



The Dayton Power and Light Company
1900 Dryden Road
Dayton, Ohio 45439

September 11, 2019

Chairman Sam Randazzo
Ohio Power Siting Board
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

**RE: In the Matter of the Standard Application of The Dayton Power and Light Company for a
Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the West Milton-Eldean 138kV
Line Project
PUCO Case No. 18-1259-EL-BTX
Proof of Compliance with Ohio Administrative Code 4906-3-09(A)(2) – Second Public Notice**

Dear Chairman Randazzo,

Pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code (“OAC”) 4906-3-10(B), The Dayton Power and Light Company (“DP&L”) hereby files this proof of compliance with the second public notice requirements set forth in OAC Rule 4906-3-9(A)(2) for the above-referenced project application.

1. In accordance with OAC 4906-3-09(A)(2), DP&L mailed out written notices on September 6, 2019 to the affected landowners who received the initial notice.
2. In accordance with OAC 4906-3-09(A)(2), DP&L published the second written notice on September 7 and 8, 2019, in newspapers of general circulation in those municipal corporations and counties in which the chief executive received service of a copy of the application pursuant to OAC 4906-3-07.
3. The content of the second public notices complied with all requirements of OAC 4906-3-09(A)(2).

Below is a list of the officials and libraries that were provided the attached materials.

- Milton-Union Public Library
- Troy-Miami County Public Library
- Mayor of City of Troy
- City Council President of City of Troy
- City Council Wards of City of Troy
- City Council At-larges of City of Troy
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- Municipal Manager of the Village of West Milton
- Councilmen of the Village of West Milton
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- Commissioners of Miami County Board of Commissioners
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- Fiscal Officer of Concord Township



- Trustees of Union Township

As noted above, the materials were also mailed out to each of the landowners whose land is crossed or adjacent to the proposed preferred or alternative routes. Each of these landowners were also sent the initial notice.

Respectfully submitted,

Randall V. Griffin

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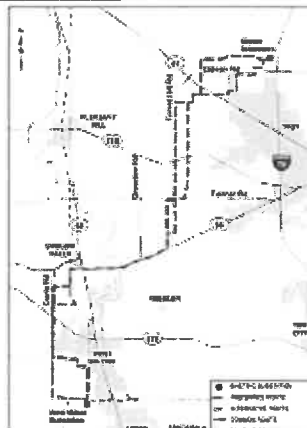
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Information is also available at the project's website at <https://www.dpandl.com/about-dpl/who-we-are/system-improvements/west-milton/>.



American Airlines mechanic accused of sabotaging flight

MIAMI (AP) — An American Airlines mechanic appeared in court Friday on charges of sabotaging a flight because he was upset about stalled union contract negotiations and wanted to earn overtime fixing the plane.

Federal officials say Abdul-Majeed Marouf Ahmed Alani admitted to tampering with a part that provides vital flight information to pilots.

Pilots aborted the July 17 flight before takeoff in Miami. Alani was arrested Thursday and charged with willfully damaging or disabling an aircraft. The 60-year-old had worked for American since 1988 but was suspended after his arrest.

In federal district court, Alani spoke to Magistrate Judge John O’Sullivan through an Arabic interpreter. Mostly, he answered basic questions about his assets and whether he could afford a lawyer. The judge appointed a public defender and scheduled a bond hearing for next Wednesday and an arraignment hearing on Sept. 20.

Nothing in the criminal complaint against Alani suggests any link to terrorism, and prosecutors did not indicate that any such charges are pending.

When interviewed Thursday by investigators, “Alani stated that his intention was not to cause harm to the aircraft or its passengers,” according to the affidavit by Jose A. Ruiz, a federal air marshal who serves

on an FBI terrorism task force.

Alani explained that stalled contract negotiations between American Airlines and the mechanics’ unions were hurting him financially — he said in court that he has two cars but few other assets besides property in the Sarasota, Florida, area worth about \$5,500.

Alani said he tampered with the plane “to cause a delay or have the flight cancelled in anticipation of obtaining overtime work,” Ruiz wrote.

The incident occurred before an American Airlines Boeing 737 was scheduled to fly from Miami to Nassau in the Bahamas with 150 people on board. As the pilots powered up the plane at Miami International Airport, they saw an error message for a system that tracks speed, nose direction and other critical flight information and aborted the takeoff.

When mechanics examined the plane, they found a piece of foam glued inside a navigation system part called an air data module. Video from an American Airlines surveillance camera captured a person who drove up to the plane, got out and spent seven minutes working around the compartment under the cockpit that contains the navigation system, according to the affidavit.

