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COMMENTS: I am writing in support of the Green Route inasmuch as it appears to present the fewest residential and business obstacles. My second choice would be the Blue Route. I am writing in opposition to the Orange Route. This route would pass through our property and, possibly, our home. It would result in the destruction of 3 majestic trees, each over 100 years old. It would encounter the following on our property: 4 telephone poles, one fire hydrant, 2 gas valve shutoffs, 2 water valve shutoffs, 2 major storm sewer connections, and one satellite dish. I am retired and depend heavily (1/3 of my total income) on the music studio in my home for income. The orange route would isolate our house putting me completely out of business. Our home is our primary asset in retirement and the orange route would completely surround our house thereby destroying the value of our home for resale purposes. Based on experience from the construction of I-71, the vibration from construction equipment would create cracks in our house's foundation and some interior walls. Running the orange route along the sound wall behind our house would avoid many of the above problems but would destroy some 12 sixty foot tall Norwegian spruce trees which serve to hide the sound wall from view. I look forward to working WITH the Ohio Power Siting Board and Duke Energy to arrive at the best outcome for all three of us.

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