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August 26, 2019

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RE: In the Matter of the Letter of Notification for the Adjustment to Gristmill-Gemini 138 kV Transmission Line Project in Case No 19-1489-EL-BLN Proof of Compliance with O.A.C. 4906-6-07 and 4906-6-08

Chairman Sam Randazzo:

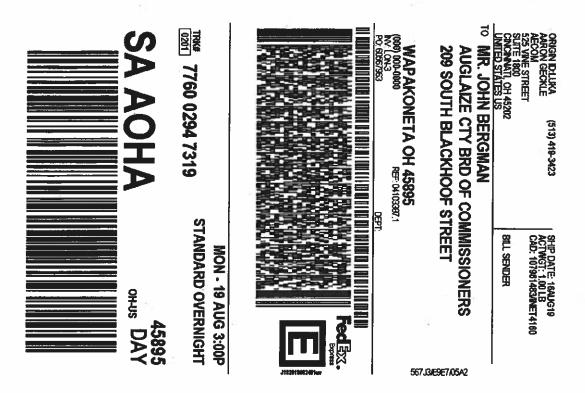
AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. hereby files this proof of compliance with the notice requirements set forth in Rules 4906-6-07 and 4906-6-08 of the Ohio Administrative Code for the above-referenced project applications:

- 1. In accordance with O.A.C. 4906-6-07(A)(1), AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. served a copy of the Letter of Notification to each required chief executive officer or public agency head on August 16, 2019.
- 2. In accordance with O.A.C. 4906-6-07(A)(2), AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc., served a copy of the Letter of Notification to the main public libraries on August 16, 2019.
- 3. In accordance with O.A.C. 4906-6-07(A)(3), AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. maintains information on the website for each project as to how to request a copy of the Letter of Notification.
- 4. In accordance with O.A.C. 4906-6-08(A), AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. published public notices of the Letter of Notification in newspapers of general circulation in the project's area on August 20, 2019.
- 5. In accordance with O.A.C. 4906-6-08(B), AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. mailed a letter describing the project to each property owner and affected tenant via first class mail on August 16, 2019. The letter met all the requirements of this rule.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Christen Blend Tanner Wolffram (0097789) Christen Blend (0086881) Counsel for AEP Ohio Transmission Company

cc: Jon Pawley



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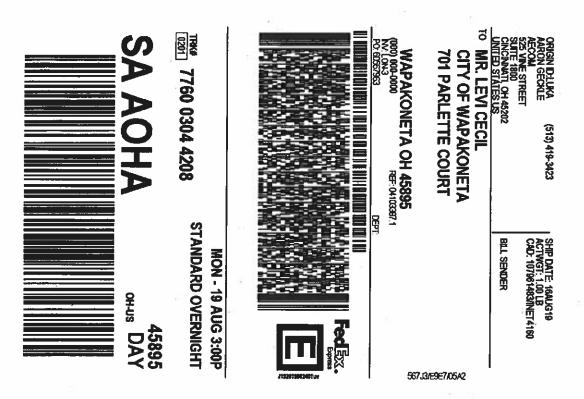
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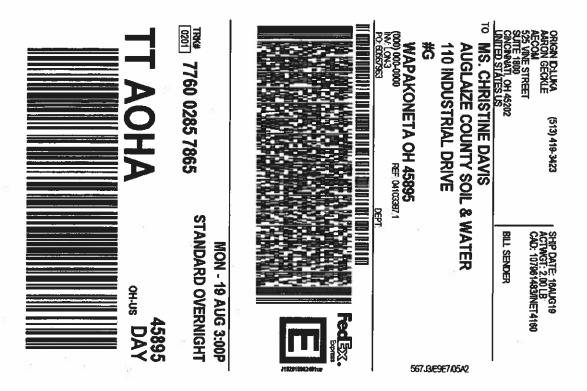
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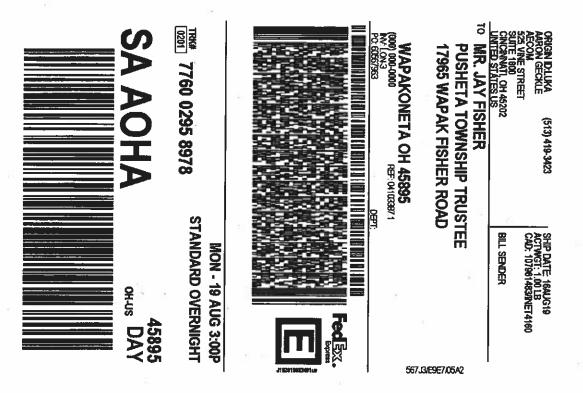


