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To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov>
Subject: RE: OPSB Case #16-0253-GA-BTX

To whom it may concern,

We wanted to let you know about our strong opposition to the Duke Central Corridor gas pipeline where they would be routing the gas pipe through the city of Blue ash which would put residents at risk (Case #16-0253-GA-BTX. Please do not allow such a pipeline to be installed into a highly populated, residential and business area which poses a huge safety concern to all. This pipeline would be placed in an area, which is close Blue Ash Elementary, a daycare, UC Blue Ash, the new summit park, Blue ash rec center, and several residential neighborhoods.

We have lived in the Peppermill subdivision for the past 19 years. We picked Blue ash for its great schools, mature trees, beautiful parks, and all the great recreational things Blue Ash has to offer for all ages. Knowing this, we re-invested, along with our neighbors, 100's of thousands of \$'s in improvements and renovations to our properties.

Residents move into the city of Blue ash for the beautiful tree filled residential areas. You can even see deer grazing through the parks. This is a community where you see people walking to the parks and enjoying all the wonderful things that Blue ash has to offer. Placing a gas pipeline would be a potential everyday hazard. The city of Blue Ash continues to try to welcome new families and has a great 10 year plan for its continued growth. Not only would this pipeline be a potential safety risk but it would also decrease property value and make Blue Ash a less than desirable place to live.

There is no way to guarantee that this would be safe and not explode. Evidence has clearly shown that this could cause massive destruction. Moreover, let us not forget that if exploded, radiant heat can burn people and property up to a half mile away. Purposefully passing an explosive apparatus thru or even near populated residences and neighborhoods as well as schools and daycare centers, displays an incredible amount of negligence.

We strongly request that the pipeline is not put in Blue Ash to keep our neighborhoods and kids safe.

Sincerely,
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