The person was later identified by co-workers as Alani, in part by his distinctive limp, the affidavit said.

Floodwaters trap people in attics

By Jeffrey Collins and Ben Finley
Associated Press

ATLANTIC BEACH, N.C. — A weakened Hurricane Dorian flooded homes on North Carolina’s Outer Banks on Friday with a fury that took even storm-hardened residents by surprise, forcing people to climb into their attics. Hundreds were feared trapped by high water, and neighbors used boats to rescue one another.

Medics and other rescuers rushed to Ocracoke Island — accessible only by boat or air — to reach those who made the mistake of defying mandatory evacuation orders along the 200-mile ribbon of low-lying islands.

“We are flooding like crazy,” Ocracoke Island bookshop owner Leslie Lanier texted. “I have been here 32 years and not seen this.”

Its winds down to 90 mph, Dorian howled over the Outer Banks as a far weaker storm than the brute that wreaked havoc on the Bahamas at the start of the week. Just when it looked as if its run up the Southeast coast was coming to a relatively quiet end, the Category 1 hurricane sent seawater surging over neighborhoods, flooding the first floors of many homes, even ones on stilts.

“There is significant concern about hundreds of people trapped on Ocracoke Island,” Gov. Roy Cooper said.

Over and over, long-time residents said that



Tom Copeland | AP
Beaufort Police Officer Curtis Resor, left, and Sgt. Micheal Stephens check a sailboat for occupants in Beaufort, N.C., after Hurricane Dorian passed the North Carolina coast on Friday and flooded homes in the low-lying Outer Banks, where hundreds were feared trapped by high water.

they had never seen flooding so bad, and that places in their homes that had never flooded before were inundated.

“We were all on social media laughing about how we’d done well and there was really no flooding at all, just rain, typical rain,” Steve Harris, who has lived on Ocracoke Island for most of the last 19 years. And then, “the wall of water just came rushing through the island.”

“It just started looking like a bathtub, very quickly,” said Harris, who was safe in his third-floor condo. “We went from almost no water to 4 to 6 feet in a matter of minutes.”

The Coast Guard began landing local law enforcement officers on the island via helicopter and airlifting out the sick, the elderly or others in distress, Hyde County authorities said. National Guard helicopters also flew supplies and a rescue team in. Residents were told to get to the highest point in their homes in the meantime.

“Several people were rescued from their upper floors or attics by boat by good Samaritans,” Ocracoke Island restaurant owner Jason Wells said in a text message.

In Buxton on Hatteras Island, close to where Dorian blew ashore, Radio Hatteras volunteer Mary Helen Goodloe-Murphy said that people were calling in to report that “houses are shaking like crazy” and that “it’s never been like this before.”

By evening, the governor said that officials were aware of no serious injuries on the Outer Banks from the storm. One 79-year-old man was airlifted from Ocracoke Island because of a pre-existing condition, authorities said.

“The hurricane has left behind destruction where storm surge inundated Ocracoke Island,” Cooper said. “Currently the island has no electricity and many homes and buildings are still underwater.”

Around midmorning, the eye of the storm came ashore at Cape Hatteras, Dorian’s first landfall in the continental U.S. after a week and a half in which it spread fear up and down the coast and kept people guessing as to where it would go.

By late afternoon, Dorian had peeled off the coastline and was finally making its exit out to sea. It is expected to remain a hurricane as it sweeps up the Eastern Seaboard through Saturday, veering far enough offshore that its hurricane-force winds are unlikely to pose any threat to land in the U.S.

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Or,
westmiltoneldeanteam@aes.com

Or,
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Information is also available at the project’s website at <https://www.dpandl.com/about-dpl/who-we-are/system-improvements/west-milton/>.



The Dayton Power and Light Company
1900 Dryden Road
Dayton, Ohio 45439

September 6, 2019

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<<ATTENTION>>
<<ADDRESS>>
<<CITY>>, <<STATE>> <<ZIP>>

Re: **Second Notice of Local Public Hearing for a Proposed Major Utility Facility**
The Dayton Power and Light Company
West Milton-Eldean 138kV Transmission Line Project
Ohio Power Siting Board Case Number 18-1259-EL-BTX

Dear <<NAME>>:

You are receiving this letter because a transmission line project is proposed for your area. We wanted to inform you that a local public hearing has been scheduled for the proposed West Milton-Eldean 138 kV Transmission Line Project in Miami County, Ohio (OH).

