

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Joint Petition of Columbus )  
Southern Power Company and Licking ) Case No. 03-2078-EL-PEB  
Rural Electric Co-Op Requesting Revision )  
to a Territorial Boundary Map. )

ENTRY

The Commission finds:

- (1) Columbus Southern Power Company (Columbus Southern) and Licking Rural Electric Co-Op (Licking Rural) are electric suppliers as defined in Section 4933.81, Revised Code.
- (2) Certification by the Commission of the territories of Columbus Southern and Licking Rural was approved by Entries dated June 3, 1981 in Case No. 78-1311-EL-ORD.
- (3) Columbus Southern and Licking Rural have jointly petitioned the Commission to reallocate their service territories in Licking Township, Monroe County, Ohio. Specifically, they request the following relocation:

On quadrangle map M-18, starting at the intersection of County Road 3 and the existing boundary line, proceed 392 feet north 71 degrees east to the centerline of Eagle's Nest Ave., then northeast along the centerline of Eagle's Nest Ave. to the intersection of Eagle's Nest Ave. and Oakridge Dr., then northeast along the centerline of Oakridge Dr. and Blueberry Hill Rd., then northeast along the centerline of Blueberry Hill Rd. 1,320 feet until it intersects with the east property line of the Leafy Dell development, then northeast 150 feet along the east property line of lot 112 until intersecting with the existing PUCO boundary line.

- (4) In support of their request, the petitioners state that due to a proposed new subdivision (Leafy Dell) straddling the existing boundary line, the boundary line needs to be changed so as to provide a better underground service plan by the electric suppliers than would result from the existing boundary line, which segments many of the subdivision's lots; and to lessen the potential for confusion on the part of both the customers and the suppliers by minimizing the occurrences of adjacent homes being served by different suppliers.
- (5) Section 4933.83 (E), Revised Code, provides in pertinent part:

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Notwithstanding the effectuation of certified territories established by or pursuant to Sections 4933.81 to 4933.90 of the Revised Code, and the exclusive right of electric suppliers to serve within such territory, and notwithstanding any other provisions of such sections establishing rights of electric suppliers to furnish electric service, any two or more electric suppliers may jointly petition the Commission for the reallocation of their own territories and electric load centers among them and designating which portions of such territories and electric load centers are to be served by each of the electric suppliers.

- (6) No exception to the change described in Finding (3) has been brought to the Commission's attention.
- (7) The Commission finds that granting the requested relief will promote the purposes of Sections 4933.81 to 4933.90, Revised Code, and will further promote the provision of adequate service to all territories and electric load centers affected by the relocation. Accordingly, the Commission shall order the appropriate modification of the territorial boundary of Columbus Southern and Licking Rural.

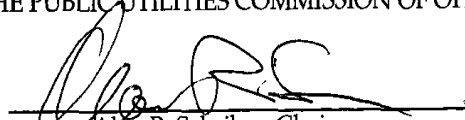
It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That the request of Columbus Southern and Licking Rural to relocate their territory boundary is granted. It is, further,

ORDERED, That the change on quadrangle map M-18, described in finding (3), be approved to show the boundary line change. It is, further,

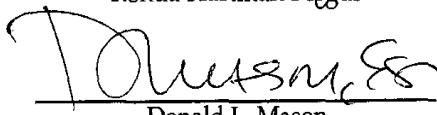
ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon each party of record.

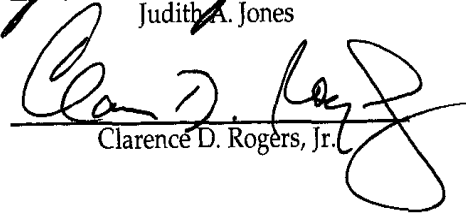
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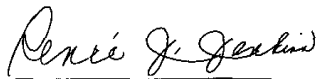
  
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