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Dear Mr. Goodman,

My name is Catherine Simpson. I am writing to ask you to oppose all proposed routes for Duke energy's proposed natural gas pipeline (OBSB Case 16-0253-GA-BTX).

All of the proposed routes will create massive risks to the environment, risks to our health and safety and risks to our air and water quality.

High speed, high capacity natural gas pipelines Do NOT belong in densely populated residential areas, near our homes, schools, where we work or worship.

If there were an accident involving this massive pipeline, it would be a huge catastrophic event with potential for widespread injuries, death and destruction of property. Accidents both large and small do happen on a regular basis. Duke Energy has not demonstrated a commitment to safety or industry best practices and therefor should not be allowed to undertake this project.

Mr. Goodman, I live in the community of Pleasant Ridge, Ohio and this pipeline would directly affect the quality of my life, my family, my home, my neighbors and my community. I do not wish to live in fear of a gas leak or gasoline explosion. I do not wish to see parks uprooted and natural animal habitats destroyed from the building of this pipeline. I do not wish to see the value of the homes and businesses in decline in my community or any other community in Cincinnati.

Mr. Goodman, you have the power to stop this from happening. Please oppose all current proposed routes for Duke Energy's pipeline. Tell Duke they must reroute this pipeline to a safe rural area. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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