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

Cincinnati, OH 45213

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- This pipeline directly affects our family. Our home located at
- They will need to buy many of homes in Pleasant Ridge as our lots are small, the streets are narrow, and there isn't any space on our land or in the streets to put the pipeline beside the houses.

6201 Lisbon Ave, exactly where they propose this PINK route.

- The most direct route for the pipeline is to continue along I-71 where there is a wide corridor, instead of cutting through homes, family yards, parks and neighborhood schools, and go directly into Fairfax.
- We oppose the PINK route going down Ridge Ave as it will close that road completely and it is one of the busiest roads and a main artery across the city even though it is a 2 lane road.
- I am opposed to the Duke Energy pipeline project in any neighborhood in Cincinnati. It can travel the I-71 corridor if it really needs to happen.
- It is not safe to put a commercial pressurized pipeline in heavily populated areas.
- It does not serve the neighborhoods that it endangers.
- · It is a permanent detriment to the neighborhoods it touches, both endangering the populace and damaging property values.
- It will blight any existing natural beauty along its route. The construction will severely damage, if not destroy, any natural features along its route.
- Recovery will take years, and in the case of trees, decades; if the easement even allows Duke or landowners to replace what was lost.
- Act responsibly and protect all of Cincinnati from this project.
- Please vote to serve the neighborhoods, not big business.

Sincerely, Barb and Barry Paul

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