The details on the upcoming public hearing are listed below.

| Event | Date/Time | Location |
|----------------------|---|--|
| Local public hearing | Tuesday September 17, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. | Hobart Arena Bravo Room 255 Adams Street Troy, Ohio 45373 |

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An evidentiary hearing will follow the local public hearing. See the details below:

| Event | Date/Time | Location |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| Evidentiary hearing | Tuesday October 1, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. | Offices of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Hearing Room 11-D 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793 |

The evidentiary hearing is open to the public, but participation is limited to the parties in the case.

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Village of West Milton and City of Troy, and unincorporated Union and Concord Townships, Miami County, Ohio.

Specifically, the proposed line will maintain adequate transmission system voltages in the northwest area of the DP&L transmission system under various outage conditions, complying with mandatory Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC)/ North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) reliability standards. Initial estimates show this is an approximately \$13 million investment. With the current timeline, we anticipate completion of this project in the summer of 2022.

The accompanying map shows the project area.

DP&L filed its application for this project with the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) under Case No. 18-1259-EL-BTX. The application to construct, operate, and maintain this facility is pending before the OPSB.

Petitions to intervene in the evidentiary hearing are due not later than September 3, 2019. However, the Board strongly encourages interested persons who wish to intervene in the evidentiary hearing to file their petitions as soon as possible. Petitions should be addressed to Docketing Division, the Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793 and cite the above-listed case number.

Copies of the Application, including specific details about the location and construction of the project, are available for public inspection at the:

- Milton-Union Public Library – 560 South Main Street, West Milton, OH 45382
- Troy-Miami County Public Library – 419 West Main Street, Troy, OH 45373
- OPSB's website at <http://opsb.ohio.gov>. Search under current cases for Case No. 18-1259-EL-BTX.
- OPSB's mailing address and telephone number – The Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215 1-866-270-6772
- Instructions for electronic or hard copy versions of the Application can be found at <https://www.dpandl.com/About-DPL/Reliability/Transmission-Improvements/West-Milton-to-Eldean-Transmission-Line/>

The following local city and county government officials have been served with a copy of the application as required by OPSB regulations:

- Mayor of City of Troy
- City Council President of City of Troy
- City Council Wards of City of Troy
- City Council At-larges of City of Troy
- Mayor of the Village of West Milton
- Municipal Manager of the Village of West Milton
- Councilmen of the Village of West Milton
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- Chairwoman, Council of the Village of West Milton
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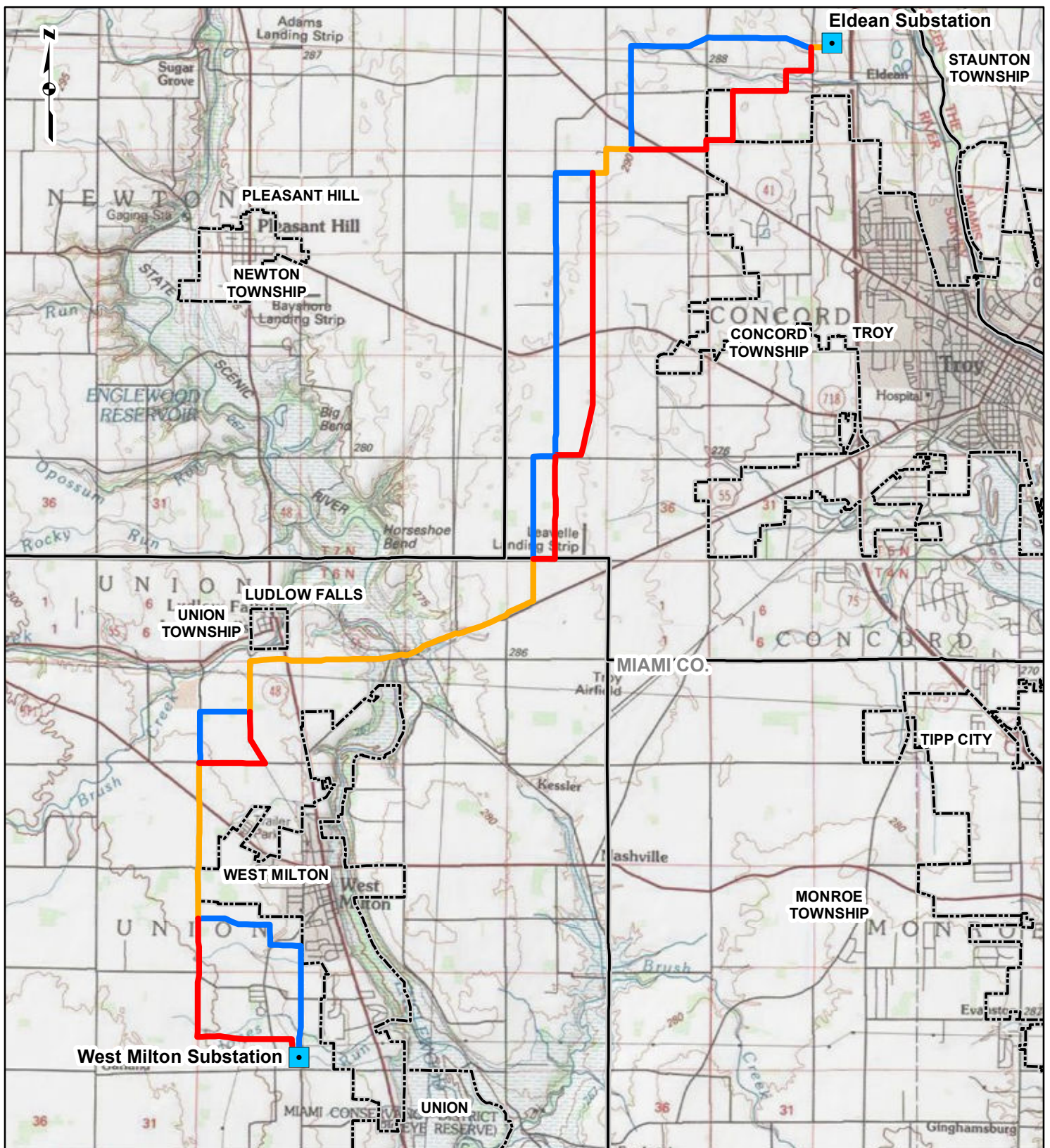
This is the second notice mailed about this project's hearing dates. We mailed the initial notice to you on July 24, 2019.

