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The Honorable John Kasich
Governor of Ohio
Riffe Center, 30th Floor
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Dear Governor Kasich:

On behalf of Southern Columbiana and Jefferson County working families and communities, I'm urging your support of FirstEnergy's proposed Electric Security Plan, *Powering Ohio's Progress*.

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We truly appreciate FirstEnergy's continued investment in our community, and hope you will support this plan to help Ohio become more energy independent. In the meantime, we would appreciate it if your staff could docket this letter as part of the record in this proceeding (PUCO Case No. 14-1297-EL-SSO).

Best regards,

Donald C. Mays
Representative, Safety Representative
Bricklayers & Allied Craftworkers Local 10 OH.

cc. PUCO Chairman Thomas W. Johnson

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The Honorable John Kasich
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Dear Governor Kasich:

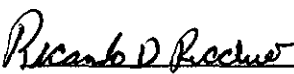

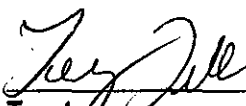
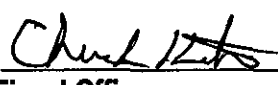
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RESOLUTION # 5-2014
RESOLUTION FROM Mount Pleasant Township, Jefferson County, Ohio

Mount Pleasant Township supports FirstEnergy's proposed Electric Security Plan, *Powering Ohio's Progress* and

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WHEREAS, *Powering Ohio's Progress* retains local jobs, protects local tax revenues and helps support manufacturing and other industries in Mount Pleasant Township and


THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT WE, the TRUSTEES of Mount Pleasant Township are pleased to endorse FirstEnergy Ohio utilities' proposed Electric Security Plan, *Powering Ohio's Progress*, which will help support the Mount Pleasant Township economy and quality of life in the years ahead.


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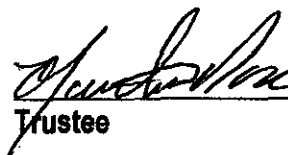
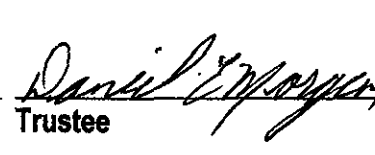
On behalf of Brush Creek Township, we're urging your support of FirstEnergy's proposed Electric Security Plan, *Powering Ohio's Progress*.

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RESOLUTION # 152
RESOLUTION FROM Brush Creek Township, Jefferson County, Ohio

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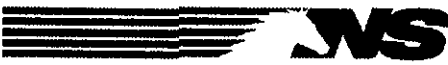
THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT WE, the TRUSTEES of Brush Creek Township are pleased to endorse FirstEnergy Ohio utilities' proposed Electric Security Plan, *Powering Ohio's Progress*, which will help support the Brush Creek Township economy and quality of life in the years ahead.

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Donald W. Seale
Executive Vice President and
Chief Marketing Officer

October 15, 2014

The Honorable John Kasich
Governor of Ohio
Riffe Center, 30th Floor
77 South High Street
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Dear Governor Kasich:

On behalf of Norfolk Southern Corporation and our 3,600 hard-working Ohio employees, we want to keep affordable and reliable electricity available to support our economy in the years ahead.

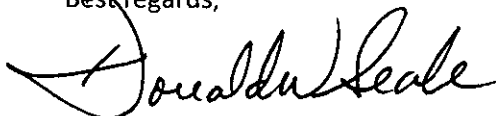
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We truly appreciate FirstEnergy's commitment to serving Ohio's energy needs, and we hope you will support this solid plan. In the meantime, we would appreciate it if your staff could docket this letter as part of the record in this proceeding (14-1297-EL-SSO).

Best regards,



cc: ✓Chairman Thomas W. Johnson
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 E. Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

Mr. Anthony J. Alexander
President & Chief Executive Officer
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Wednesday, October 15, 2014

The Honorable John Kasich
Governor of Ohio
Riffe Center, 30th Floor
77 South High Street
Columbus, OH 43215-6117

Dear Governor Kasich:

On behalf of Control Systems Company and our 18 hard-working Ohio employees, I want to keep affordable and reliable electricity available to support our economy in the years ahead.

