THE OHIO POWER SITING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF THE CONSTRUCTION NOTICE APPLICATION FILED BY AMERICAN TRANSMISSION SYSTEMS, INCORPORATED FOR THE EBERSWANTON 138 KV TO JOHNSON CONTROLS SUBSTATION PROJECT.

CASE NO. 20-1339-EL-BNR

ENTRY

Entered in the Journal on November 19, 2020

I. SUMMARY

{¶ 1} The Ohio Power Siting Board dismisses this matter at the request of the applicant, American Transmission Systems, Incorporated.

II. DISCUSSION

- $\{\P\ 2\}$ American Transmission Systems, Incorporated (ATSI or Company) is a person as defined in R.C. 4906.01.
- {¶ 3} R.C. 4906.04 provides that no person shall construct a major utility facility in the state without obtaining a certificate for the facility from the Ohio Power Siting Board (Board).
- {¶ 4} R.C. 4906.03(F) instructs the Board to adopt rules that provide for an accelerated review and automatic certification of an electric transmission line and associated facilities under certain circumstances. In accordance with R.C. 4906.03(F), the Board has adopted Ohio Adm.Code Chapter 4906-6 addressing accelerated and expedited accelerated certificate applications.
- {¶ 5} Ohio Adm.Code 4906-6-02 identifies the types of accelerated applications as either letter of notification or construction notice applications. Accelerated applications are subject to a 90-day automatic approval process.
- {¶ 6} On August 6, 2020, ATSI filed a pre-application notification letter of the Company's intent to file a construction notice application seeking accelerated Board

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approval to construct a second tap on the Johnson Controls/Clarios (Customer) segment of the Eber-Swanton 138 kilovolt (kV) transmission line to connect a new 138 kV transformer inside the Customer's Substation (Project) in Springfield Township, Lucas County, Ohio. The Project consists of constructing a new 164 foot-long single circuit tap at a new tap structure.

- {¶ 7} By letter docketed on August 12, 2020, ATSI sought permission to withdraw this matter. In support, ATSI submits that the Project anticipated by the pre-application notification letter will not be filed in this docket.
- {¶ 8} The Board finds that ATSI's request to close Case No. 20-1339-EL-BNR should be granted and this case should be dismissed and closed of record.

III. ORDER

- $\{\P 9\}$ It is, therefore,
- \P 10} ORDERED, That Case No. 20-1339-EL-BNR be dismissed and closed of record. It is, further,

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{¶ 11} ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon American Transmission Systems Incorporated and all interested persons of record.

BOARD MEMBERS:

Approving:

Matt McClellan, Designee for Lydia Mihalik, Director Ohio Development Services Agency

Mary Mertz, Director Ohio Department of Natural Resources

W. Gene Phillips, Designee for Stephanie McCloud, Director Ohio Department of Health

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