To contact DP&L about the project or request an electronic copy of the application, please leave a message at 937-331-4314 or email westmiltoneldeanteam@aes.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kathryn N. Storm", is written over the word "Sincerely,".

Kathryn N. Storm
Director T&D Asset Management, AES U.S. Utilities Operations



PROJECT LOCATION



MIAMI COUNTY, OHIO

- Substation
- Preferred Route
- Common Route
- Alternate Route
- Municipal Boundary
- Township Boundary
- County Boundary

0 3,500 7,000 14,000 Feet

FIGURE 2-1

PROJECT OVERVIEW

WEST MILTON - ELDEAN 138 kV



DAYTON POWER & LIGHT



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Sections of Ohio Power Siting Board Requirements

At the public hearing, the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) will accept written or oral testimony from any person. The Dayton Power and Light Company (DP&L) invites all residents and property owners who wish to present written or oral testimony, to attend this hearing. The OPSB will consider comments from the public and the OPSB Staff Report when evaluating the application. The adjudicatory hearing is open to the public, but participation is limited to the parties in the case.

The following eight criteria are set forth in Section 4906.10 (A) of the Ohio Revised Code and will be used, along with additional information, by the OPSB in reviewing the application for a certificate to construct, operate and maintain this transmission line:

- (1) The basis of the need for the facility if the facility is an electric transmission line or gas pipeline;
- (2) The nature of the probable environmental impact;
- (3) That the facility represents the minimum adverse environmental impact, considering the state of available technology and the nature and economics of the various alternatives, and other pertinent considerations;
- (4) In the case of an electric transmission line or generating facility, that the facility is consistent with regional plans for expansion of the electric power grid of the electric systems serving this state and interconnected utility systems and that the facility will serve the interests of electric system economy and reliability;
- (5) That the facility will comply with Chapters 3704., 3734., and 6111. of the Revised Code and all rules and standards adopted under those chapters and under sections [1501.33](#), [1501.34](#), and [4561.32](#) of the Revised Code. In determining whether the facility will comply with all rules and standards adopted under section [4561.32](#) of the Revised Code, the board shall consult with the office of aviation of the division of multi-modal planning and programs of the department of transportation under section [4561.341](#) of the Revised Code.
- (6) That the facility will serve the public interest, convenience, and necessity;
- (7) In addition to the provisions contained in divisions (A)(1) to (6) of this section and rules adopted under those divisions, what its impact will be on the viability as agricultural land of any land in an existing agricultural district established under Chapter 929. of the Revised Code that is located within the site and alternative site of the proposed major utility facility. Rules adopted to evaluate impact under division (A)(7) of this section shall not require the compilation, creation, submission, or production of any information, document, or other data pertaining to land not located within the site and alternative site.
- (8) That the facility incorporates maximum feasible water conservation practices as determined by the board, considering available technology and the nature and economics of the various alternatives.

