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Barcy F. McNeal Administration/Docketing Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215

Re: OPSB Case No. 17-2497-GA-BLN

In the Matter of the Letter of Notification by Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc. for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Willard Lateral Pipeline Replacement Project.

Dear Ms. McNeal:

Pursuant to Ohio Admin. Code 4906-6-07(B), Columbia Gas of Ohio, Inc. ("Columbia") hereby provides proof of compliance with Ohio Admin. Code 4906-6-07. Pursuant to Ohio Admin. Code 4906-6-07(A)(1), on December 21, 2017, Columbia served a copy of the Letter of Notification to Richland County and Huron County public officials and public agencies concerning the proposed facility. The list of public officials and public agencies served can be found on pages 6 - 8 of the Letter of Notification. Pursuant to Ohio Admin. Code 4906-6-07(A)(2), Columbia has placed a copy of the Letter of Notification at the Mansfield/Richland County Public Library in Mansfield and the Huron County Community Library in Willard. Finally, pursuant to Ohio Admin. Code 4906-6-07(A)(3), Columbia has placed and will maintain on its website information on how to request a paper copy of the Letter of Notification. Columbia has also added a link on its website to an electronic copy of the Letter of Notification.

Please contact me directly with any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ Joseph M. Clark

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