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Ms. Barcy McNeal Administration/Docketing Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor Columbus, OH 43215-3793

Re: Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio, Inc. OPSB Case No. 13-1651-GA-BTX

Dear Ms. McNeal:

Attached is a memo from Ms. Stahl of Utility Technologies International, a map and e-mail correspondence between Ms. Stahl and Mr. Krokonko of Evans, Mechwart, Hambleton, and Tilton ("EMH&T) the Engineering and Survey Firm for Vectren Energy Delivery of Ohio's ("Vectren") Z-167 pipeline relocation.

These documents refer to the temporary construction of a traffic easement previously brought to the attention of the OPSB Staff on December 4, 2013. As the data indicates, there are no streams or wetlands in the easement area and its current use is for right-of-way crops. The consultant concludes that it is highly unlikely that the temporary access easement would affect threatened or endangered species.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

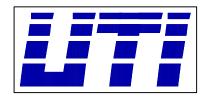
Sincerely,

Sally W. Bloomfield

Attachments

Cc: Ed Steele (w/Attachments)

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MEMORANDUM

To: Ed Steele

From: Melinda Stahl

Date: January 27, 2014

Subject: 13-1651-GA-BTX: Temporary Construction Easement

Vectren is proposing a 50' wide by 745' long temporary construction easement at the southwest corner of the pipeline route (map of area enclosed). The purpose of this easement is to accommodate an area necessary for the directional drilling activities on Stream #3. Additionally, this easement would serve as a construction throughway for traffic, thereby avoiding unnecessary traffic over wetland #10 which is located within the project ROW, but outside of the trenching area for the construction of the pipeline. All of these areas would be included on the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan and would be restored back to pre-existing conditions once construction has been completed on the pipeline.

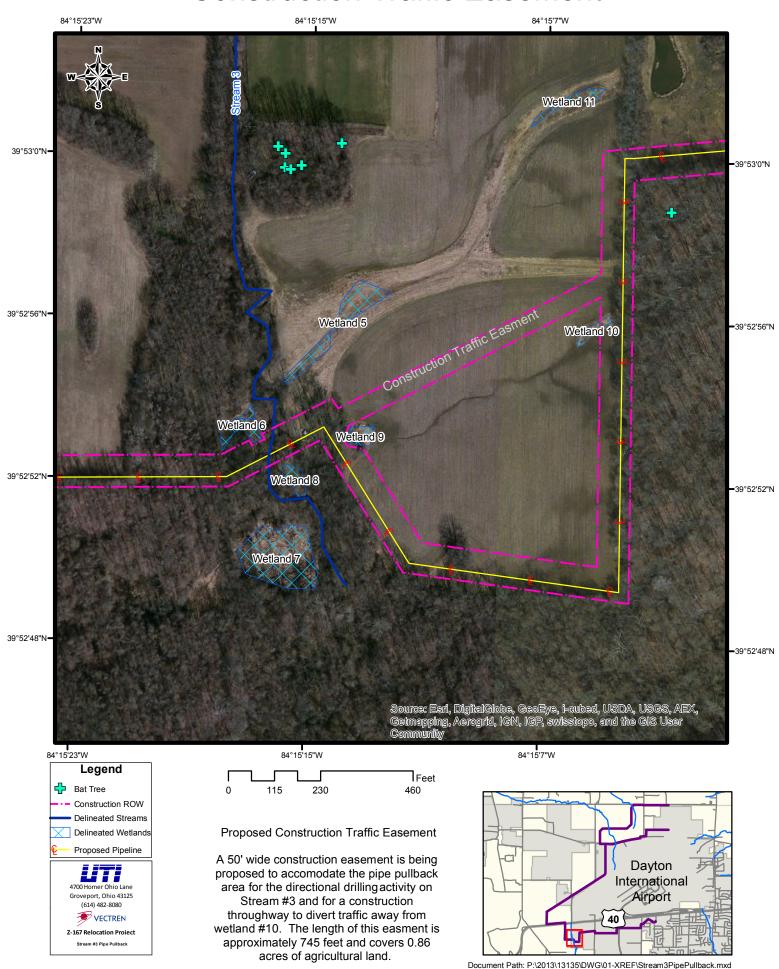
This area encompasses 0.86 acres of an agricultural field that was utilized last season for soybeans. It is highly unlikely that this temporary throughway will have any adverse impacts to any threatened and endangered species, waters of the U.S., or any cultural resource sites. The Phase I investigation for the Z-167 relocation included this area (figure 8 in the report) as well as the environmental and ecological surveys, supporting correspondence from the EMH&T has been enclosed for your review. Please let me know if you have any questions or need additional information. Thank you, we appreciate your time and consideration with this proposal.

Sincerely,

Melinda Stahl

Environmental Coordinator

Construction Traffic Easement



Melinda Stahl

From: Krokonko, Michael <mkrokonko@emht.com>

Sent: Thursday, January 23, 2014 11:51 AM

To: Melinda Stahl

Subject: RE: Vectren/Dayton Airport Pipeline Project

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Melinda.

I talked to our field crew and they confirmed that there are no streams or wetlands are located within the limits depicted for the proposed Construction Traffic Easement. Additionally, this area is currently being utilized for active row crops (i.e. corn and/or soybeans). Therefore, it is highly unlikely that use of the area as a temporary access route would impact T&E Species habitat. Hope that helps. Please let me know if you need a more formal response in the form of a Memo and we can prepare one for your files.

Thanks, Mike

From: Melinda Stahl [mailto:mstahl@uti-corp.com] Sent: Wednesday, January 22, 2014 4:40 PM

To: Krokonko, Michael

Subject: Vectren/Dayton Airport Pipeline Project

Mike,

Attached is a map of the Vectren/Dayton Airport pipeline project that shows an area where we are proposing to add a construction easement. This easement would serve for a pipe pullback for the directional drilling of stream #3 as well as a traffic throughway that would avoid unnecessary travel over wetland #10. We are requesting for you to review the area and reply regarding the likelihood of this easement impacting any threatened and endangered species habitat or any waters of the U.S. This information would be provided to the OPSB Staff for consideration of this addition. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks!

Melinda Stahl

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