Duke Energy wants to run a massive, high-pressure natural gas pipeline directly through densely-populated neighborhoods, schools, hospitals, day care centers, and places of worship in the Cincinnati area. This is an unprecedented project and a massive safety hazard--an explosion could kill or injure thousands of residents within the pipeline's path--and yet Duke is undeterred and will effectively be allowed to regulate itself.

Please step up and protect the people who've voted for you. Demand that high-pressure gas transmission lines remain clear of densely-populated areas. Enact stronger safety protections around the inspection and placement of these pipelines. Say NO to the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (OPSB case number 16-0253-GABTX).

Name:		JF 916	
Address:	Mr. Sean Cahill 5975 Saint Regis Dr	N 27	
Town:	Cincinnati, OH 45236		
State:	Zip	2:5	,7 <sup>1</sup>

Dear Chairman Andre T. Porter,

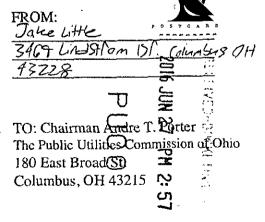
I am a resident of Ohio. I am calling on you to help end the economic devastation and the life-threatening conditions that current utility policies are causing the people of our communities.

FROM:

Jake Life
3469 Life

Low-income working people cannot afford the current costs of food, heat, energy, housing, medicines and other necessities. I urge you to take whatever actions are necessary to prevent futher needless suffering and even death.

Signed,



Duke Energy wants to run a massive, high-pressure natural gas pipeline directly through densely-populated neighborhoods, schools, hospitals, day care centers, and places of worship in the Cincinnati area. This is an unprecedented project and a massive safety hazard--an explosion could kill or injure thousands of residents within the pipeline's path--and yet Duke is undeterred and will effectively be allowed to regulate itself.

Please step up and protect the people who've voted for you. Demand that high-pressure gas transmission lines remain clear of densely-populated areas. Enact stronger safety protections around the inspection and placement of these pipelines. Say NO to the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (OPSB case number 16-0253-GABTX).

Name: DERTHA	SI AMERE	JH 27
	Y BEX ACKES	FA.
Town: CANT	1/-	<u> </u>
State: (//////	Zip <u>\( \mathfrak{13} \hat{1} \end{1} \)</u>	

Duke Energy wants to run a massive, high-pressure natural gas pipeline directly through densely-populated neighborhoods, schools, hospitals, day care centers, and places of worship in the Cincinnati area. This is an unprecedented project and a massive safety hazard--an explosion could kill or injure thousands of residents within the pipeline's path--and yet Duke is undeterred and will effectively be allowed to regulate itself.

Please step up and protect the people who've voted for you. Demand that high-pressure gas transmission lines remain clear of densely-populated areas. Enact stronger safety protections around the inspection and placement of these pipelines. Say NO to the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (OPSB case number 16-0253-GABTX).

Name: CHRISTOPHER N. W	AO TI	NI N	\$
Address: 2324 MADUON	8	古	701
Town: CIUCIUUATI	0	2.2	<u></u>
State: OH	45	7./X	

Duke Energy wants to run a massive, high-pressure natural gas pipeline directly through densely-populated neighborhoods, schools, hospitals, day care centers, and places of worship in the Cincinnati area. This is an unprecedented project and a massive safety hazard--an explosion could kill or injure thousands of residents within the pipeline's path--and yet Duke is undeterred and will effectively be allowed to regulate itself.

Please step up and protect the people who've voted for you Demand that high-pressure gas transmission lines remain clear of densely populated areas. Enact stronger safety protections around the inspection and placement of these pipelines. Say NO to the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (OPSB case number 16-0253-GABTX).

Name: <u>| Jenneth Bartheling</u>
Address: <u>5953 Winnetka Dr</u>
Town: <u>Zyamore township Ginti</u>
State: <u>Ohjo</u> zip 45236

Duke Energy wants to run a massive, high-pressure natural gas pipeline directly through densely-populated neighborhoods, schools, hospitals, day care centers, and places of worship in the Cincinnati area. This is an unprecedented project and a massive safety hazard--an explosion could kill or injure thousands of residents within the pipeline's path--and yet Duke is undeterred and will effectively be allowed to regulate itself.

Please step up and protect the people who've voted for you. Demand that high-pressure gas transmission lines remain clear of densely-populated areas. Enact stronger safety protections around the inspection and placement of these pipelines. Say NO to the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (OPSB case number 16-0253-GABTX).

