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Ms. Barcy F. McNeal, Secretary
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

RE: **In the Matter of the Letter of Notification of
American Transmission Systems, Inc. for
Lemoyne-Midway 345 kV, Chrysler-Levis
Park 138 kV, and Lemoyne-Midway 138 kV
Transmission Line Extensions to Dowling
Substation Project
Case No. 13-224-EL-BLN**

Dear Ms. McNeal:

Enclosed for filing are the original and 10 copies of the proof of publication of the first public notice for the public information meeting in the above-captioned case. The public notice appeared in the January 17, 2013, *Toledo Blade* and *Bowling Green Sentinel-Tribune*.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,



Robert J. Schmidt, Jr.
Attorney for Applicant American Transmission Systems, Inc.

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By: _____

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Ohio GOP scolded over Sandy no votes

Dems say Latta, other Republicans turned backs on superstorm victims

By TOM TROY
BLADE POLITICAL WRITER

Ohio Democrats on Wednesday criticized U.S. Rep. Rob Latta (R., Bowling Green) and other Ohio Republicans for their votes against a \$54.5 billion bill to benefit the victims of superstorm Sandy on Tuesday, while Republicans stuck by their claim the bill should



Latta

have been "paid for." "It's a sad day when Ohio Republicans have become so extreme, so opposed to bipartisanship that they actually have the nerve to vote to turn

their backs against the victims of a disaster and leave the victims of Hurricane Sandy to fend for themselves," Ohio Democratic Party Chairman Chris Redfern said.

"For over two hundred years, our country has pulled together and supported each other in our darkest moments, but these

10 Ohio Republican Congressmen have such extreme views that they've forgotten that Americans look out for one another," Mr. Redfern said.

The party distributed a copy of a 2008 letter signed by Sen. Latta and U.S. Rep. Jim Jordan (R., Urbana) asking President George W. Bush to declare an emergency for Ohio in the wake of Hurricane Ike. The remnants of the storm caused \$1.25 billion in insured damage in Ohio, the most devastating storm in Ohio history in property losses, according to the Ohio Insurance Institute.

An emergency has been declared for the states affected by Sandy. The bill moving through Congress appropriates additional aid for the disaster, which caused about \$82 billion in damage in New Jersey, New York, and Connecticut.

Latta spokesman Laura Strange said Mr. Latta did not vote for the Sandy aid package because it was not paid for. She said he voted for the Midway amendment, which proposed spending cuts to offset the aid, but the amendment failed. She said Mr. Latta was not available for comment on the Sandy bill because he was going to a retreat for House Republicans.

In a statement provided by his office, Mr. Jordan said he agreed that communities affected by Sandy are in need of assistance but the bill did not offset the extra spending.

"If politicians cannot make the tough decisions and find something in the \$3.8 trillion budget to cut that could offset needed disaster relief, they'll never do the tough things and make spending cuts," he said.

The first bill passed 218-180, with 49 Republicans voting for the measure.

Ohio's four Democratic congressmen, including U.S. Rep. Marcy Kaptur of Toledo, and one Ohio Republican voted yes. Southwestern Ohio's U.S. Rep. Mack Wallers (R., Tipton) voted no.

Miss Kaptur told The Blade that she voted against the Midway amendment because "it wasn't well thought through. In the case of disasters, that isn't the time for a big debate."

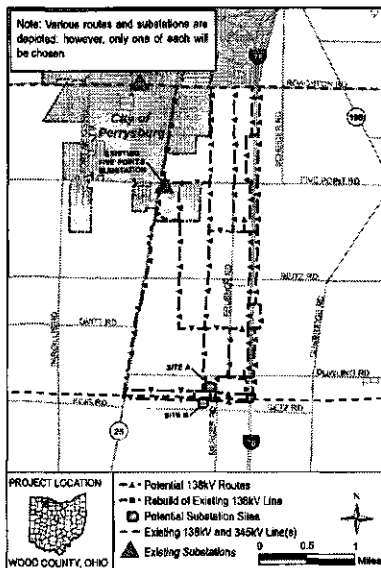
Contact Tom Troy at tomtroy@toledoblade.com or 419-724-0058.