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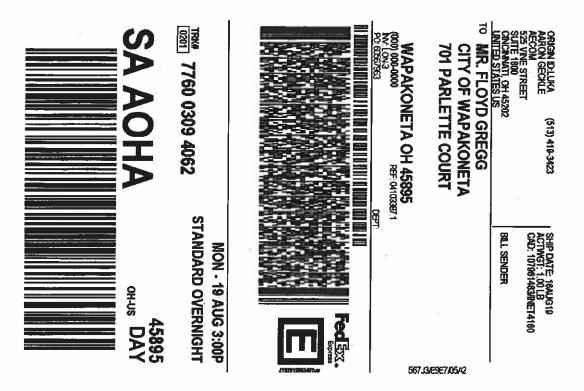


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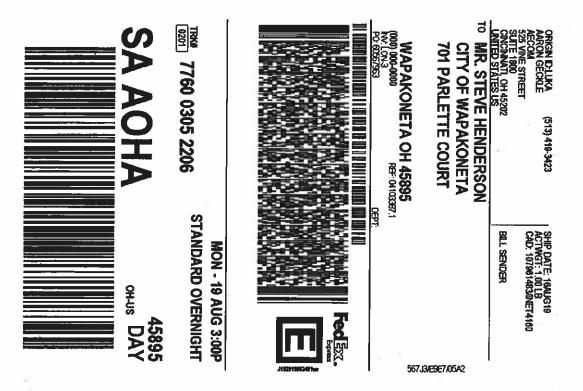


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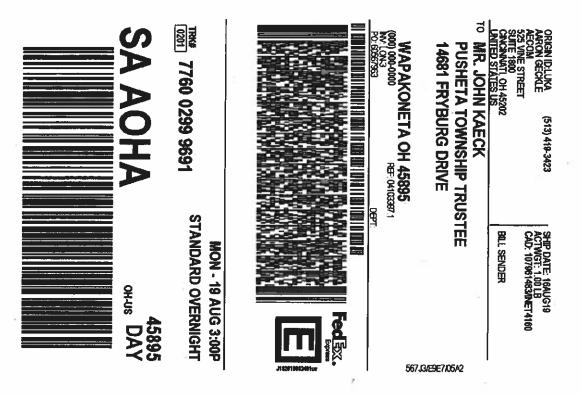


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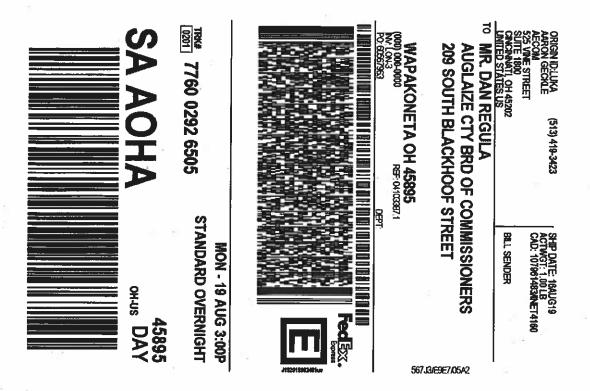
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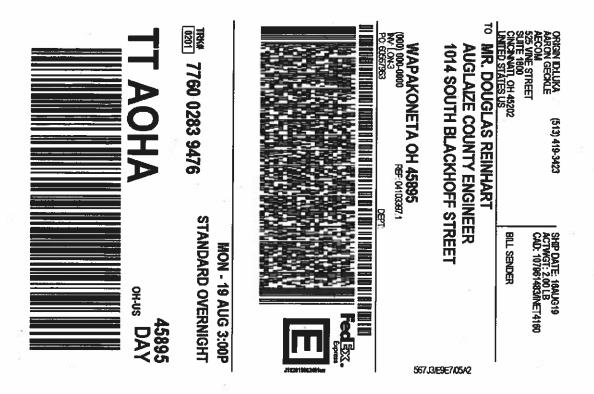
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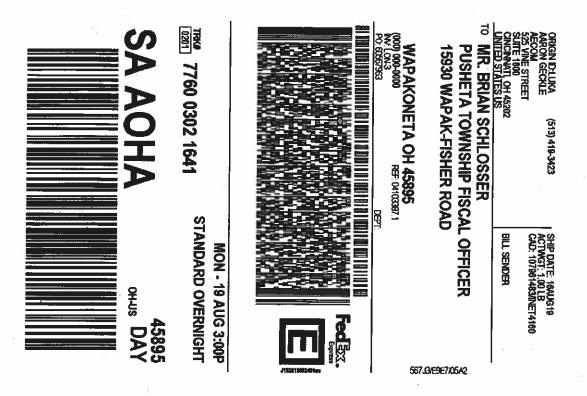


