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Subject: Case no. 16-253-GA-BTX

To the Ohio Power Siting Board; In reference to Case No. 16-253-GA-BTX; I would like to file a formal complaint to block the construction of a gas pipeline by Duke Energy adjacent to the Tangleridge neighborhood in Blue Ash. My concerns are 3 fold. First the environmental damage that will occur. Large swaths of land will be completely cleared of all trees and plants. These trees act as a buffer between our homes and the adjacent University of Cincinnati, Blue Ash and also a large apartment complex. Second, the health concerns caused by a possible pipeline failure of that size near our homes. Third, is the reduced financial security with the loss of value of our homes. No one will want to buy a house that backs into the pipeline especially with all the trees next to their property gone. I strongly urge the board to veto this location for the pipeline to protect our neighborhood. Thank you for your concern. Robert and Ruthanne Werner ranne@cinci.rr.com

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