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Transmission Siting Engineer
American Transmission Systems, Incorporated (ATSI)
76 South Main Street
Akron, Ohio 44308

Subject: Commencement of Construction – Below Grade Construction (Phase I)
Fulton 345/138 kV Substation Project
OPSB Case Number: 11-4152-EL-BSB

Dear Mr. Humphrys,

Staff attended your January 8, 2013 pre-construction conference for the portion of work related to below grade construction (herein referred to as Phase I) for the Fulton Substation project located in Fulton County, Ohio. Staff has reviewed and approves information provided that is pertinent to Phase I of construction; including engineering drawings for the preferred site, transportation and stormwater permits, erosion and sediment control measures, hours of construction activity, and site layout at the project access point. Staff finds that the OPSB Board's conditions for Phase I of the project related to these items have been adequately addressed. As such, construction may now commence on the site.

Staff will attend a separate pre-construction conference at your future scheduling to specifically address issues associated with Phases II of this project (above-grade work).

Staff looks forward to working with ATSI and its contractors on this project as it moves forward. Please update Staff weekly as Phase I progresses and please notify the Board when construction is completed and when the facility is eventually placed in service. Please also note that Staff will periodically be on-site throughout construction of this project, and will check in at the main construction trailer prior to entering the site.

Sincerely,

Klaus Lambeck, Chief
Facilities, Siting & Environmental Analysis Division
Ohio Power Siting Board

Cc: Mr. Ted Krauss, Transmission Siting Supervisor, ATSI

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Summary: Letter of Notification from OPSB Staff to ATSI approving commence of construction for below grade construction (Phase I) at the Fulton 345/138 kV Substation in Fulton County, Ohio electronically filed by Mr. Donald E. Rostofer on behalf of Lambeck, Klaus Mr.