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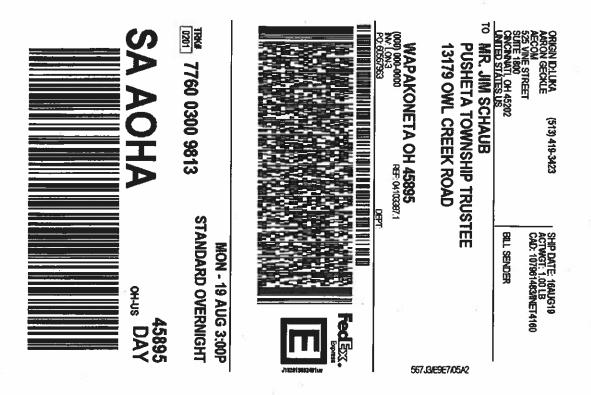
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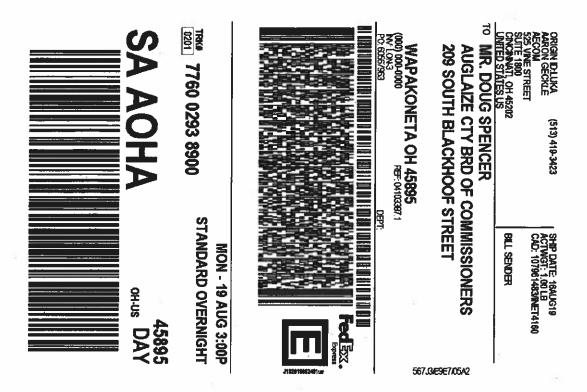
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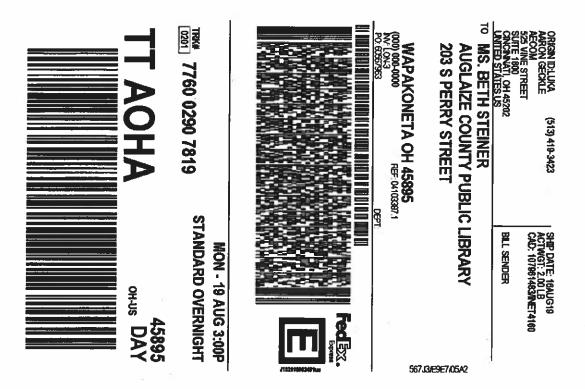


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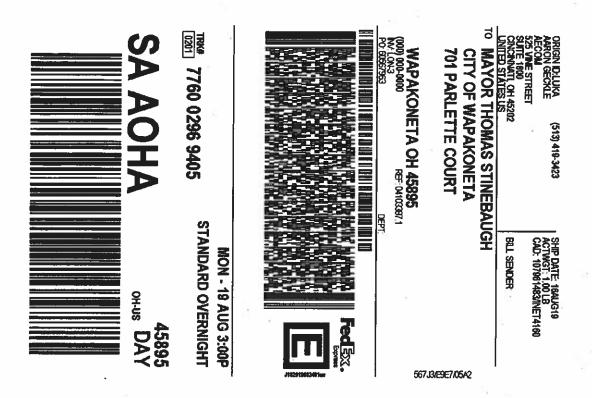
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Proof of Publication

I, Joshua Park, do herby attest that the AEP Legal Notices did appear in the following newspaper(s) as ordered:

Wapakoneta, Daily News

8/20/19

Joshua Park Date

State of Ohio **County of Franklin**

On this day, the D day of August, 2019 before me, Patricia A. Conkle, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared Walter Dozier, proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name was subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged that he executed it.

