3287 Biers Run Road Chillicothe, Ohio 45601 August 22, 2014

Ohio Power Siting Board 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215

To Whom It May Concern:

Regarding the proposed AEP Biers Run – Hopetown – Delano 138 KV transmission line (Case Number 13-0429-EL-BTX):

We strongly oppose the orange and red routes for the proposed power line. These routes transverse the Pleasant Valley Wildlife area, Camp Cattail, Wetlands and pristine unspoiled farmlands. Once these areas are transgressed by the power lines they can never be reclaimed. The ODNR initially opposed this route. Also there is little potential demand for additional electric power in this area.

We feel that the original AEP preferred blue route is still the best, most practical way to go. This southwest route more closely follows existing power lines and the old railroad right of ways and the blue route also allows for easy access to existing South Central power lines thus providing potential additional power to the developing western areas of the county while enroute to the Hopetown substation.

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Sincerely,

Richard Cormany

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