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o Whom It May Concern; Duke Energy has proposed 3 Routes through Cincinnati for a 30" pipeline. All three go through highly populated areas, areas with schools, churches, synagogues, shopping centers, malls, homes, apartments, businesses - PEOPLE! The construction of these pipelines will be disruptive, but, if there was an accident or leak along any of these routes will be devastating! Since acquiring Cincinnati Gas and Electric, Duke has retained very few local repairmen. In the aftermath of Hurricane Ike, there were not enough local repairmen available to help restore power to many areas of the city, so out of town contractors were brought in. It was not unusual to see repair truck with southern license plates. Due to this decrease in work force, I have little faith that these 30" gas pipelines will be properly monitored and maintained. At an information meeting held by Duke, no straight answers regarding maintenance were given. Also, please note that Cincinnati is on the New Madrid fault line. We have had minor tremors in the area. What happens to a 30" pipeline under these circumstances? And, what is the real purpose of a 30" pipeline? Why is it so important to move such great quantities of this natural resource? Who is going to use the Natural Gas? Cincinnati? Kentucky? Or does Duke plan to sell the natural gas overseas? My house is in the blast zone for the Pink Line. I am just outside the blast zone for the Green Line. I do much of my shopping in the blast zone for the Orange Line. Please protect people! This line doesn't need to be near anyone! Sincerely, Rebecca S. Brown 2862 Losantiridge Ave. Cincinnati, Ohio 45213