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COURT-MARTIAL

Marine guilty of desecrating dead Taliban

Sergeant faces demotion, no confinement under deal

ASSOCIATED PRESS

CAMP LEBEUNE, N.C. — A Marine who pleaded guilty Wednesday to urinating on the corpse of a dead Taliban fighter in Afghanistan likely will be demoted one rank under a plea deal, although a military judge called for a much harsher sentence.

Staff Sgt. Eberhard Depoela pleaded guilty to multiple charges at court-martial, including dereliction of duty for desecrating remains, posing for photos with the corpse, and failing to properly supervise junior Marines.

If not for the plea deal, Judge Lt. Col. Nicole Hinds said she would have sentenced him to six months confinement, a \$5,000 fine, demotion to private, and a bad-conduct discharge. A general is to review the sentence and could lower it.

The sergeant and another Marine based at Camp Lejeune were charged last year after video surfaced of four Marines in full combat gear urinating on the bodies of three dead Afghans in July 2011.

He told the judge that he urinated on a corpse and posed in the "toughly photographs." He said he had failed to supervise the men under him.

"I was in a position to stop it, and I didn't," he said.

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LOCAL

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BOWLING GREEN PD

Citations Jan. 3:

Expired registration: Jermaine A. Campbell, BG; Timothy J. Brakefield, Delta; Michael A. Thrall, Portage; Cristina A. Koenigske, Toledo.

Traffic control device: James R. Krump, BG.

No seat belt: Christopher

D. Burgess, Cascade, Iowa.

Stephen B. Stidham, 20, of Monclova, was arrested around 1:47 a.m. for underage/under the influence, and was taken to jail.

Prescription narcotics were reported missing from a Bourgogne Avenue home.

Citations Jan. 4:

No seat belt: Kaitlyn M. Rhodes, Bluffton.

Violation of temporary protection order: Justin M. Davila, Oregon.

Driving under suspension: Eric W. Calvin, Findlay; Hannah K. Markison, BG.

Mary E. Hemmerly,

BG, was taken to Wood County Hospital after driving into a snow bank in the 900 block of South Main Street.

Milton M. Weitzel II, 41, of Toledo, was arrested for theft after he allegedly took a vacuum from the Meijer store.

Citations Jan. 5:

No seat belt: Iris A. Lewis, BGSU.

Expired registration: Michael J. Smith Jr., Findlay.

At a 2:30 a.m. traffic stop on Ordway Avenue, Murtada A.A. Alzahr, BG, was cited for operating a vehicle while impaired, prohibited alcohol (BAC 0.118), no front plate, and violation of a temporary driver's permit.

James D. Henley, 47, of BG, was arrested for violating a protection order.

At a traffic stop on South Church Street, Luke A. Warner, BG, was cited for improper display and driving under suspension.

His passenger, Jennifer Folk, BG, was detained on a warrant through the Findlay police department.

Citations Jan. 6:

Underage/under the

influence: Levi A. Butler, Fostoria.

Unauthorized plates: Brittany N. Connerly, BG.

Expired registration: Constance M. Verryer, BG.

Marked lanes: Abigail B. Gillespie, BGSU.

William M. Aufdencamp, 29, of Findlay, was arrested

downtown for public indecency after he allegedly exposed himself at a bar.

Benjamin J. Gunnoe, BG, was cited at 2:41 a.m.

for operating a vehicle while impaired, prohibited alcohol (BAC 0.109), peeling and marked lanes.

Douglas A. Ferguson, 62, of BG, was arrested for trespass and disorderly conduct/unable to care for himself after a resident in the 100 block of South Enterprise Street called

police at 3:25 a.m. to report someone was trying to enter the apartment.

Nicholas M. Bernardini, 20, BG, was arrested for expired registration after having been cited twice before for the same offense.

Accidents occurred:

Dec. 31

at East South Boundary Street and Sandusky Street. Jonathan Boyce, Perrysburg, was cited for

assured clear distance ahead after striking a vehicle driven by Kelly Jackson, Swanton.

at North Dixie Highway and Craig Drive. Molly Hascak, Perrysburg, was cited for assured clear distance ahead after a collision with Herman Shiffer, Perrysburg.

