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Re: Proofs of Publication

PUCO Case No. 16-0020-EL-BLN Poston-Lick 138kV Transmission Line Rebuild Project

Dear Chairman Porter,

Attached please find the filed public notices concerning the proposed major utility facility in the above-referenced case. The notices were published pursuant to Rule 4906-5-08, Ohio Administrative Code.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please contact me with any questions.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Hector Garcia

Hector Garcia Counsel for AEP Ohio Transmission Company



Proof of Publication

I, Walter Dozier, do herby attest that the AEP Legal Notice did appear in the following newspaper as ordered:

Athens Messenger	6/7/16
Jackson Times Journal	6/7/16
McArthur, Vinton County Courier	6/8/16

State of Ohio County of Franklin

On this day, the _____ day of June, 2016 before me, Patricia A. Conkle, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared Walter Dozier, proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name was subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged that he executed it.

Witness my hand and official seal.

Patricia A. Conkle Notary Public, State of Ohio My Commission Expires 06-17-19

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Teen in custody until age 21 for school cafeteria shooting

HAMILTON, Ohio — A 15-year-old boy who opened fire on fellow stu-dents in a school cafeteria will be kein in juvenile detention until he is 21. James Austin Hancock will be free at 21 unless he causes problems in juvenile custody, which could lead

to possible time in the adult prison system, Butler County, Jiwenile Coun-Judge Ronald Craft said Monday. The judge said that he didn't know why Hancock shot diver students but that he had to be punished. Hancock said in court that he want-ed the victims to know they weren't targeted, WKRU-TV reported.

The teenager pleaded guilty to four counts of attempted murder and one count of inducing panic for the February shooting at Madison Local Schools, near Middletown. Two statents were wounded by guiffing, and two others were hurt by shrapnel or while running away.

Some of the students read state-

A message seeking comment was left for Hancock's attorney after the

hearing.

Hancock was ordered to have no contact with the victims and to pay restitution for some medical expenses

Hancock has been in custody in the Butler County Juvenile Detention Center since the shooting and will remain in detention under the Ohio Department of Youth Services, the Hamilton-Middletown Journal-news

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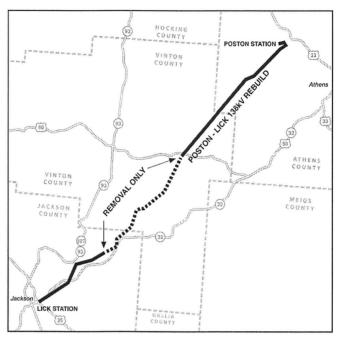
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Soil and Water Conservation District Photo Contest

The annual Vinton Soil and Water Conservation District's Photo Contest is underway. The theme this year is "Agriculture and Natural

Resources." Photos should be of natural areas, widdlife, agriculture, woodlands or anything else related. Photos must be taken in Vinton County in 2016; trail camera photos will be accepted.

The deadline to submit photos is Sept. 6. Email photos to cody. Inacker@oh.nacknet.net (pint "Photo Contest" in the subject line). Or photos can be railed or dropped off to the Vinton SWCD office at 31935

Route 93. McArthur, OH 45651. Route 93, McArthur, OH 45651.
Prizes for the top three photos will be given out at the annual banquet on Sept. 29 at Lake Hope Lodge.
For more information, send an email to the above address or call the of-fice at 740-596-5676.

Waldron Reunion

The Waldron Reunion will be held Sunday, June 12 at 1 p.m at the

McArthur Church of the Naza-rene, located at 523 N. Market St., McArthur.

VFW Fish Fry

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VFW P0st #5299 will host an
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June 10 from 4:30-6:30 p.m. Cost is
88 and includes dessert and drink.
Children under 10 are hall price.
The Post is located at 401 Veterans

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Board of Education meeting date change

The Vinton County Local Board of Education's regular meeting time has changed to Thursday, June 23 at 6 p.m. The meeting will be held in the Board's Meeting Room, 307 W. High St., McArthur.

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