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April 16, 2014

John & Diane Link  
5393 Horseshoe Bend Road  
Troy, Ohio 45373

Re: West Milton – Eldean 138 kV Transmission Line, 14-0469-EL-BTX

Mr. & Mrs. Link,

Thank you for contacting the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) regarding Dayton Power & Light's proposed West Milton – Eldean 138 kV (kilovolt) transmission line. Your comments will be filed in the docket for case number 14-0469-EL-BTX.

To date, Dayton Power & Light has not filed an application with the OPSB. Utilities must provide the OPSB with two viable routes – a Preferred and an Alternate route. In an application to the OPSB, the applicant must provide detailed information on the probable impact of the proposed facility, taking several criteria, including environmental and ecological impacts, public interest, and the impact on agricultural land. An enclosed FAQ sheet describes the criteria that the OPSB staff considers when investigating a proposed electric transmission line.

Dayton Power & Light will hold a public informational meeting that will give local residents the opportunity to learn more about the project and submit comments about the routing of the project. I encourage you to attend. Notice of this meeting will be placed in the local newspaper, as well as on the OPSB website (opsb.ohio.gov). I have also enclosed an FAQ sheet that describes how the public can participate in the OPSB process.

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

Very truly yours,

Kim Wissman, Executive Director  
Ohio Power Siting Board

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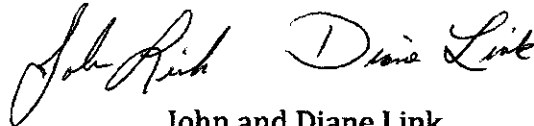
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The Ohio Power Siting Board  
180 East Board Street  
Columbus, Ohio 53215

Dear members of the board:

We are writing this letter because of our concerns about the Dayton Power & Light's West Milton to Eldean 138kV Transmission Line Project. We were notified recently that Greenlee Rd. was one of two routes being considered for the line. We own 10 acres on the corner of Greenlee and Horseshoe Bend Rd, which we just built our home on. The power lines on Greenlee are now buried giving us a beautiful, unobstructed view of the trees at Brukner Nature Center. Many new homes have been built on Greenlee in recent years because of the peaceful and picturesque quality of the area. We along with all our neighbors do not want the proposed lines to be installed in this area. These poles not only ruin the views of everyone in the neighborhood but also take away the tranquility people are seeking while visiting the nature center. Please consider an alternative route for this project, possibly the route they already have in use.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signatures of John and Diane Link in cursive script.

John and Diane Link