FirstEnergy has been a valuable customer of my company and I believe they have done an excellent job keeping electric prices affordable for businesses and consumers. However, FirstEnergy and others have been challenged in recent years by regulatory issues and market pressures that have led to the closing of many of Ohio's largest power plants, and more retirements are expected. I'm concerned that these factors could drive up electricity prices and affect the reliability of our service at a time when we're still recovering from a difficult economy.

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Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michele Titmas", written over a horizontal line.

Michele Titmas
Vice President

Control Systems Company

cc: PUCO Chairman Thomas W. Johnson

The Honorable John Kasich
Governor of Ohio
Riffe Center, 30th Floor
77 South High Street
Columbus, OH 43215-6117

Dear Governor Kasich:

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Bryan Marini 10/14/14 Mark O'Leary 10-14-14
Trustee Date Trustee Date

Sam Carleton 10-14-2014 Barla Van Fosse 10-14-14
Trustee Date Fiscal Officer Date

RESOLUTION # 10-14-14
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Mark Allen
Trustee

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Sam Grafton
Trustee

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Doreen Van Fossen
Fiscal Officer

10-14-14
Date



10/17/14

The Honorable John Kasich
Governor of Ohio
Riffe Center, 30th Floor
77 South High Street
Columbus, OH 43215-6117

Dear Governor Kasich:

On behalf of Associated General Contractors of NW Ohio, 15,000 hard-working, local construction industry employees and 400 of our construction industry employers, I want to keep affordable and reliable electricity available to support our economy in the years ahead.

FirstEnergy has been a valuable customer of our industry's employers and I believe they have done an excellent job keeping electric prices affordable for businesses and consumers. However, FirstEnergy and others have been challenged in recent years by regulatory issues and market pressures that have led to the closing of many of Ohio's largest power plants, and more retirements are expected. I'm concerned that these factors could drive up electricity prices and affect the reliability of our service at a time when we're still recovering from a difficult economy.

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Best regards,

Kevin X. Smith
CEO and General Counsel

cc: PUCO Chairman Thomas W. Johnson

The Associated General Contractors of NW Ohio
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October 19, 2014

The Honorable John Kasich
Governor of Ohio
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Dear Governor Kasich:

On behalf of New Alexandria, I'm urging your support of FirstEnergy's proposed Electric Security Plan, *Powering Ohio's Progress*.

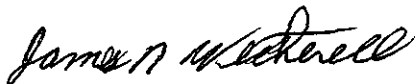
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James R. Wetherell
Mayor

cc: PUCO Chairman Thomas W. Johnson

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 E. Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

October 20, 2014

The Honorable John Kasich
Governor of Ohio
Riffe Center, 30th Floor
77 South High Street
Columbus, OH 43215-6117

Dear Governor Kasich:

On behalf of Air Systems Incorporated and our hard-working Ohio employees, I want to keep affordable and reliable electricity available to support our economy in the years ahead.

FirstEnergy has been a valuable customer of my company, and I believe they have done an excellent job keeping electric prices affordable for businesses and consumers. However, FirstEnergy and others have been challenged in recent years by regulatory issues and market pressures that have led to the closing of many of Ohio's largest power plants, and more retirements are expected. I'm concerned that these factors could drive up electricity prices and affect the reliability of our service at a time when we're still recovering from a difficult economy.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D O'Donnell', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Dan O'Donnell
President

cc: PUCO Chairman Thomas W. Johnson

TOLEDO BUILDING SERVICES

Serious Service

October 20, 2014

The Honorable John Kasich
Governor of Ohio
Riffe Center, 30th Floor
77 South High Street
Columbus, OH 43215-6117

Dear Governor Kasich:

As President of Toledo Building Services Co. and a lifelong and loyal Ohioan who cares enormously about our State, I want to keep affordable and reliable electricity available to support our economy in the years ahead. I am sure that I speak for the over 250 employees of my company and its affiliates as well.