Jan. 3

at Roachton and Fort Meigs roads. Samuel Testen, Perrysburg, was cited for right of way at a left turn after a collision with Patricia Burkart, Perrysburg.

at Sandusky Street and Three Meadows Drive. Lisa Hormier, Toledo, was cited for right of way from a left turn after a collision with Julianne Scott, Perrysburg.

Jan. 4

at West Indian Avenue and Perry Drive. Michael Vaughan, Northwood, was cited for assured clear distance ahead after a collision with Ericka Villegas, Perrysburg.

at Craig Drive and North Dixie Highway. Stacy Robinson, Perrysburg, was cited for assured clear distance ahead after colliding with Carianne Hansen, Toledo. Hansen was subsequently cited for expired license plates.

at 26020 North Dixie Highway. Scott Sundermeier, Perrysburg, was cited for improper starting after a collision with Louise Thomas, Toledo. Thomas then struck a Perrysburg school bus.

at West Seventh and Walnut streets. Bryce Davenport, Perrysburg, was cited for failure to yield at a stop sign after a collision with Bonita Long, Perrysburg.

Jan. 5

at West Boundary Street and West Second Street. Joseph Decker, Perrysburg, was cited for OVI and reasonable control after a crash.

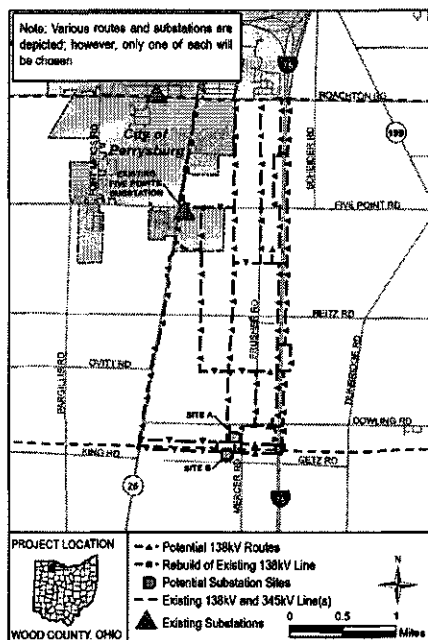
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AREA EVENTS

Hayes Center to offer beginning genealogy class

FREMONT — The Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Center will offer a new session of the Center's Beginning Genealogy Class from 9:30-11:30 a.m. Saturday in the Hayes Research Library.

Cost is \$10/adult and \$5 for students through high school.

Pre-registration is required. Call (419) 332-2081, ext. 231 or email hlhill@rbhayes.org.

Hayes Research Library Head Librarian Becky Hill will share the basics of how to begin a genealogical search, covering such topics as: how to interview relatives, create a genealogical chart, find resources, and make the most of each piece of information. Each person attending the class receives a series of handouts that will assist in the process of creating a family tree.

At the end of the day's workshop participants are taken on a tour of the Hayes Research Library, which contains one of the area's most extensive collections of genealogical resources. The Library also has a number of Internet-connected computers available for use free of charge. Library staff are on hand to offer individual attention to those wishing to begin their research immediately.

Guidance also is available on how to use the Hayes Presidential Center website - GOTOBUTTON BM_1_ www.rbhayes.org - which contains the Ohio Obituary Index, a name index list of 2.1 million obituary notices.

Henry County Genealogical Society will meet Monday

DESHLER — The Henry County Genealogical Society will hold its January meeting on Monday at the Edwin Wood Memorial Library in Deshler at 7 p.m.

This month's speaker will be the society's webmaster Jim Rebar. His topic is "The Future is Now." This will be about online books and their effect on our future.

Forum set on Oak Openings

TOLEDO — Metroparks and the Toledo Lucas County Public Library will present the Oak Openings Research Forum Jan. 26 starting at 9:30 a.m. in McMaster Center at Main Branch Library.

Participants will enjoy presentations and posters from researchers about rare plants, insects, birds, amphibians, ecology, geology and other topics.

Keynote speaker Dr. Richard Bradley, associate professor emeritus at Ohio State University, will present "Spider Diversity in Ohio and the little known Oak Openings Fauna."

Cost to attend is \$30, which includes lunch, materials and parking.

To register, call (419) 407-9700, or register online at MetroparksToledo.com

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