamore, Ohio 45779

The Ohio Power Siting Board has served the following state agencies with copies of the application:
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Ohio Department of Agriculture
Ohio Department of Development
Ohio Department of Health
Ohio Department of Natural Resources
Ohio Department of Transportation
Ohio Environmental Protection Agency
Ohio Historical Society

Criteria Used to Review the Application

The following eight criteria are set forth in Section 4906.01(A) of the Revised Code and will be used, along with additional information, by the Board in the reviewing of the application for a certificate to construct, operate and maintain the AMEC Transmission Line:

• The total cost of the facility. In the case of a major utility facility described in division (B)(1) of Section 4906.01 of the Revised Code, the Board shall presume the need for the facility as that need is stated in an application pursuant to division (A)(3) of Section 4906.06 of the Revised Code.

• The nature of the probable environmental impact of the proposed facility.

• Whether the facility represents the minimum adverse environmental impact, considering the state of available technology, the nature and frequency of various alternatives, and other pertinent considerations.

• In the case of electric transmission lines, that the facility is consistent with regional plans for expansion of the regional power grid of electric systems serving this state and interconnected utility systems, and the facility will serve the interests of electric system economy and reliability.

• The facility will comply with Chapters 3704, 3754, and 6111 of the Revised Code and all rules and standards adopted under those chapters and under Sections 1501.23, 1501.31, and 1501.32 of the Revised Code.

In determining whether the facility will comply with all rules and standards adopted under Section 4906.01 of the Revised Code, the Board shall consult with the office of siting of the division of the multi-modal planning and programming

of the Department of Transportation under Section 4561.31 of the Revised Code.

• The facility will serve the public interest, convenience, and necessity.

• The facility's impact on the facility as agricultural land of any land in an existing agricultural district established under Chapter 929 of the Revised Code that is located within the site of the proposed major utility facility and.

• The facility encourages maximum feasible water conservation practices as determined by the Board, considering available technology and the nature and economics of the various alternatives; Section 4906.02 of the Revised Code provides that:

(A) Upon the receipt of an application complying with Section 4906.06 of the Revised Code, the Power Siting Board shall promptly fix a date for a public hearing thereon, not less than sixty nor more than ninety days after such receipt, and shall conduct the proceeding as expeditiously as practicable.

(B) On an application for an amendment of a certificate, the Board shall hold a hearing at the same manner as a hearing is held on an application for a certificate of the proposed change in the facility would result in any material increase in any environmental impact of the facility or a substantial change in the location of all or a portion of such a facility other than as provided in the alternatives set forth in the application.

(C) The Chairman of the Power Siting Board shall cause each application filed with the Board to be investigated and shall, not less than fifteen days prior to the date of any application is set for hearing, submit a written report to the Board and to the applicant. A copy of such report shall be made available to any person upon request. Such report shall set forth the nature of the investigation, and shall contain recommended findings with regard to division (A) of section 4906.01 of the Revised Code and shall become part of the record and served upon all parties to the proceeding.

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I, Charlene Hoefflich, General Manager,

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