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June 9, 2017

Ms. Barcy McNeal
Ohio Power Siting Board
PUCO Docketing Division
180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor
Columbus, OH 43215-3716

Re: OPSB Case No. 16-253-GA-BTX, C314-V Central Corridor Pipeline Extension Project
Second Notice of Public Hearing and Adjudicatory Hearing

Dear Ms. McNeal:

Please find attached the following which have been electronically filed today:

1. Mailing to Landowners – sent via regular U.S. Mail on June 8, 2017;
2. Mailing to Public Officials – sent via electronic mail on June 8, 2017;
3. Proof of Newspaper Publication – published on June 8, 2017; and
4. Affidavit of Publication.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Emily A. Olive, CP

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Paralegal

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Notice of Local Public Hearing: Proposed Major Utility Facility Duke Energy Ohio C314-V Central Corridor Pipeline Extension Project Ohio Power Siting Board Case Number 16-253-GA-BTX

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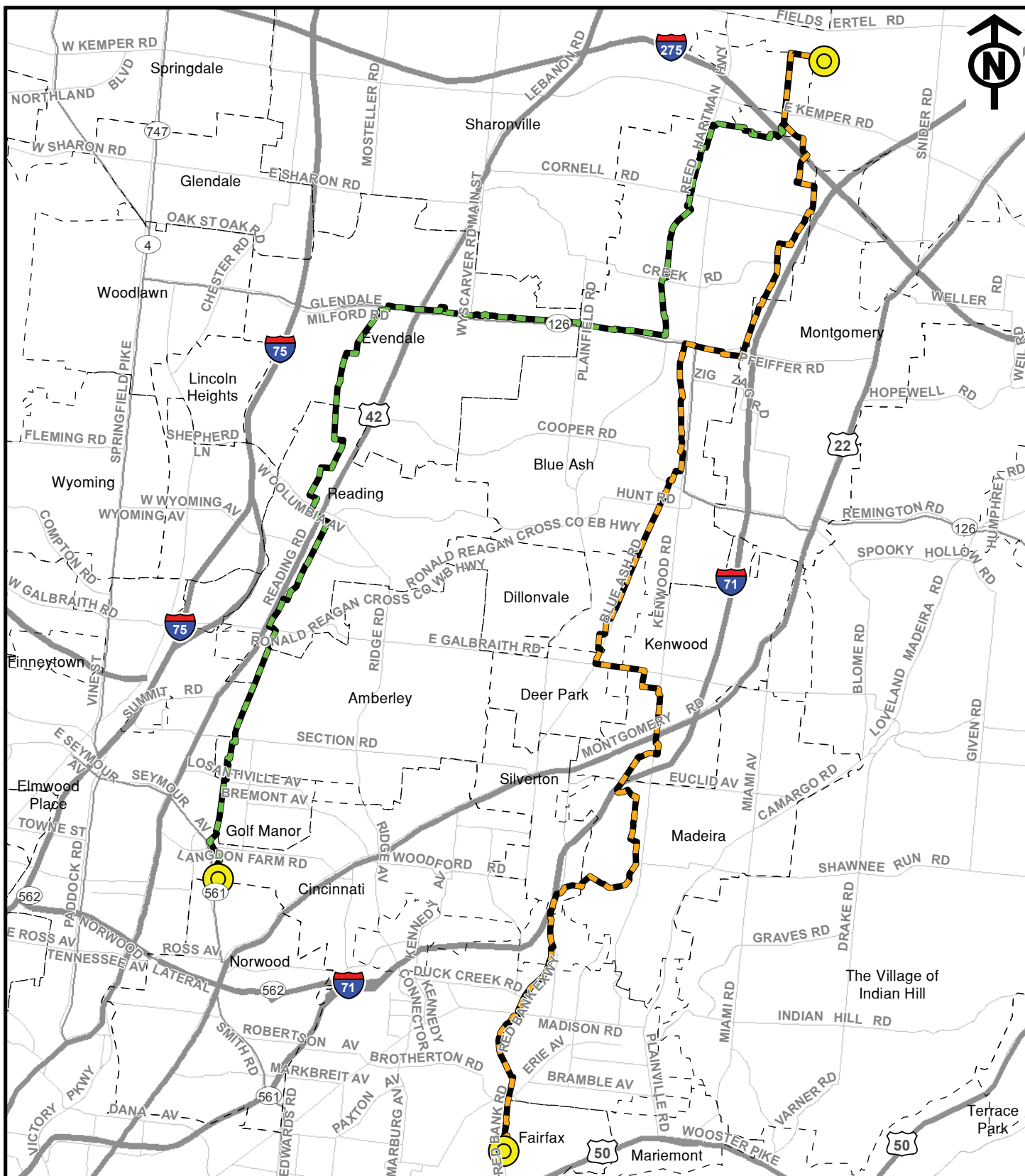
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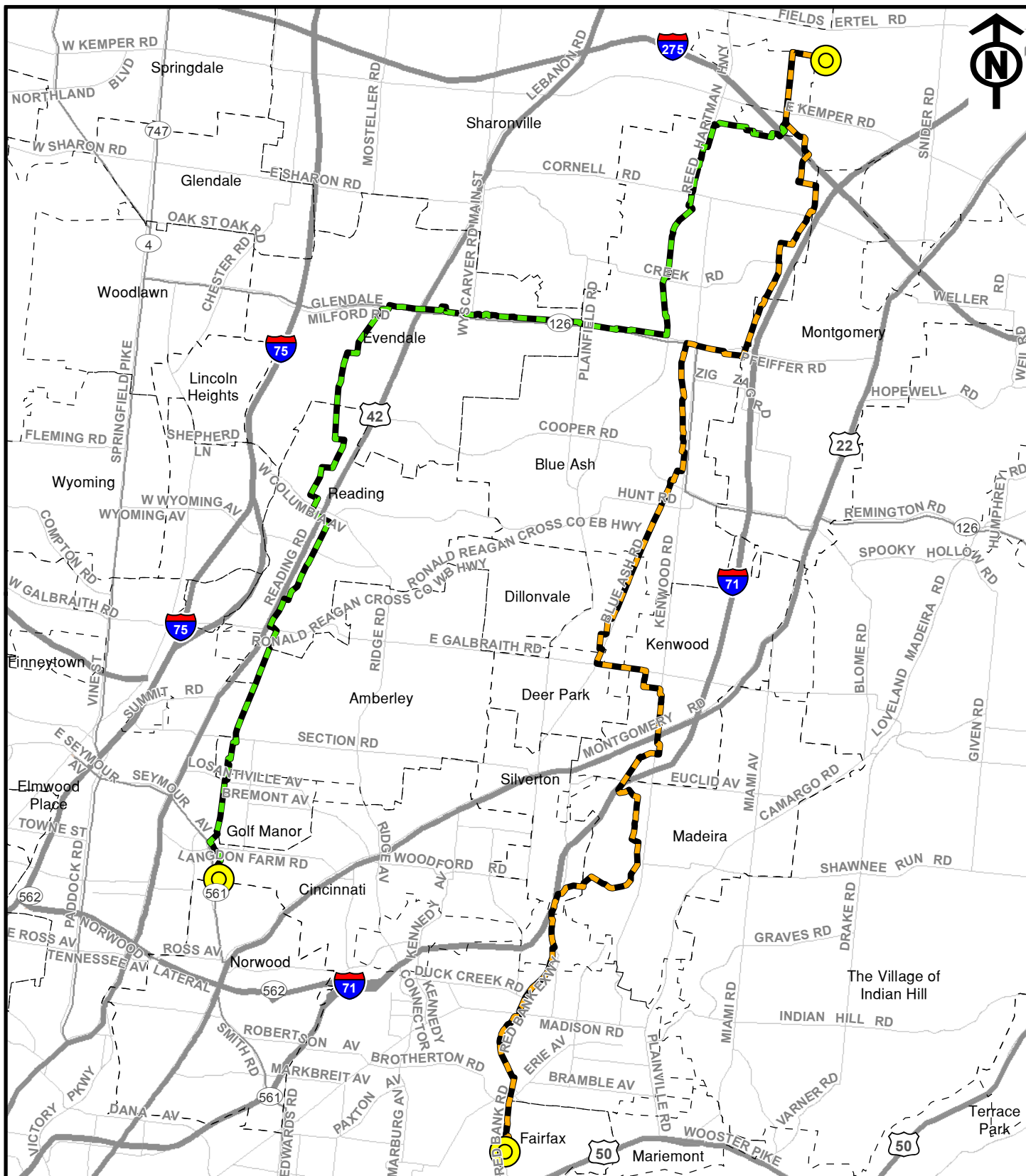
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local news

