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Ms. Reneé Jenkins
Secretary
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 E. Broad Street, 11th Floor
Columbus, OH 43215

Re: OPSB Case No. 10-369-EL-BGN
Paulding Wind Farm II LLC
Proof of Publication

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

Please find enclosed the publisher's affidavit indicating that the "Notice of Proposed Major Utility Facility (Wind Farm)" was in fact published in the Antwerp Bee-Argus, a newspaper of general circulation published in Paulding County, Ohio one time on September 8, 2010.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Stephen M. Howard

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Attorneys for Paulding Wind Farm II LLC

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Enclosure
cc: All Counsel of Record

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State of Ohio, Paulding County

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Makes oath representing the publisher of the
Antwerp Bee-Argus, a newspaper of general circulation,
Printed in said county, that the notice of which the attached is a true copy,
Was for 1 (one) consecutive weeks,
Published in said newspaper,
Beginning on the 8th day of September 20 10

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Sworn to and subscribed before me,
This 16 day of September 20 10.

Sandra Kay Temple
Notary Public

SANDRA KAY TEMPLE
NOTARY PUBLIC
Resident Of Paulding County
My Commission Expires Oct. 30, [redacted]
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NOTICE OF PROPOSED MAJOR UTILITY FACILITY (Wind Farm)

Paulding Wind Farm II LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Horizon Wind Energy LLC, is proposing to construct the Timber Road II Wind Farm, a wind-powered electric generation facility located in Paulding County. The energy generated at the wind farm (hereafter referred to as the "Facility") will deliver to a single point of interconnection on the Haviland-Milan 138 kilovolt (kV) Transmission Line (OPSB Docket 10-369-EL-BGN). The proposed Facility will consist of up to 109 wind turbine generators, along with access roads, underground electric connection cables, a Project Substation, up to two laydown yards for construction staging, up to two operations and maintenance (O&M) facilities, and up to three meteorological towers. The "Project Area" means the total wind-powered electric generation facility, including associated setbacks.

The general purpose of the Facility is to produce wind-powered electricity that will maximize energy production from wind resources in order to deliver clean, renewable electricity to the Ohio bulk power transmission system to serve the needs of electric utilities and their customers. The electricity generated by the Facility will be transferred to the transmission grid operated by PJM Interconnection, LLC, ("PJM") for sale at wholesale either as merchant or under a power purchase agreement.

The Project Area is located within approximately 15,000 acres of continuous leased private land in Benton and Harrison Townships. The Facility presented herein consists of up to 109 wind turbine generators, each with a nameplate capacity rating of up to 1.8 MW (depending on the final turbine model selected). The total generating capacity of the Facility is not anticipated to exceed 150.4 MW. Therefore, it is expected that only 83-100 turbines would actually be constructed, depending on the model of turbine selected. However, to allow for flexibility on a final site selection, Paulding Wind Farm II LLC seeks approval for 109 turbine sites. The Facility is expected to operate with an average annual capacity factor of 30-35%, generating a total of approximately 395,000—460,000 MWh of electricity each year, depending on the final turbine selected for the Facility. Paulding Wind Farm II LLC has filed with the Ohio Power Siting Board an application for a certificate to construct, operate, and maintain a wind-powered electric generation facility in Case No. 10-369-EL-BGN, which is now pending before the board.