Section 4906.07, Ohio Revised Code provides that:

(A) Upon the receipt of an application, complying with Section 4906.06 of the Revised Code, the power siting board shall promptly fix a date for a public hearing thereon not less than 60 or more than 90 days after such receipt and shall conclude the proceeding as expeditiously as practicable.

(B) On the application for an amendment of a certificate, the board shall hold a hearing in the same manner as a hearing is held for an application for a certificate if the proposed change in the facility would result in any material increase in any

environmental impact of the facility or a substantial change in the location of all or a portion of such facility other than as provided in the alternates set forth in the application.

(C) The chairman of the power siting board shall cause each application filed with the board to be investigated and shall, not less than 15 days prior to the date any application is set for hearing, submit a written report to the board and to the applicant. A copy of such report shall be made available to any person upon request. Such report shall set forth the nature of the investigation and shall contain recommended findings with regard to division (A) of Section 4906.10 of the Revised Code and shall become part of the record and served upon all parties to the proceeding.

Section 4906.08(3)(C), Ohio Revised Code provides that:

(3) Any person residing in a municipal corporation or county entitled to receive service of a copy of the application under division (B) of section 4906.06 of the Revised Code and any other person, if the person has petitioned the board for leave to intervene as a party within thirty days after the date of publication of the notice required by division (C) of section 4906.06 of the Revised Code, and if that petition has been granted by the board for good cause shown.

(B) The board, in extraordinary circumstances for good cause shown, may grant a petition, for leave to intervene as a party to participate in subsequent phases of the proceeding, that is filed by a person identified in division (A)(2) or (3) of this section that failed to file a timely notice of intervention or petition for leave to intervene, as the case may be.

(C) The board shall accept written or oral testimony from any person at the public hearing, but the right to call and examine witnesses shall be reserved for parties. However, the board may adopt rules to exclude repetitive, immaterial, or irrelevant testimony.

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How to testify at an OPSB local public hearing

The hearing process allows the public to comment on a pending case before the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB). The public hearing is a formal proceeding, not an informal meeting. Please respect the right of other participants to see, hear and fully participate in the proceeding. In order to facilitate an orderly public hearing and accommodate all those interested in participating, we ask the procedures outlined below be followed by everyone.

Hearing Procedures

During the hearing, an OPSB administrative law judge, who conducts the hearing, representatives of other parties in the case, and a court reporter will be seated at the front of the room. There will be a sign-in table near the entrance to the room. If you wish to make a statement at the hearing, please print your name and complete address on the sign-in sheet.

When the hearing begins, the administrative law judge will explain the purpose for the hearing and call forward individuals to present testimony based on the order in which they signed-in. When it is your turn to speak, you will be asked to state your name and address for the record and to swear or affirm that what you are about to say is the truth.

Attorneys representing the applicant and other parties may ask you questions on cross-examination. The hearing will end once all interested individuals have testified. Please note, if you plan to participate as a witness at the adjudicatory hearing, please do not present testimony at the local public hearing.

Testimony

If you wish to make a statement, please focus your testimony on the issues in this case. While there is not a specified time limit, please remember to keep your statement brief and to the point to allow time for others to speak. Your testimony will be transcribed by the court reporter and considered part of the official record of the case to be reviewed by the Board before they make their final decision. The hearing transcript will be made available in the online case record. While not necessary, if you have a prepared written statement, it would be helpful for you to provide a copy to the court reporter.

Written Comments

If you have written comments but do not wish to present testimony, or if you have written comments from someone who was unable to attend this hearing, you may submit the comments to the administrative law judge. The written comments will be filed in the case record. Comments may also be submitted by email to ContactOPSB@puco.ohio.gov or by mail to Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 E. Broad St., Columbus, Ohio 43215.

Questions

The local public hearing is your opportunity to provide testimony for the Board's consideration. If you have questions about the project as proposed in the application, representatives of the applicant will be available. OPSB representatives will also be available to answer questions about the OPSB process as it relates to the case proceeding but cannot answer specific questions about the Staff Report of Investigation, its findings, and recommendations. Copies of the staff report are available for your review at www.OPSB.ohio.gov.



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September 6, 2019

<<NAME>>
<<ADDRESS>>
<<CITY>>, <<STATE>> <<ZIP>>

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Village of West Milton and City of Troy, and unincorporated Union and Concord Townships, Miami County, Ohio.

