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Dear elected officials representing Cincinnati Citizens,

Our dear neighbor, friend, and community activist, Bill Frost brought the Duke Energy Pipeline extension project to my attention. I don't normally get involved in matters like these, but when Bill speaks, I listen. And I'm not alone.

I don't consider myself a part of any movement, but any elected official should be paying attention to the undercurrent of discontent from voters who feel powerless against big business and outside interests.

On the surface, this feels like big business muscling their way into our backyards, making decisions without citizen input, and against our best interest.

This is a problem and it's exactly the kind of thing the voters entrust you with protecting us from. At the very least, this requires a much more robust and transparent public discussion.

I've never written an elected official before, but I will be paying attention as to how each of you respond to this call of your citizens.

Respectfully Submitted, Scott Byington 6208 Grand Vista Ave Cincinnati OHIO 45213

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