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COMMENTS: Dear Sirs:

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The above referenced Case Number, also referenced as the Central Corridor Pipeline Extension Project, is a proposal to the Siting Board by Duke Energy to select a route, from three proposed alternate routes, for the construction and installation of a 30" diameter natural gas transmission line at 720psi. through residential neighborhoods here in Blue Ash, Ohio. Although we agree with Duke's contention that such a line would bring potentially more abundant and lower-cost natural gas supplies to Southwest Ohio, we DO NOT SUPPORT any of the proposed routes for several reasons: All of the proposed routes are through highly-populated residential areas, adjacent to schools, businesses, and places of worship, under highly-trafficked roads and highways, negatively affecting property values. Duke Energy will have you believe that such a construction and operation can be completed safely and efficiently, but the potential for disastrous fires and explosions are not without precedent. A 2010 pipeline explosion in a similar 30" diameter high-pressure gas transmission line in San Bruno, California leveled an entire neighborhood, killing eight people, resulting in over \$1,000,000,000 in property damages.

Normally, such high-pressure gas transmission lines are routed through rural areas, where the damages from potential dangers would be less. Indeed, there has NEVER BEFORE been any proposed routing of these high pressure gas transmission lines through highly populated urban/ suburban corridors. If such proposed routes were environmentally damaging to the natural habitats of Endangered Species, such as Snail Darters or Spotted Owls, it would be easy to reject such proposals. Do our human concerns for the safety and welfare of our neighbors bear less weight in your decision? We ask all members of this Siting Board: would you want such a transmission line to pass through your neighborhood, or your children's or grandchildren's neighborhoods?

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