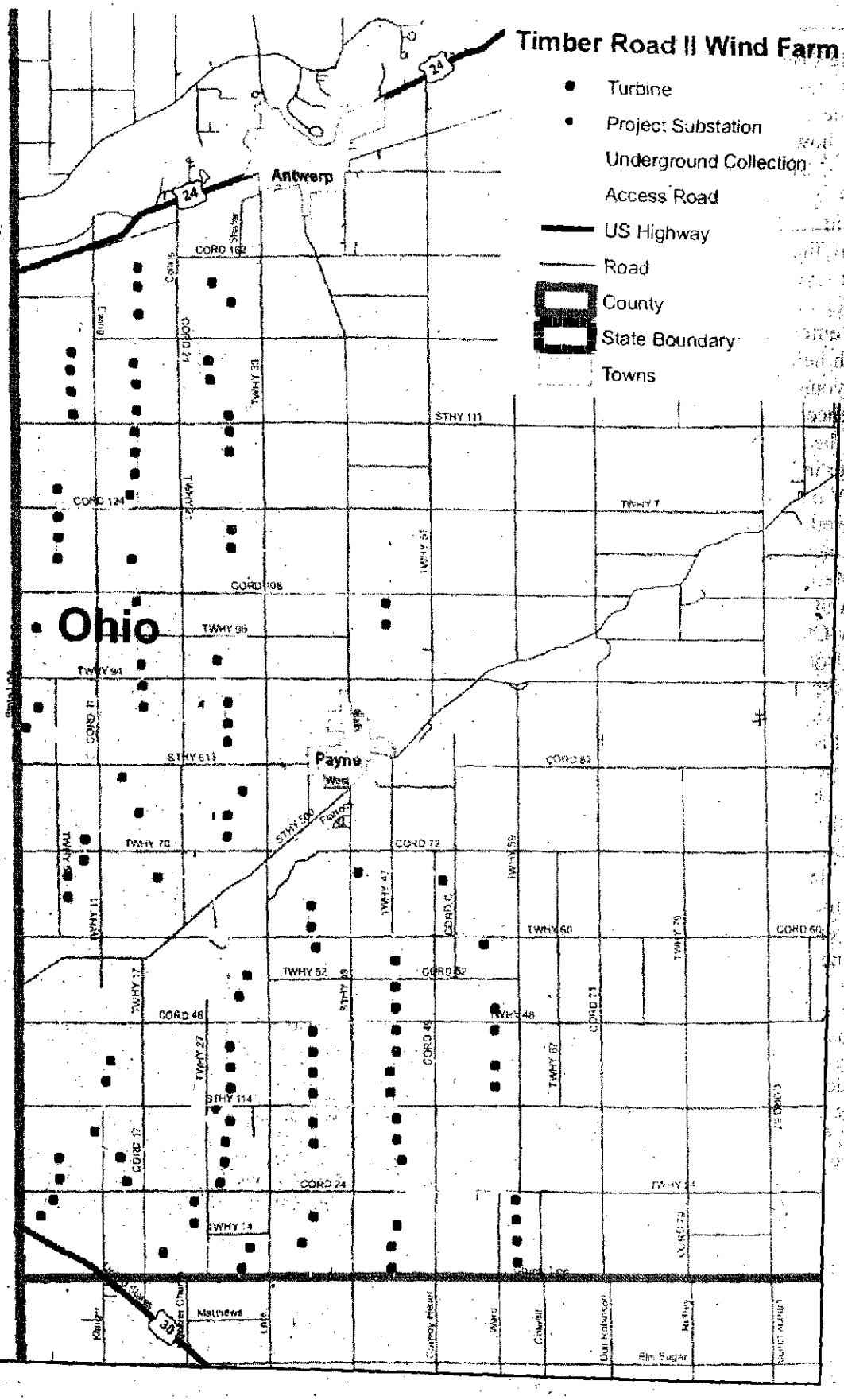
The public hearing shall consist of two parts:

(a) a local public hearing, pursuant to Section 4906.08©, Revised Code, Where the Board shall accept written or oral testimony from any person on September 22, 2010 at 5:00 p.m. at the OSU Extension Center, 503 Fairground Drive, Paulding, Ohio 45879 and

(b) An adjudicatory hearing commencing on October 4, 2010 at 10:00 a.m. At the offices of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, 180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor, Hearing Room C, Columbus, Ohio 43215—3793.

The public will be given an opportunity to comment on the proposed Facility. The date of the first public notice was July 28, 2010.

The attached map shows the proposed layout of the facility.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