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January 31, 2013

Ms. Barcy F. McNeal  
Secretary  
Docketing Division, 11th Floor  
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
180 East Broad Street  
Columbus, OH 43215

RE: East Akron - Sammis and Lowellville - Sammis  
138 kV Transmission Lines Relocation Project  
Case No. 13-0341-EL-BLN  
Copies of Notification Letters to Local Officials

Dear Ms. McNeal:

Please find enclosed copies of letters sent to local officials providing them with copies of the Letter of Notification and notice of the above referenced project, as required by Admin. Code Rule 4906-11-01(D)(4). If you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

s/Robert J. Schmidt

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Enclosures

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Thomas Graham, Commissioner  
Jefferson County Commission  
301 Market Street, First Floor  
Steubenville, Ohio 43952

**Letter of Notification  
East Akron – Sammis and Lowellville – Sammis 138 kV  
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Sincerely,



Jay Ruberto  
Senior Advisor  
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Dave Maple, Chairman  
Jefferson County Commission  
301 Market Street, First Floor  
Steubenville, Ohio 43952

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Adam Scurti, Commissioner  
Jefferson County Commission  
301 Market Street, First Floor  
Steubenville, Ohio 43952

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Jim Branagan, County Engineer  
Jefferson County  
598 State Route 43  
Wintersville, Ohio 43953

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John A. Corrigan, County Clerk of Court  
Jefferson County Courts  
P.O. Box 1326  
Steubenville, Ohio 43952

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Domenick Mucci, Jr, Regional Planning Director  
Jefferson County Regional Planning Commission  
500 Market Street, Suite 614  
Steubenville, Ohio 43952

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Donald R. Elder, Trustee  
Knox Township  
15006 State Route 152  
Toronto, Ohio 43964

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Donald L. Miller, Trustee  
Knox Township  
998 County Road 47  
Toronto, Ohio 43964

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John M. Danko, Trustee  
Knox Township  
56 Township Road 244  
Toronto, Ohio 43964

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Angie Renee Allison, Fiscal Officer  
Knox Township  
2407 Township Road 246  
Toronto, Ohio 43964

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