FirstEnergy has been a valuable customer of my company, and in my over forty years of experience with the Company and its subsidiaries, I have been familiar with its operations, from nuclear, coal, and natural gas power generation to transmission to customer service. I believe FirstEnergy and its people have done an excellent job keeping electricity both abundant and affordable for businesses and consumers. Moreover, FirstEnergy has shown a commitment to conserving energy and generating it in a manner that takes into account the health of the planet. However, FirstEnergy and others have been massively challenged in recent years by regulatory issues and market pressures that have led to the closing of many of Ohio's largest power plants, and more plant retirements are expected. I'm concerned that these factors could drive up electricity prices and affect the reliability of our service at a time when we're still recovering from a difficult economy.

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Best regards,



Lawrence M. Friedman

cc: PUCO Chairman Thomas W. Johnson

The Honorable John Kasich
Governor of Ohio
Riffe Center, 30th Floor
77 South High Street
Columbus, OH 43215-6117

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RESOLUTION # 36-14
RESOLUTION FROM Salem Township, Jefferson County, Ohio

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HUGHES-PRIMEAU

**Hughes Primeau Controls, Inc.
7670 First Place, Suite H
Oakwood Village, OH 44146**

The Honorable John Kasich
Governor of Ohio
Riffe Center, 30th Floor
77 South High Street
Columbus, OH 43215-6117

Dear Governor Kasich:

On behalf of Hughes-Primeau Controls and our 30 hard-working Ohio employees, I want to keep affordable and reliable electricity available to support our economy in the years ahead.

FirstEnergy has been a valuable customer of my company and I believe they have done an excellent job keeping electric prices affordable for businesses and consumers. However, FirstEnergy and others have been challenged in recent years by regulatory issues and market pressures that have led to the closing of many of Ohio's largest power plants, and more retirements are expected. I'm concerned that these factors could drive up electricity prices and affect the reliability of our service at a time when we're still recovering from a difficult economy.

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Best regards,

Paul Krause
President

cc: PUCO Chairman Thomas W. Johnson

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Governor of Ohio
Riffe Center, 30th Floor
77 South High Street
Columbus, OH 43215-6117

Dear Governor Kasich:

On behalf of PetroLiance LLC and our 22 hard-working Ohio employees, I want to keep affordable and reliable electricity available to support our economy in the years ahead.

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Robert A. Crouch
Chief Operating Officer

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The Honorable John Kasich
Governor of Ohio
Riffe Center, 30th Floor
Columbus, OH 43215-6117

Dear Governor Kasich:

On behalf of Commercial Group Lifting Products and our 20 hard-working Ohio employees, I want to keep affordable and reliable electricity available to support our economy in the years ahead.

First Energy has been a valuable customer of my company and I believe they have done an excellent job keeping electric prices affordable for business and consumers. However, FirstEnergy and others have been challenged in recent years by regulatory issues and market pressures that have led to the closing of many of Ohio's largest power plants, and more retirements are expected. I'm concerned that these factors could drive up electricity prices and affect the reliability of our service at a time when we're still recovering from a difficult economy.

We can't afford to wait on the sidelines for the market to react or the federal government to intervene. The time is now for Ohio to take action and secure our energy future.

That's why I'm urging your support of FirstEnergy's proposed Electric Security Plan, *Powering Ohio's Progress*, which will help keep future price increases in check while enabling Ohio to preserve its vital energy resources. FirstEnergy's plan also provides economic development funding to help Ohio create more jobs and attract new business growth.

We truly appreciate FirstEnergy's commitment to serving Ohio's energy needs, and we hope you will support this solid plan for our state's energy future. In the meantime, we would appreciate it if your staff could docket this letter as part of the record in this proceeding (14-1297-EL-SSO).

Best Regards,

Vito Pizzo
Vice ~ President
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