Name: <u>Pouline Barther</u>

Address: <u>595 3 Winnetka Bris</u>

Town <u>Sylamore township</u> Cintris

State: <u>Ohio</u> zip 41236

Duke Energy wants to run a massive, high-pressure natural gas pipeline directly through densely-populated neighborhoods, schools, hospitals, day care centers, and places of worship in the Cincinnati area. This is an unprecedented project and a massive safety hazard--an explosion could kill or injure thousands of residents within the pipeline's path--and yet Duke is undeterred and will effectively be allowed to regulate itself.

Please step up and protect the people who've voted for you. Demand that high-pressure gas transmission lines remain clear of densely-populated areas. Enact stronger safety protections around the inspection and placement of these pipelines. Say NO to the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (OPSB case number 16-0253-GABTX).

Name: Elvis Lim

Address: 7237 Maryland AveO N

Town: Deer Park

State: OH

Zip 45236

Duke Energy wants to run a massive, high-pressure natural gas pipeline directly through densely-populated neighborhoods, schools, hospitals, day care centers, and places of worship in the Cincinnati area. This is an unprecedented project and a massive safety hazard--an explosion could kill or injure thousands of residents within the pipeline's path--and yet Duke is undeterred and will effectively be allowed to regulate itself.

Please step up and protect the people who've voted for you. Demand that high-pressure gas transmission lines remain clear of densely-populated areas. Enact stronger safety protections around the inspection and placement of these pipelines. Say NO to the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (OPSB case number 16-0253-GABTX).

Name:	Will	Holman		ال 190	
_		Arborces	ot Dr	Ve2	
Town:	Cin cinn			P	- <del>-</del> <u>*</u>
State:	01410	Zip	458	136	

Duke Energy wants to run a massive, high-pressure natural gas pipeline directly through densely-populated neighborhoods, schools, hospitals, day care centers, and places of worship in the Cincinnati area. This is an unprecedented project and a massive safety hazard--an explosion could kill or injure thousands of residents within the pipeline's path--and yet Duke is undeterred and will effectively be allowed to regulate itself.

Please step up and protect the people who've voted for you. Demand that high-pressure gas transmission lines remain clear of densely-populated areas. Enact stronger safety protections around the inspection and placement of these pipelines. Say NO to the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (OPSB case number 16-0253-GABTX).

Name: Auc Berry

Address: 8580 Anwruest Dive 

Town: Amberky Village (Cinuman) 

State: (Ihi) 

Zip 45236 

State: Town: Zip 45236

Duke Energy wants to run a massive, high-pressure natural gas pipeline directly through densely-populated neighborhoods, schools, hospitals, day care centers, and places of worship in the Cincinnati area. This is an unprecedented project and a massive safety hazard—an explosion could kill or injure thousands of residents within the pipeline's path—and yet Duke is undeterred and will effectively be allowed to regulate itself.

Please step up and protect the people who've voted for you. Demand that high-pressure gas transmission lines remain clear of densely-populated areas. Enact stronger safety protections around the inspection and placement of these pipelines. Say NO to the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (OPSB case number 16-0253-GABTX).

Name:	Juden A. Th	145	<u> </u>		··· <u>.</u> .
Address:	5950 Vynet.	He	St.		
Town:	(incimati			2015	1.1 1.1
State:	Q++	Zip _	132	Š.	14.E2

Duke Energy wants to run a massive, high-pressure natural gas pipeline directly through densely-populated neighborhoods, schools, hospitals, day care centers, and places of worship in the Cincinnati area. This is an unprecedented project and a massive safety hazard—an explosion could kill or injure thousands of residents within the pipeline's path—and yet Duke is undeterred and will effectively be allowed to regulate itself.

Please step up and protect the people who've voted for you. Demand that high-pressure gas transmission lines remain clear of densely-populated areas. Enact stronger safety protections around the inspection and placement of these pipelines. Say NO to the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (OPSB case number 16-0253-GABTX).

Name:	Juri A. To	Ults	2016 J	
Address: _	5950 Vyveti	te Stact	<b>≠</b> 2.	
Town:	Cincinnati	0	7 PH	: :*
State:	OH	Zip	236	<u> </u>
	•		6	

Dike Energy wants to run a massive, high-pressure natural gas pipeline directly through densely-populated neighborhoods, schools, hospitals, day care centers, and places of worship in the Cincinnati area. This is an unprecedented project and a massive safety hazard--an explosion could kill or injure thousands of residents within the pipeline's path--and yet Duke is undeterred and will effectively be allowed to regulate itself.

