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Chairman Todd A. Snitchler
The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 E. Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

RE: In the Matter of the Long-Term Forecast Reports of Ohio Power
Company and Columbus Southern Power Company and Related Matters (PUCO
Case Nos. 10-501-EL-FOR and 10-502-EL-FOR)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

This is a letter in support of the turning point solar project in Noble County.

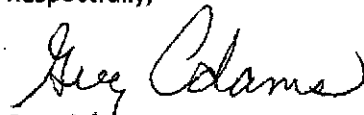
Being rooted and committed to the Southeastern Ohio region, I would endorse this project since it has the potential to accelerate the momentum of prosperity that is currently emerging in our part of the state. As a small business person, I was part of starting and growing a local technology enterprise, so I appreciate the importance of a strong, diverse economic engine(s) to insure sustainable prosperity in the region. This project would be a significant piece to the energy resources that have and continue to be a key element of our story.

More broadly, I am personally engaged with supporting the Ohio Appalachian Business Council and a variety of economic development initiatives in the area. Besides the obvious benefits of generating clean, renewable energy, the employment implications created from installing and maintaining such a facility are substantial.

Please docket this letter in PUCO Case Nos. 10-501-EL-FOR and 10-502-EL-FOR.

Your consideration and support in the matter are appreciated.

Respectfully,


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