Witness my hand and official seal.

Conkle Notary Public

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PATRICIA A. CONKLE Notary Public, State of Ohio My Commission Expires 08-17-24

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Wapakoneta keeper Trey Ware made a save on a Kalida shot a few minutes later to keep the margin at one goal.

With just under 23 minutes to go, Wapakoneta had a pair of shots from in close, but both were stopped.

Kalida held the advantage for the next several minutes. With 10 minutes to play, Wapakoneta Was awarded a direct kick Senior AJ Schulte's effort was deflected over the crossbar.

A final scoring chance came with about two and a half minutes left as Collin Lenhart's try went high.

Game Notes The junior varsity

game was 20 minutes in length.



Graham Kneer of Wapakoneta, right, battles Kalida's Evan Graham Rater or requiring Monday's game. Roeble for control during Monday's game. Phroby into Avia

Due to the very will be off until next warm and muggy Monday when they conditions, players host Jackson Center. were given water There will be one half breaks at the midway of JV play starting at 5 point of each half. p.m., followed by the

Wapakoneta (1-1)

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and C.J. Saunders, running back J.K. Dobbins, and defen-One of the biggest challenges of the preseason for Day is trying to line up a tailsive linemen Chase Young and Jonathan back to spell Dobbins, who is expected to "I never really visushoulder most of the shoulder much of the load if he stays healthy. Demario McCall, good camp," Day said Demario "I think there's a alized (becoming a captain) like I did other things," acknowledged Young, a junior who with a big season could be a first-round Day said Monday. has a leg up." NFL draft pick next spring. "But when I

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ADJUSTMENT TO GRISTMILL – GEMINI 138-KV TRANSMISSION LINE PROJECT

AEP Ohio has proposed minor changes to an upcoming electric transmission project in Auglaize County, Ohio. The company announced the Wapakoneta Area Improvements Project, also known as the Gristmiti-Gemini Transmission Line Project, just over a year ago. The project involves building approximately 15 miles of 139-kilwolt (KV) transmission line, building two electrical substations and expanding an existing substation. Community members and landowners provided input about the project at an open house in July 2018. After reviewing public input, the company announced a proposed route for the power line between Gristmali and Gemini substations.

We filed the proposed route, Case No. 19-0043-BL-BLN, with the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) in January and received approval InoA or

As the project continues to develop, AEP Ohio has recommended. minor adjustments to the approved power line route.

AEP Ohio Transmission Co., Inc., a subsidiary of AEP Ohio, filed the updated power line route with the OPSB as the Adjustment to Gristmill-Gemmi 138-kV Transmission Line Project, Case No. 19-1489-EL-BLN. The Letter of Natification to construct, operate and maintain this facility awats review by the OPSB

The project supports economic development and improves electric reliability in the area. The company expects to begin construction this fatil, following OPSB approval

The DPSB accepts motions to intervene in the Letter of Notification up to 10 days following the publication date of this notice. The requirements to intervene are available in Rule 4906-2-12 of the Ohio Administrative Code: Please address motions to Ohio Power Sking Board, 180 E. Broad St., Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3793 and cte Case No. 19-1489-EL-BUN

The accompanying map shows the project area. Please use this map only as a general guide due to its reduced scale and limited detail. Copies of the actual Letter of Notification, including specific details about the location and construction, are available for public inspection at the following locations

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Electronic versions of the Letter of Notification are available at http://www.aeptransmission.com/chio/ and at the OPSB website at http://cpsb.chio.gov. Search under current cases for Case No. 19-1489-EL-BLN