Specifically, the proposed line will maintain adequate transmission system voltages in the northwest area of the DP&L transmission system under various outage conditions, complying with mandatory Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC)/ North American Electric Reliability Corporation (NERC) reliability standards. Initial estimates show this is an approximately \$13 million investment. With the current timeline, we anticipate completion of this project in the summer of 2022.

The accompanying map shows the project area.

DP&L filed its application for this project with the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) under Case No. 18-1259-EL-BTX. The application to construct, operate, and maintain this facility is pending before the OPSB.

Petitions to intervene in the evidentiary hearing are due not later than September 3, 2019. However, the Board strongly encourages interested persons who wish to intervene in the evidentiary hearing to file their petitions as soon as possible. Petitions should be addressed to Docketing Division, the Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793 and cite the above-listed case number.

Copies of the Application, including specific details about the location and construction of the project, are available for public inspection at the:

- Milton-Union Public Library – 560 South Main Street, West Milton, OH 45382
- Troy-Miami County Public Library – 419 West Main Street, Troy, OH 45373
- OPSB's website at <http://opsb.ohio.gov>. Search under current cases for Case No. 18-1259-EL-BTX.
- OPSB's mailing address and telephone number – The Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215 1-866-270-6772
- Instructions for electronic or hard copy versions of the Application can be found at <https://www.dpandl.com/About-DPL/Reliability/Transmission-Improvements/West-Milton-to-Eldean-Transmission-Line/>

The following local city and county government officials have been served with a copy of the application as required by OPSB regulations:

- Mayor of City of Troy
- City Council President of City of Troy
- City Council Wards of City of Troy
- City Council At-larges of City of Troy
- Mayor of the Village of West Milton
- Municipal Manager of the Village of West Milton
- Councilmen of the Village of West Milton
- Councilwoman of the Village of West Milton
- Chairwoman, Council of the Village of West Milton
- Vice President of Miami County Board of Commissioners
- Commissioners of Miami County Board of Commissioners
- Trustees of Concord Township
- Fiscal Officer of Concord Township
- Trustees of Union Township



This is the second notice mailed about this project's hearing dates. We mailed the initial notice to you on July 24, 2019.

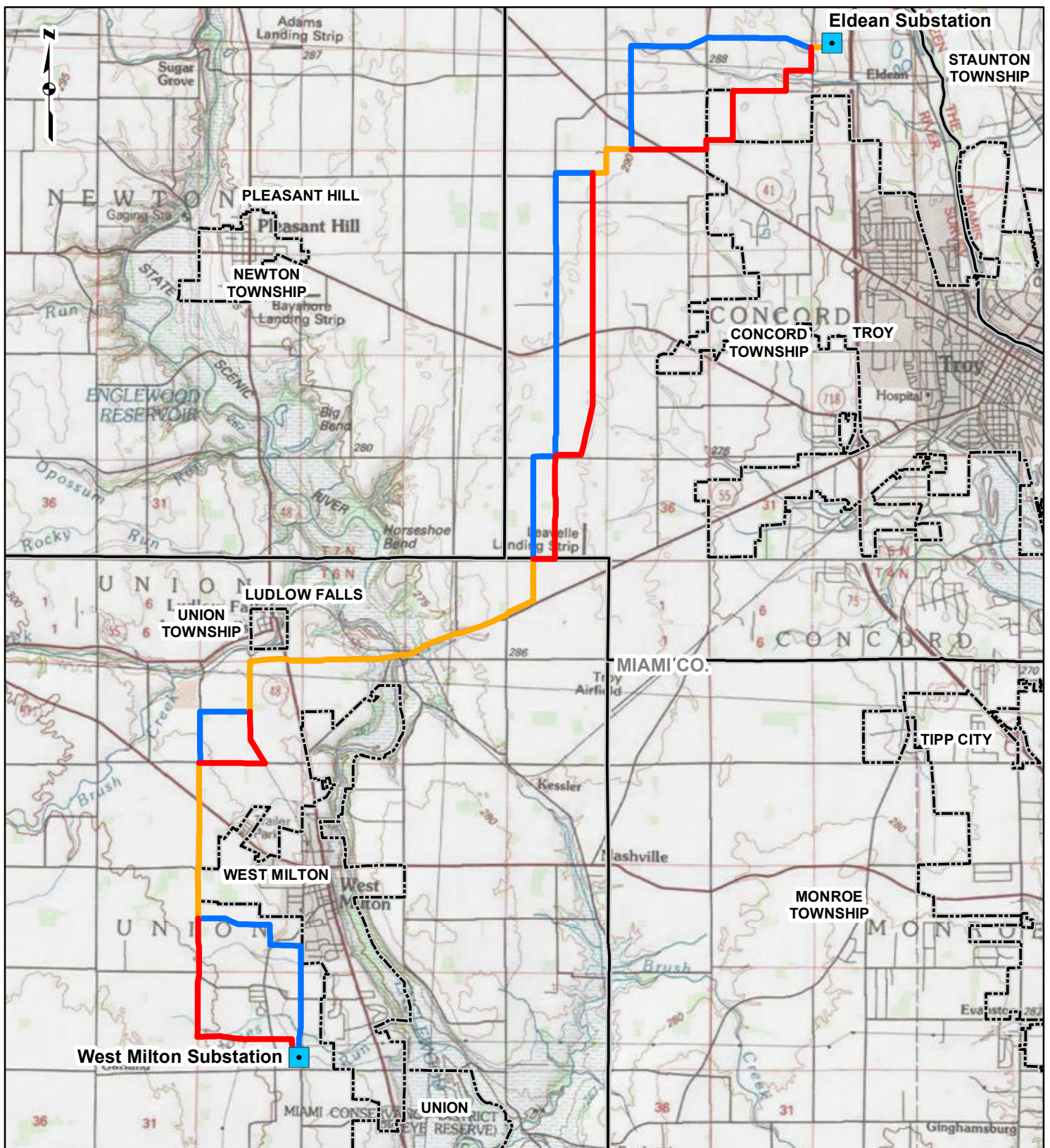
To contact DP&L about the project or request an electronic copy of the application, please leave a message at 937-331-4314 or email westmiltoneldeanteam@aes.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kathryn N. Storm".

