

M. Beth Trombold, Interim Chair
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 53215

Re: Duke Energy's Central Corridor Pipeline

Dear Ms. Trombold:

I am a resident of Evendale, Ohio, a retired public school teacher and currently work at the Children's Dyslexia Center of Cincinnati in Norwood, Ohio. This letter is in opposition to Duke's intent to uproot roads and businesses in northern Hamilton County.

As newly appointed public servants on the Ohio Siting Board, it is my humble hope that you will approach this responsibility with thought and respect for human life.

These are my reasons for opposing this misguided project:

1. Duke has no experience routing high pressurized pipelines through densely populated areas.
2. Declining population in our area does not support an additional need for natural gas.
3. Since the pipeline extends farther south and beyond Ohio, we know this supply is not intended for the citizens it will impact, both safety wise or economically.
4. Each route goes through neighborhoods and businesses which stand to lose both home equity and customer base during and after construction. Some pending sales are already on hold due to buyers wary of living near a potentially dangerous pipeline.
5. Soil in Cincinnati is greatly impacted by the numerous rains and is vulnerable to frequent landslides. A sinkhole just opened up in a cemetery right near the yellow site.
6. Each proposed path is near active railroad lines which see activity every day.
7. The orange route is next to Jewish Hospital, a large health facility that is an anchor in Kenwood. Directly across from the hospital is Cincinnati's only thriving shopping mall which attracts lots of shoppers.

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Dear Ms. M. Beth Trombold, PUCO Chair,

I cannot begin to tell you how very shocked I am that NO PERSON from the OPSB could be bothered to attend the Open Public Hearing on Thursday, March 21, at the University of Cincinnati Blue Ash Campus. This was the only chance we had for you to see us as real live people. We feel we have valid concerns, which we would like the OPSB to consider. The Duke Corp. has multiple times to face you personally. Am I to assume people have no value, only corporations do? I was under the impression your job is to make sure everyone is treated fairly and no one, neither person nor corporation, is give undue consideration.

Do your job!!! Please request an objective assessment of the proposed pipeline with concern for human safety.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Justin Feldman".

Ann Feldman
Justin and Ann Feldman
1415 Market Street
Reading, Ohio 45215

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I am opposed to the current routing of the Duke Central Corridor Pipeline. My home is at 108 Columbia Ave., about 150 feet from the pipeline route on Market Street. I have lived in Reading my entire life and have many friends and relatives in our proud little city. I am not a person inclined to speak out and tend to rely on our government to keep her citizens safe from things like this pipeline. I did not choose to testify, but I was at the March 23, 2019 OPSB Hearing and felt shame that not one of the OPSB Board Members bothered to be there. What you have all done here goes against everything I have believed our government stands for. The People!!!! I cannot believe a corporation has so much power that it can push back the government's only true agenda, to protect her people!

Going back to my friends and relatives. They are all opposed to this pipeline. Why don't you care about us? Are we expendable because we aren't rich???? Does our opinion and feelings not matter???? Please, please, please,,,,,,

I hope you at least read this,

Dale Morgan

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