The following local only and county government officials have been served with a copy of the application as required by OPSB regulations. Augulate County Board of Commissioner, Mr. Don Regula Pusheta Township Board of Trustees, Mr. Jay Fisher

Augtaize County Board of Commissioner, Mr. Douglas Spencer Auglaize County Board of Commissioner, Mr. John Bergman Augtaize County Engineer, Hr. Dougtas Renhart

Auglaize County Soil & Water Conservation District, Program Administrator

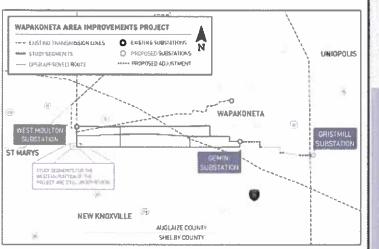
If you are a local bity or county government official and would like an electronic or hard copy of the Letter of Notification, please contact Joe Demaree at the information listed below

To ask a question on make a comment about the project, please call (380) 205-5066 or send an ismail inquiny to Judemaree@aep.com. Mail inquinies can go to the following address

AEP Ohio

Attention Joe Demaree 8600 Smiths Mill Road

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Pusheta Township Board of Trustees, Mr. John Kaeck Pusheta Township Board of Trustees, Mr. Jim Schaula City of Wapakoneta, Mayor Thomas Striebaugh City of Wapakoneta, Councilman Steve Henderson

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ATTN: IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR PROPERTY

«Owner_Name» «ADDRESS» «CITY», «STATE» «ZIP»

RE: Letter of Notification Wapakoneta Area Improvements Project (Gristmill-Gemini Transmission Line Project) Filed as Adjustment to Gristmill - Gemini 138-kV Transmission Line Project Case No. 19-1489-EL-BLN

Dear Neighbor,

You're receiving this letter because public records show you own property or live in the area where AEP Ohio plans to upgrade the local power grid. I'm writing to provide an update on the Wapakoneta Area Improvements Project.

We announced the project, also known as the Gristmill-Gemini Transmission Line Project, just over a year ago. The project involves building approximately 15 miles of 138-kilivolt (kV) transmission line, building two electrical substations and expanding an existing substation. Community members and landowners provided input about the project at an open house in July 2018. After reviewing public input, the company announced a proposed route for the power line between Gristmill and Gemini substations.

We filed the proposed power line route, Case No. 19-0043-EL-BLN, with the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) in January and received approval in April.

As the project continues to develop we are now proposing minor adjustments to the approved power line route between Gristmill and Gemini substations, and are filing a new Letter of Notification with the OPSB to reflect the requested changes.

We have filed the updated route with the OPSB as the Adjustment to Gristmill-Gemini 138-kV Transmission Line Project, Case No. 19-1489-EL-BLN. Please see Page 3 of this document for key regulatory information associated with this project.

The project supports economic development and improves electric reliability in the area. We expect to begin construction this fall, following OPSB approval.

You're encouraged to comment on this regulatory update by:

- Calling me at (380) 205-5046
- Sending an email to jkdemaree@aep.com
- Sending your comments directly to the OPSB at 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3793. You may also contact the OPSB at (866) 270-6772 or contactopsb@puc.state.oh.us. (Note: You can file petitions to intervene in the OPSB process to the siting board up to 10 days following the public notice announcing the project).

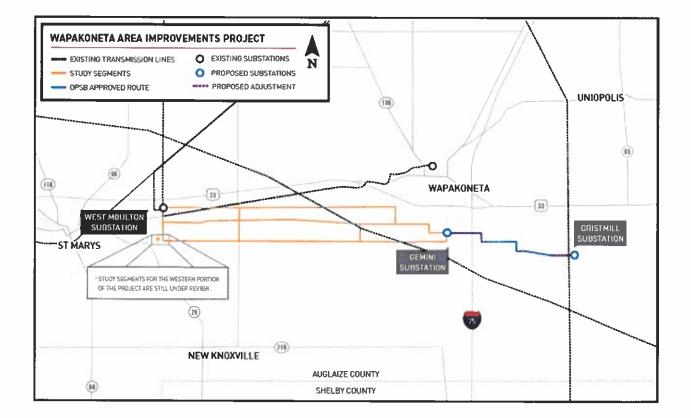
The map below shows the project area. Please use this map only as a general guide due to its reduced scale and limited detail.