Kathryn N. Storm

Director T&D Asset Management, AES U.S. Utilities Operations



PROJECT LOCATION



MIAMI COUNTY, OHIO

- Substation
- Preferred Route
- Common Route
- Alternate Route
- Municipal Boundary
- Township Boundary
- County Boundary

0 3,500 7,000 14,000 Feet

FIGURE 2-1

PROJECT OVERVIEW

WEST MILTON - ELDEAN 138 kV



DAYTON POWER & LIGHT



DRAWN BY: TDB

DATE: 1/29/2019

CHECKED: MBW

APPROVED: MRW

REFERENCE: USGS 30' X 60' TOPOGRAPHIC QUADRANGLES: PIQUA (1986) DAYTON, OHIO. OBTAINED VIA ESRI USA TOPO, NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC TOPO, AND USGS, ACCESSED 1/29/2019. OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION CITIES, TOWNSHIPS, ROADS, 2017.

Sections of Ohio Power Siting Board Requirements

At the public hearing, the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) will accept written or oral testimony from any person. The Dayton Power and Light Company (DP&L) invites all residents and property owners who wish to present written or oral testimony, to attend this hearing. The OPSB will consider comments from the public and the OPSB Staff Report when evaluating the application. The adjudicatory hearing is open to the public, but participation is limited to the parties in the case.

The following eight criteria are set forth in Section 4906.10 (A) of the Ohio Revised Code and will be used, along with additional information, by the OPSB in reviewing the application for a certificate to construct, operate and maintain this transmission line:

- (1) The basis of the need for the facility if the facility is an electric transmission line or gas pipeline;
- (2) The nature of the probable environmental impact;
- (3) That the facility represents the minimum adverse environmental impact, considering the state of available technology and the nature and economics of the various alternatives, and other pertinent considerations;
- (4) In the case of an electric transmission line or generating facility, that the facility is consistent with regional plans for expansion of the electric power grid of the electric systems serving this state and interconnected utility systems and that the facility will serve the interests of electric system economy and reliability;
- (5) That the facility will comply with Chapters 3704., 3734., and 6111. of the Revised Code and all rules and standards adopted under those chapters and under sections [1501.33](#), [1501.34](#), and [4561.32](#) of the Revised Code. In determining whether the facility will comply with all rules and standards adopted under section [4561.32](#) of the Revised Code, the board shall consult with the office of aviation of the division of multi-modal planning and programs of the department of transportation under section [4561.341](#) of the Revised Code.
- (6) That the facility will serve the public interest, convenience, and necessity;
- (7) In addition to the provisions contained in divisions (A)(1) to (6) of this section and rules adopted under those divisions, what its impact will be on the viability as agricultural land of any land in an existing agricultural district established under Chapter 929. of the Revised Code that is located within the site and alternative site of the proposed major utility facility. Rules adopted to evaluate impact under division (A)(7) of this section shall not require the compilation, creation, submission, or production of any information, document, or other data pertaining to land not located within the site and alternative site.
- (8) That the facility incorporates maximum feasible water conservation practices as determined by the board, considering available technology and the nature and economics of the various alternatives.

