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Ms. Barcy F. McNeal, Secretary
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 E. Broad St., 11th Floor
Columbus, OH 43215-3793

Re: Application for Certificate before Ohio Power Siting Board
Carroll County Energy LLC
OPSB Case No. 13-1752-EL-BGN

Dear Ms. McNeal:

Please find attached copies of the Proofs of Publication indicating that the Notice of Proposed Major Utility Facility, including notice of the public informational meeting and adjudicatory hearing, was published in The Repository, a newspaper of general circulation in Stark County, Ohio, on February 20, 2014, and in The Free Press Standard, a newspaper of general circulation in Carroll County, Ohio, on February 20, 2014.

Very truly yours,

Miranda R. Leppia
Attorney for Carroll County Energy LLC

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STARK COUNTY

Diane Hamilton

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Diane Hamilton

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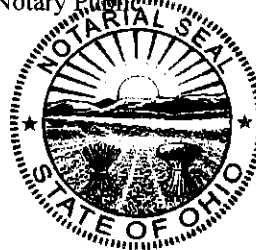
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NOTICE OF PROPOSED MAJOR UTILITY FACILITY

Carroll County Energy LLC (CCE) is proposing to develop, build, own and operate a new natural gas-fired combined-cycle electric generating facility located in Carroll County, Washington Township, Ohio (the Facility). The Facility will utilize two General Electric (GE) 7F 5 Series natural gas turbines, each with a heat recovery steam generator (HRSG), and a single GE steam turbine generator (STG). The Facility will have a nominal net output of 742 megawatts (full duct fired operation with inlet air cooling at 59 degrees Fahrenheit ambient temperature).

The Facility's combustion turbines will operate solely on natural gas. The Facility will utilize an air-cooled condenser, minimizing water needs and discharge volumes.

The proposed Facility (which includes the power generating facility, switch yard and other ancillary equipment) will be located on an approximately 77 acre property (the Facility Site). The Facility Site is located entirely within Washington Township, Carroll County, Ohio (approximately 2.5 miles north of the Village of Carrollton and approximately 0.8 mile south of State Route 171).

Within the Facility Site, the power generating facility and ancillary equipment will be located on approximately 14 acres and the switchyard will be located on an adjacent 3 acres. Access to the Facility will be off Route 9, extending across an approximately 23 acre parcel of land located between the Facility Site and Route 9. This 23 acre parcel is available for temporary use during Facility construction (the Construction Laydown Area). A 75 foot wide natural gas pipeline easement will extend approximately 0.4 mile north from the Facility Site to connect the Facility to the existing Tennessee Gas Pipeline, and an electric transmission easement will extend to the existing American Electric Power 345 kilovolt transmission line located approximately 0.4 mile west of the Facility.

The Facility will help meet electrical energy demand in the region, particularly in light of announced generating capacity retirements. The Facility will provide additional base load and peaking capacity via its natural gas-fired combined-cycle technology.

Carroll County Energy LLC has filed with the Ohio Power Siting Board (Board or Power Siting Board) an application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need to Construct, Operate and Maintain an Electric Generation Facility in Case No. 13-1752-EL-BGN, now pending before the Board. The first notice of this proposed major utility facility appeared in the January 9, 2014 edition of this newspaper.

The public hearing shall consist of two parts:

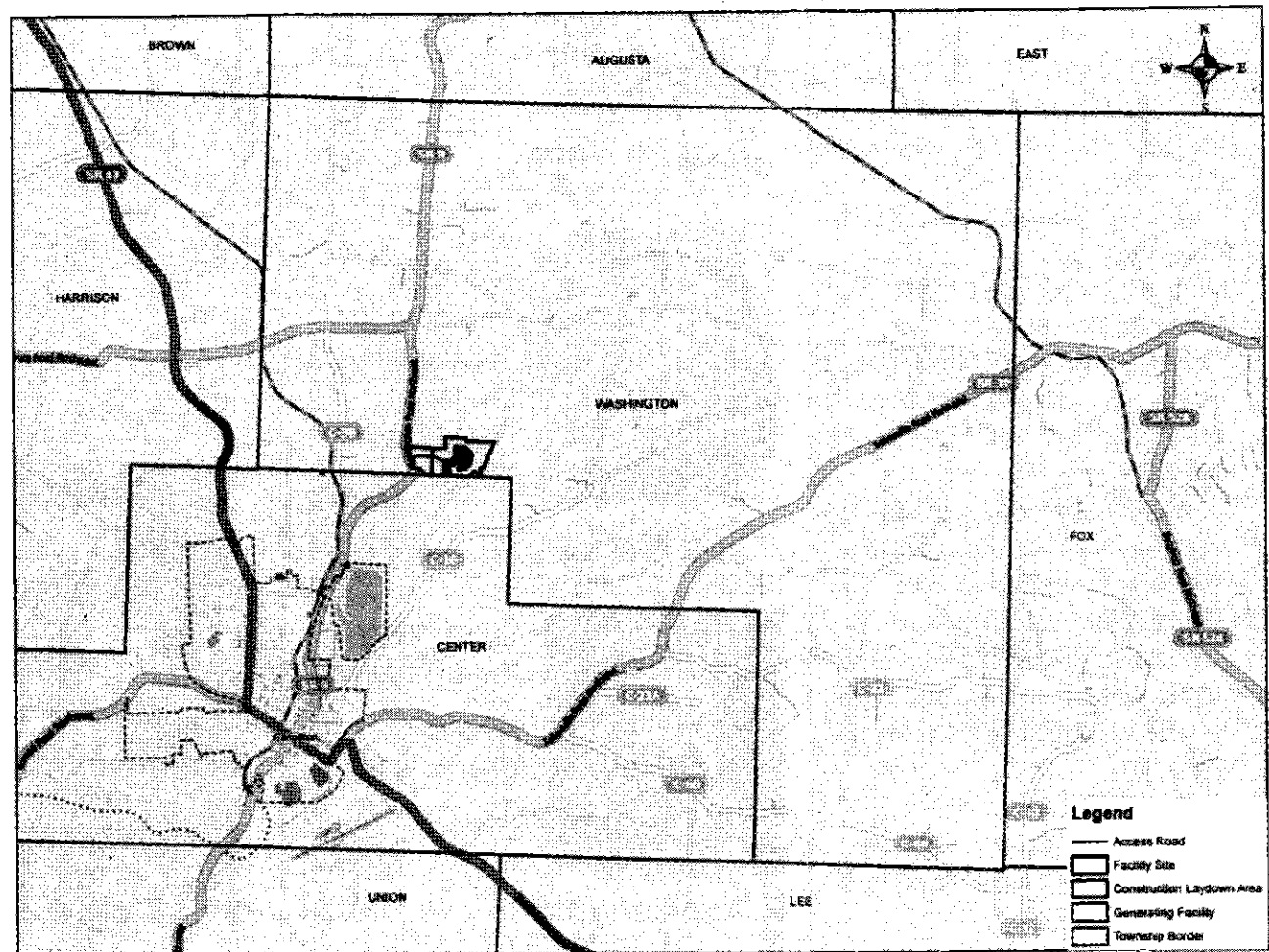
(a) A local public hearing, pursuant to Section 4906.08(C), Revised Code where the public will be given an opportunity to comment on the proposed Facility and the Board shall accept written or oral testimony from any person commencing on Thursday, March 6, 2014 at 6:00 P.M. at Carrollton High School, Fine Arts Room, 252 Third Street NE, Carrollton, Ohio 44615, and

(b) An adjudicatory hearing to commence on Thursday, March 13, 2014 at 10:00 A.M., 11th Floor, Hearing

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The below map shows the proposed layout of the Facility.



The Free Press Standard

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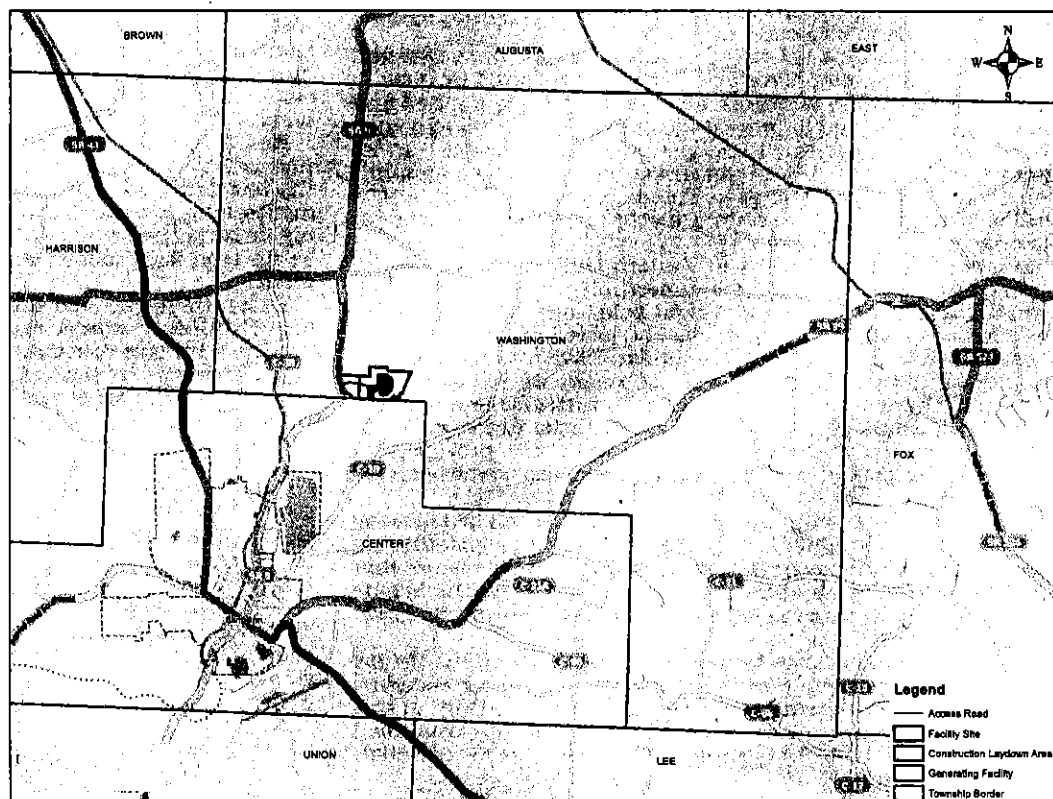
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