Thank you for your continued support during construction of this project. Please contact me if you have general questions or would like to comment on the regulatory filing.

Sincerely,

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Joe Demaree Project Outreach Specialist AEP Ohio





Adjustment to Gristmill – Gemini 138-kV Transmission Line Project Regulatory Information Q&A

Representatives of AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc., have prepared and filed a Letter of Notification to the State of Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) for this proposed project. We must complete this filing when we make certain changes to our transmission facilities, according to Rule 4906-6-01, et. seq., of the Ohio Administrative Code.

What is the name and docket number for this project filing?

We're filing this project with the OPSB as the Adjustment to Gristmill - Gemini 138-kV Transmission Line Project, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Case No. 19-1489-EL-BLN.

What happens now that the letter has been filed?

The Letter of Notification to construct, operate and maintain this facility awaits review by the OPSB.

Where can I find physical copies of the Letter of Notification?

Copies of the actual Letter of Notification, including specific details about the location and construction, are available for public inspection at the following locations:

- Auglaize County Public Library, 203 South Perry Street, Wapakoneta, Ohio 45895
- Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3793 (866) 270-6772 <u>contactopsb@puc.state.oh.us</u>

Where can I find electronic copies of the Letter of Notification?

Electronic versions of the Letter of Notification are available at <u>http://www.aeptransmission.com/ohio/</u> and at the OPSB website at <u>http://opsb.ohio.gov</u>. Search under current cases for Case No. 19-1489-EL-BLN.



AEP Ohio 8600 Smiths Mill Road New Albany, OH 43054

August 26, 2019

INFORMATION ABOUT A POWER LINE PROJECT NEAR YOU

«OFFICE» «ATTENTION» «ADDRESS» «CITY», «STATE» «ZIP»

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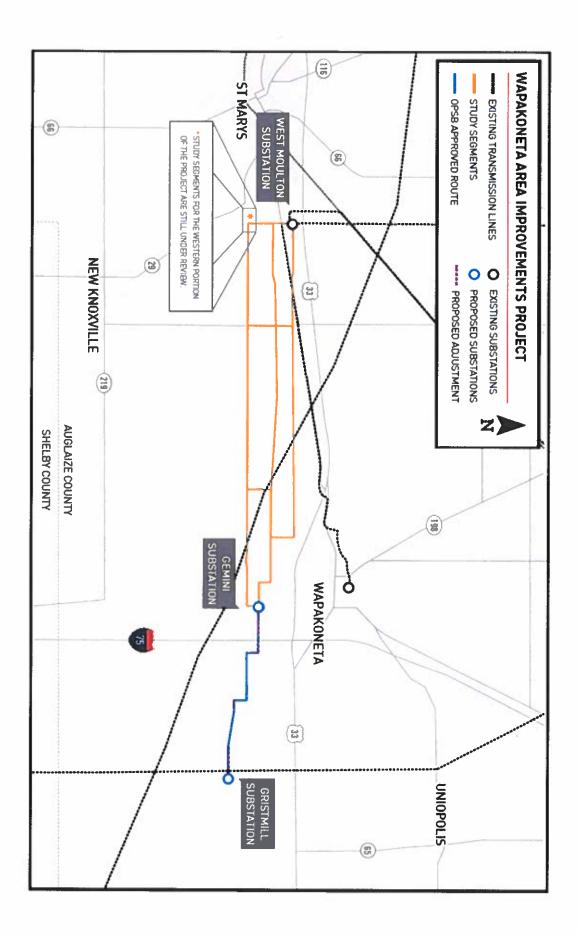
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Sincerely,

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Joe Demaree Project Outreach Specialist AEP Ohio



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Summary: Letter of Notification Proof of Compliance Letter for the Adjustment to Gristmill-Gemini 138 kV Transmission Line Project and the associated exhibits electronically filed by Tanner Wolffram on behalf of AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc.