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Dear Beth Trombold,

The proposed Duke Energy Central Corridor pipeline Extension (OPSB Case #16-253-GA-BTX) has been opposed for years by The City of Cincinnati, Hamilton County, and municipalities and citizen groups throughout the region. The administrative law judge has accepted the requests by these groups for a rehearing of the case. Now you must decide whether to rehear it

You are a member of the board, and I am asking for your due diligence in this case. I am asking for an independent evaluation of the laws and evidence presented by the interveners in this case. Credible arguments against the need for this pipeline, against the siting of this pipeline, against the public convenience of this pipeline, against the safety of this pipeline were given little consideration in your first decision. Any citizen opposition (which was widespread) was swept aside as Duke's arguments remained unchallenged.

There were two public hearings held in Cincinnati. Not one member of the OPSB attended either meeting. I do not know if you read the transcripts or listened to the recordings. As you may know, Hamilton County Commissioner, Todd Portune, lost his battle with cancer last week. He was truly a public servant. If you do nothing else, I urge you to listen to his testimony at these hearings. And if you do not think this case deserves a fair rehearing after that, then I must question who you serve.

Thank you, Ann Chisko

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