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Re: Biers Run - Hopetown - Delano 138 kV Transmission Line Project

Case No. 13-0429-EL-BTX

Mr. Salvers,

Thank you for contacting the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) regarding American Electric Power Transmission Company's (AEP Transco) proposed Biers Run – Hopetown – Delano 138 kV Transmission Line Project. Your correspondence in regards to the project has been docketed in case number 13-0429-EL-BTX.

To date, the OPSB has not received an application from AEP Transco concerning this project. Once an application is filed, specific routing plans for the line will be available on the OPSB website at www.opsb.ohio.gov. It is noted that you prefer the "red" route over the "blue" route. In the AEP's application, routes will be designated as preferred and alternate.

If you have any additional questions or concerns, please contact the OPSB at (866) 270-6772. Again, thank you for your continued interest in this case.

Very truly yours,

Kim Wissman, Executive Director **Ohio Power Siting Board**

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Attn: Steve Irwin

Shawn,

This letter is in response to the Biers Run Hopetown Delano Transmission Line Project. Your case #'s are 12-1361-EL-BSB and 13-0429ELBTX.

I am writing to voice my concerns about this project. When I bought the property at 9645 County Road 550 it was my first time buying property and building a new home so I was caught up in the situation of a new home and not thinking much about the power lines running right beside the property. Now that I am older and have been there a while I realize what kind of negative perceptions come from the power lines. I have had numerous comments over the years asking "aren't you scared to live that close to those high power lines?"

My plans in the next year or so are to sell the home and move in town so it makes me a little nervous to think that the current lines could have an impact on my selling the home not to mention if there are two more installed beside the current towers.

This letter is to let you know that my preference is for the company to use the "red route" instead of the "blue route".

Thanks,

Mark Salvers

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