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January 31, 2011

The Honorable Steven Lesser, Chairman  
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
Ohio Power Siting Board  
180 East Broad Street  
Columbus, OH 43266-0573

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**Re: Construction Notification and Request for Expedited Treatment  
11-0488 -EL-BNR (Lima-Ft. Wayne 138 kV Line Tap Structures)**

Dear Chairman Lesser:

In accordance with Rules 4906-5-02 and 4906-11-02, Ohio Administrative Code ("O.A.C."), American Electric Power, ("AEP") submits this Construction Notification. The requested start date of construction is mid-March 2011, which is right around the 42 days contemplated in 4906-5-02 O.A.C. A courtesy copy was e-mailed to OPSB Staff on Friday January 28, 2011, prior to filing and hand-delivered upon filing. A check for \$2,000 is also being provided to Staff in order to cover the processing fee in advance.

As required by Rule 4906-11-02(C), O.A.C., AEP has submitted a copy of this Construction Notification with the chief executive officer of each municipal corporation and county, and the head of each public agency charged with protecting the environment or of planning land use in the area of the proposed project. Specifically, copies of the notification were sent to the Benton Town and the Paulding County Commissioners. The cover letter accompanying these mailings is included in the Construction Notification.

Please feel free to contact me if there are any questions.

Respectfully Submitted,

Matthew J. Satterwhite, Senior Counsel

Attachment

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# Construction Notice

for the

Lima – Fort Wayne 138kV Line  
Install 2 Tap Structures for Timber Road II Station

Submitted by

American Electric Power  
Ohio Power

to

The State of Ohio Power Siting Board

January 2011

## **Construction Notice**

In accordance with Ohio Administrative Code Section 4906-11-02, Construction Notice Requirements, American Electric Power submits the following.

### **4906-11-02 (B)**

#### **(1) Name of Project**

The name of this project is the Lima – Fort Wayne 138kV Line, Install 2 Tap Structures for Timber Road II Station.

#### **(2) Description of Project**

Two self supporting steel structures will be installed within AEP's existing right of way to bring the Haviland – Milan circuit into the new Timber Road II Station. See Map A. This project meets the requirements of a Construction Notice as outlined in Ohio Administrative Code Rule 4906-1-01 Appendix A, Item 1, Part (d) "line(s) one hundred twenty-five kV and above, but less than three hundred kV, and not greater than 0.2 miles in length".

#### **(3) Need of Project**

AEP is installing 2 steel tap structures on the Lima – Fort Wayne 138kV line in order to facilitate Horizon Wind Energy's new Timber Road II Wind Farm connection to the electric transmission system. Paulding Wind Farm II, LLC filed an application with the Ohio Power Siting Board, Case 10-0369-EL-BGN, and received approval November 18, 2010.

#### **(4) Construction Schedule**

Construction of this transmission line project is expected to begin mid March 2011 and be completed by late April 2011.

**(5) Estimated Cost**

The cost of this project is estimated to be \$401,000.

**(6) Right of Way Requirements**

No additional right-of-way easements or right-of-way clearing will be required for this project.

**(7) Map**

The line is located in Paulding County, approximately 140 miles Northwest of Columbus, OH. From Columbus, OH take US 33 W toward Marysville to US-127-N near Mendon, OH. Follow US-127 to US-30 W to OH-49 N then left onto OH-114 W. The project's address is 3434 SR-114 Payne, OH 45880.

**(7) Properties**

The construction of this project is within the Lima – Fort Wayne 138kV easement width and property owned by Paulding Wind Farm II, LLC, a subsidiary of Horizon Wind Energy.

**4906-11-02(C) Notification**

Copies of this Letter of Construction have been sent to the Paulding County Commissioners and the Benton Township Trustees.



American Electric Power  
700 Morrison Road  
Gahanna, OH 43230

January 27, 2011

Benton Township Trustees  
6100 Township Road 33  
Payne, Ohio 45880

**Construction Notice  
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Dear Trustees:

In accordance with Chapter 4906 of the Ohio Administrative Code, the Ohio Power Company is required to submit a Construction Notice to the State of Ohio Power Siting Board whenever a change is made to our transmission facilities.

American Electric Power is planning to install two tap structures into the new Timber Road II Station for the Timber Road II Wind Farm in Benton Township, Paulding County, Ohio.

In compliance with Rule 4906-15-08 of the OPSB Rules and Regulations, we have prepared and filed the attached Construction Notice. This Notice contains details on the line location, project description and construction schedule, and is submitted for your information.

Cordially,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Jessica Scott'.

