

Ms. Barcy F. McNeal  
Docketing Division  
The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
180 East Broad Street  
Columbus, OH 43215-3793

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**PRE-APPLICATION NOTIFICATION LETTER**  
**Hanna-Shalersville 138 kV Transmission Line**  
**Structure #12191 Replacement Project**  
**Case No. 16-1703-EL-BNR**

Dear Ms. McNeal:

In accordance with Ohio Administrative Code (“OAC”) Rule 4906-6-03(A) and OAC Chapter 4906-6 generally, this letter will serve as the pre-application notice letter of applicant American Transmission Systems, Incorporated (“ATSI”), a FirstEnergy company, for the above referenced Project. ATSI expects to file a Construction Notice with the Ohio Power Siting Board for the above Project shortly.

In this Project, ATSI proposes to replace an existing structure on the existing Hanna-Shalersville 138kV Transmission Line. Structure # 12191 is a single wood pole structure and is being replaced with a 2-pole wood structure. The structure replacement is necessary to accommodate the pending construction of the Campbellsport-Sumner 69 kV line, which will occupy the same structures as the Hanna-Shalersville 138 kV Transmission Line. The Campbellsport-Sumner 69 kV line originates at ATSI’s existing Campbellsport Substation in Portage County, extends 5.7 miles, and connects to the existing Sumner Substation in Portage County. The new 69 kV transmission line will utilize an open arm of the existing structures of the Hanna-Shalersville 138 kV Transmission Line for 3.8 miles. Structure #12191 is located approximately 0.1 mile northeast from the intersection of Cleveland East Liverpool Road and the Portage Hike and Bike Trail. ATSI is seeking authorization from OPSB for the replacement of this 138 kV structure.

As part of constructing the Campbellsport-Sumner 69 kV line, the existing Hanna-Shalersville 138 kV Structure #12229, located 3.8 miles to the southeast of Structure #12191, the subject of this Project, will also be replaced with a 2-pole wood structure. The Structure #12229 replacement will be filed with the OPSB in Case Number 16-1704-EL-BNR.

The Project will be located in the City of Ravenna and Ravenna Township, Portage County, Ohio. The construction schedule for this Project is expected to begin as early as November 28, 2016 and be completed by March 17, 2017.

Sincerely,



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