Please step up and protect the people who've voted for you. Demand that high-pressure gas transmission lines remain clear of densely-populated areas. Enact stronger safety protections around the inspection and placement of these pipelines. Say NO to the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (OPSB case number 16-0253-GABTX).

Name:	Eri K	Hoele	7EN			
Address:	6022	St,	Regis	Dr		
Town:	Cincipa	or h			2016 (	, i,
State:	OH		Zip	262		-CEA

Duke Energy wants to run a massive, high-pressure natural gas pipeline directly through densely-populated neighborhoods, schools, hospitals, day care centers, and places of worship in the Cincinnati area. This is an unprecedented project and a massive safety hazard--an explosion could kill or injure thousands of residents within the pipeline's path--and yet Duke is undeterred and will effectively be allowed to regulate itself.

Please step up and protect the people who've voted for you. Demand that high-pressure gas transmission lines remain clear of densely-populated areas. Enact stronger safety protections around the inspection and placement of these pipelines. Say NO to the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (OPSB case number 16-0253-GABTX).

Name:	notyp	Cahill		20	<i>ī.</i>
Address:	5475	Saint	Apal	M.	1. 3.
Town: _ (w)	γ			127	
State: Ohio	)	Zip	4923	PK	7.87 
<del></del>				cu viò	± .7

Duke Energy wants to run a massive, high-pressure natural gas pipeline directly through densely-populated neighborhoods, schools, hospitals, day care centers, and places of worship in the Cincinnati area. This is an unprecedented project and a massive safety hazard--an explosion could kill or injure thousands of residents within the pipeline's path--and yet Duke is undeterred and will effectively be allowed to regulate itself.

Please step up and protect the people who've voted for you. Demand that high-pressure gas transmission lines remain clear of densely-populated areas. Enact stronger safety protections around the inspection and placement of these pipelines. Say NO to the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (OPSB case number 16-0253-GABTX).

Name:		2016	
Address:	Janet Berlove	NUL	75.0
Town:	1832 Glendon Pl. Cincinnati, OH 45237-3520	27 F	
State:	Zip	H 2:	

Duke Energy wants to run a massive, high-pressure natural gas pipeline directly through densely-populated neighborhoods, schools, hospitals, day care centers, and places of worship in the Cincinnati area. This is an unprecedented project and a massive safety hazard--an explosion could kill or injure thousands of residents within the pipeline's path--and yet Duke is undeterred and will effectively be allowed to regulate itself.

Please step up and protect the people who've voted for you. Demand that high-pressure gas transmission lines remain clear of densely-populated areas. Enact stronger safety protections around the inspection and placement of these pipelines. Say NO to the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (OPSB case number 16-0253-GARTX)

DD Case nu	111061 10-0233-0		مري. ا		35	* * *
Name:	Holly	· Ho	efgen	ס	JUN .	CEALC
Address:	6022	51.	Regis	Q <sub>1</sub>	27 P	7.57
Town:	Cincipna	7:		0	H 2:	F- 2   1987
State:	OH		Zip	452	30	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
State:	01-1		Zip	45 2	~ <u>6</u> 0	

FIGHT NOW more than 88,000 households in mid-Ohio are at risk of having their utility service terminated due to their low income and inability to pay the current rates. Yet the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO) continues to allow utility companies To raise the rates to unaffordable levels, despite their mission statement to "mandate the availability of adequate, safe, and reliable utility service to all businesses, industrial and residential consumers."

The Franklin County Workers Benefit Council petitioned the PUCO on December 2014 with the following demands. PUCO scanned the 239 petitions with more than 1600 signatures and listed them under the Docket No. 14-1371-GE-UNC, Public Comments section. Instead of responding to the demands, PUCO has approved one subsequent rate hike request by AEP, and is deliberating on a second! As a result, growing numbers of state residents who cannot afford the current rates will be shut off.

## Will you take a stand to stop the shut-offs?

I'm calling on you to take all necessary steps to:

- 1. Lower utility rates for residential customers and small business owners, such that their utility service is "adequate, safe and reliable."
- 2. Establish a year-round moratorium on gas and electric utility shut-offs for Ohio residents whose income is at or below 300% of federal poverty line.
- 3. Direct AEP and Columbia Gas to cancel arrears for their customers whose incomes are at or below 300% of federal poverty lines.
- 4. Allow anyone whose service has been terminated because of economic inability to pay due to hardships such as ill health, job loss or foreclosure to renegotiate a reasonable and affordable payment plan based on their incomes, and have their services reconnected forthwith, without penalty fees.