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Ohio Power Siting Board
Commissions Docketing
180 E. Broad St., 13th Floor
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Re: Ohio Power Siting Board Case No. 08-0170-EL-BTX Notification

Siting Board Members:

Currently, the 138kv Roberts – Kenney Transmission Line crosses property on the southeast side of Dublin Road that is within Norwich Township. A photo and diagram of the property from the Franklin County Auditor's Office is attached for your convenience.

It has been brought to our attention that Columbus Southern Power Company (AEP) has developed plans for a pole for pole replacement on this transmission line so as to add the 138kv Roberts – OSU Transmission Line. To date, neither Norwich Township nor affected Township residents have received notice of their plans.

While Norwich Township does not wish to become a party in disputes between AEP and local homeowner organizations about the pole replacement plans, we do want to bring AEP's notification deficiencies to your attention. The Norwich Township Board of Trustees and affected residents should have been notified early in the planning process and been afforded an opportunity to provide input into the project.

Please contact me if you have any questions or need further information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Wayne A. Warner".

Wayne A. Warner
Norwich Township Administrator