

From: Jeffery Keller To: ContactThePUCO

Subject: Comments Regarding 11-346-EL-SSO

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Sincerely, Jeffery Keller 5195 Kentland Ct Columbus, OH 43221-5605

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From: Lisa Festi To: ContactThePUCO

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