Section 4906.07, Ohio Revised Code provides that:

(A) Upon the receipt of an application, complying with Section 4906.06 of the Revised Code, the power siting board shall promptly fix a date for a public hearing thereon not less than 60 or more than 90 days after such receipt and shall conclude the proceeding as expeditiously as practicable.

(B) On the application for an amendment of a certificate, the board shall hold a hearing in the same manner as a hearing is held for an application for a certificate if the proposed change in the facility would result in any material increase in any

environmental impact of the facility or a substantial change in the location of all or a portion of such facility other than as provided in the alternates set forth in the application.

(C) The chairman of the power siting board shall cause each application filed with the board to be investigated and shall, not less than 15 days prior to the date any application is set for hearing, submit a written report to the board and to the applicant. A copy of such report shall be made available to any person upon request. Such report shall set forth the nature of the investigation and shall contain recommended findings with regard to division (A) of Section 4906.10 of the Revised Code and shall become part of the record and served upon all parties to the proceeding.

Section 4906.08(3)(C), Ohio Revised Code provides that:

(3) Any person residing in a municipal corporation or county entitled to receive service of a copy of the application under division (B) of section 4906.06 of the Revised Code and any other person, if the person has petitioned the board for leave to intervene as a party within thirty days after the date of publication of the notice required by division (C) of section 4906.06 of the Revised Code, and if that petition has been granted by the board for good cause shown.

(B) The board, in extraordinary circumstances for good cause shown, may grant a petition, for leave to intervene as a party to participate in subsequent phases of the proceeding, that is filed by a person identified in division (A)(2) or (3) of this section that failed to file a timely notice of intervention or petition for leave to intervene, as the case may be.

(C) The board shall accept written or oral testimony from any person at the public hearing, but the right to call and examine witnesses shall be reserved for parties. However, the board may adopt rules to exclude repetitive, immaterial, or irrelevant testimony.

Contact Information:

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How to testify at an OPSB local public hearing

The hearing process allows the public to comment on a pending case before the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB). The public hearing is a formal proceeding, not an informal meeting. Please respect the right of other participants to see, hear and fully participate in the proceeding. In order to facilitate an orderly public hearing and accommodate all those interested in participating, we ask the procedures outlined below be followed by everyone.

Hearing Procedures

During the hearing, an OPSB administrative law judge, who conducts the hearing, representatives of other parties in the case, and a court reporter will be seated at the front of the room. There will be a sign-in table near the entrance to the room. If you wish to make a statement at the hearing, please print your name and complete address on the sign-in sheet.

When the hearing begins, the administrative law judge will explain the purpose for the hearing and call forward individuals to present testimony based on the order in which they signed-in. When it is your turn to speak, you will be asked to state your name and address for the record and to swear or affirm that what you are about to say is the truth.

Attorneys representing the applicant and other parties may ask you questions on cross-examination. The hearing will end once all interested individuals have testified. Please note, if you plan to participate as a witness at the adjudicatory hearing, please do not present testimony at the local public hearing.

Testimony

If you wish to make a statement, please focus your testimony on the issues in this case. While there is not a specified time limit, please remember to keep your statement brief and to the point to allow time for others to speak. Your testimony will be transcribed by the court reporter and considered part of the official record of the case to be reviewed by the Board before they make their final decision. The hearing transcript will be made available in the online case record. While not necessary, if you have a prepared written statement, it would be helpful for you to provide a copy to the court reporter.

Written Comments

If you have written comments but do not wish to present testimony, or if you have written comments from someone who was unable to attend this hearing, you may submit the comments to the administrative law judge. The written comments will be filed in the case record. Comments may also be submitted by email to ContactOPSB@puco.ohio.gov or by mail to Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 E. Broad St., Columbus, Ohio 43215.

Questions

The local public hearing is your opportunity to provide testimony for the Board's consideration. If you have questions about the project as proposed in the application, representatives of the applicant will be available. OPSB representatives will also be available to answer questions about the OPSB process as it relates to the case proceeding but cannot answer specific questions about the Staff Report of Investigation, its findings, and recommendations. Copies of the staff report are available for your review at www.OPSB.ohio.gov.

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Summary: Notice of Compliance with Ohio Administrative Code 4906-3-09(A)(2) - Second Public Notice electronically filed by Mrs. Jessica E Kellie on behalf of The Dayton Power and Light Company