911 calls released in Muslim’s alleged assault

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Newly released 911 calls and police reports shed more light on the alleged assault of a Muslim woman in Columbus, but many questions still remain. Earlier this week, pictures of an injured Rahma Warsame began circling on social media, with the claim made that she had been the victim of a hate crime. However, police evidence suggests Warsame’s injuries were the result of a bigger conflict, with conflicting stories.

According to 911 records, Samantha Morales, a resident of 2800 Pinellas Court, called Columbus police Saturday evening complaining about an “African woman” threatening her outside her home. Morales told dispatchers she had seen the woman hitting her son with a shoe earlier, and the woman was accusing Morales of kidnapping him.

Another 911 call came in soon after from Muna Warsame, who claimed a “white family ... kidnapped my oldest son,” and that a white man had punched her in the face. It is not known if the two Warsame women are related.

Muna Warsame can be heard threatening someone with what is described as a Taser. As the dispatcher advises Muna Warsame to walk away, the woman can be heard saying, “This guy tried to punch me. ... I have a Taser to protect myself.”

Indistinct arguing followed by screaming can be heard before the call drops.

Soon after, a call came in from a man named Ricky Boice, who said he is Morales’ boyfriend. He told dispatchers she had been attacked with a taser by a Somali woman.

911 dispatchers also received calls from nearby residents who said they had seen people in the parking lot fighting, people on the ground, and someone shooting something.

The final call came from a young boy asking for help for his mother, Rahma Warsame. “For some reason, my mom’s bleeding out of the mouth, something horrible must’ve happened,” he tells the dispatcher.

When police arrived, officers found Morales face down in the doorway and Rahma Warsame nearby, bleeding from the mouth.

A Columbus police spokesperson said conflicting statements from those involved made officers unable to identity the primary aggressor. The police report lists Morales, Boice, Muna Warsame and Rahma Warsame as people of interest. Two items, a kitchen knife and a Taser, are also listed in the report as property of

Muna Warsame. Columbus police confirmed that Muna Warsame did use the Taser on Morales.

On Sunday, Morales and Boice filed a menacing report with police.

In a statement Monday, police said they found no reason to investigate the incident as a hate crime. However, the Columbus branch of the Council on American-Islamic Relations, which is representing Rahma, insists the attack was racially motivated.

Columbus police said no one was charged in the incident and that the case has been referred to the city prosecutor’s office.

Former NKY judge Nolan facing additional six felony human trafficking charges

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The sex crime charges keep piling up against Tim Nolan.

Attorney General Andy Beshear announced this week he’s charged the former district court judge with six more felony human trafficking charges, including one involving a person under the age of 18.

This is in addition to the six human trafficking counts a Campbell County grand jury indicted Nolan on in May.

The total number of victims involved is now 12, including two juveniles, according to Beshear.

The details of Nolan’s crimes

haven’t become public, with police releasing very little information.

Beshear, in a press release, defined the human trafficking charges as prostitution. The attorney general said the crimes occurred between 2010 and May 2017.

Nolan and his attorney, Margo Grubbs, in a recent hearing, maintained his client’s innocence.

Nolan, as of late Tuesday afternoon, remained in Campbell County Detention Center under a \$750,000 cash bond.