Jessica Scott  
Transmission Line Projects Engineering

Station Address:  
3434 SR 114 Payne, OH 45880

TIMBER RD II  
INTERCONNECT STATION

OHIO STATE ROUTE 114

STR 198A

STR 199A

TWR 200

TWR 199

TWR 198



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LIMA - FT WAYNE 138KV LINE  
TIMBER ROAD II STATION

Date: 1/25/11  
Drawn By: JLS  
Revision:

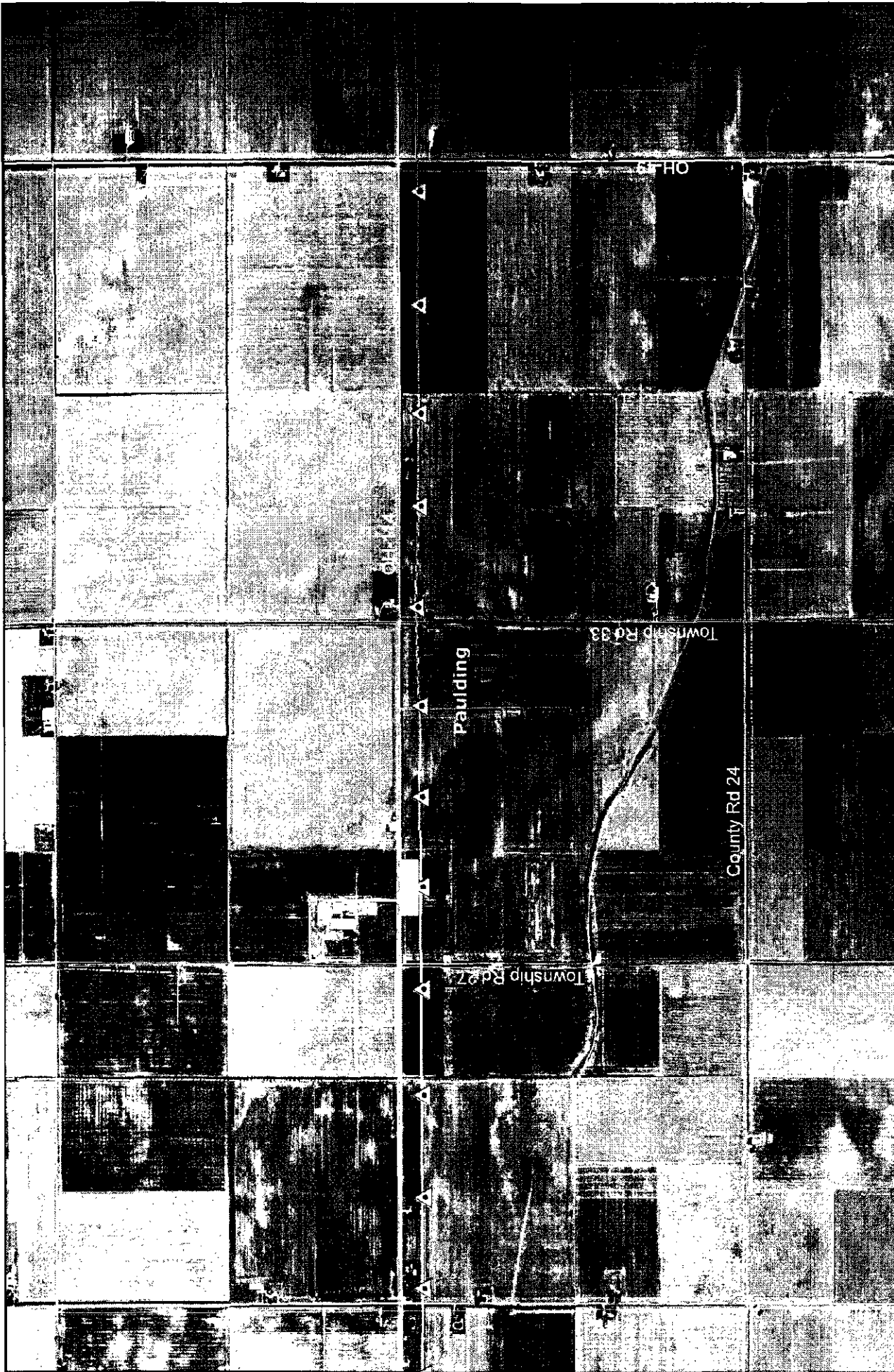


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	<b>PROJECT LOCATION</b>		
	<b>Lima - Fort Wayne 138kV Line</b>		
Transmission Line Project Location		Date: 1/25/11 Drawn By: JLS Revision:	
Lima - Fort Wayne 138kV Transmission Line			

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Paulding County Commissioners  
Tony Burkley  
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Edward Strahley  
115 North Williams Street, Suite B-1  
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