He faces more than 100 years in prison if convicted on all counts.

Nolan was a district judge in Campbell County in the 1970s and 1980s and was involved in politics.

SECOND NOTICE OF PUBLIC INFORMATION
MEETINGS FOR PROPOSED MAJOR UTILITY FACILITY

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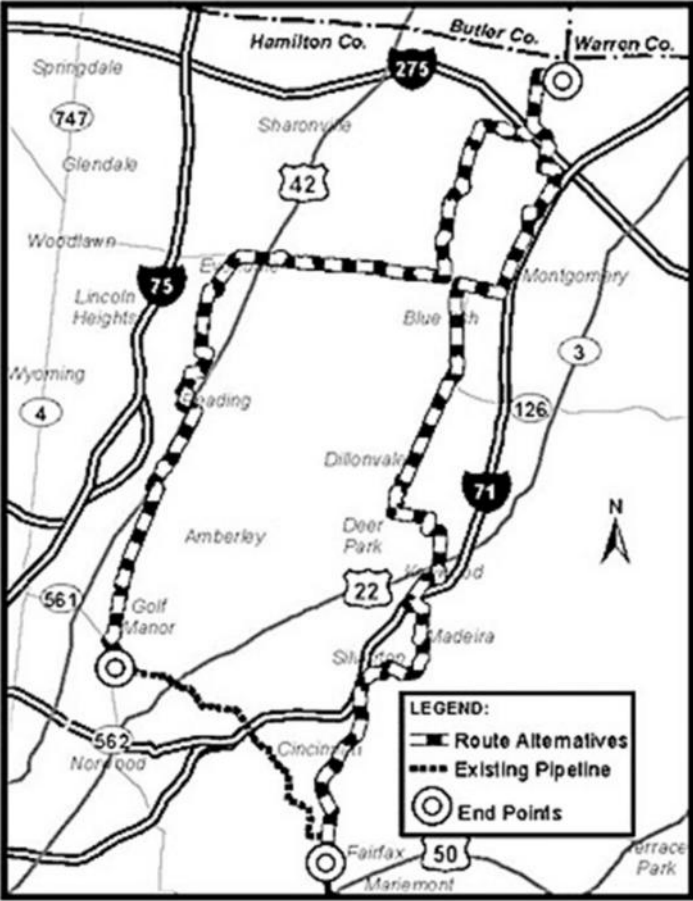
Duke Energy Ohio, Inc., (Duke Energy Ohio) proposes to improve the natural gas system in southwestern Ohio by installing a buried, 20-inch natural gas pipeline, having a length of approximately 12-14 miles, that will run from an existing gas main near the intersection of Butler, Warren, and Hamilton counties. The purpose of the Duke Energy Ohio C314-V Central Corridor Pipeline Extension Project (Project) is to increase the reliability and dependability of the natural gas delivery system in central Cincinnati. The Project consists of the current extension of a pipeline that was completed in 2003 that provided natural gas from cross-country pipelines to northern Hamilton County.

Duke Energy Ohio has filed an Application with the Ohio Power Siting Board (Board), under Case No. 16-253-GA-BTX. This number should be included in all communications with respect to the Project. The Application to construct, operate, and maintain this facility is now pending before the Board.

The Board is responsible for reviewing information related to this Project – including input from the public – and determining whether the proposed Project should be approved. There are 2 proposed route corridors at this time, as shown on the accompanying map. The Board will make the final decision regarding route selection. It should be noted that, due to reduced scale and limited detail, this map should be used only as a general guide.

If the application is approved, construction of the Project would begin in 2018 and be complete by the winter of 2019/2020. Construction on each property typically takes between three to six weeks, but may vary greatly depending on the size of the lot and other factors.

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Summary: Proof of Pub Mailings and Newspaper Proof of Publication electronically filed by Ms. Emily Olive on behalf of Duke Energy Ohio and Spiller, Amy B. Ms. and Kingery, Jeanne W. Ms.