

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT PETITION OF
HOLMES-WAYNE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE,
INC., AND OHIO EDISON REQUESTING
REVISION TO TERRITORIAL BOUNDARY
MAP.

CASE NO. 16-1188-EL-PEB

FINDING AND ORDER

Entered in the Journal on August 3, 2016

I. SUMMARY

{¶ 1} In this Finding and Order, the Commission grants the joint petition of Holmes-Wayne Electric Cooperative, Inc., (HWEC) and Ohio Edison (OE) to reallocate their service territories.

II. DISCUSSION

{¶ 2} HWEC and OE are electric suppliers as defined in R.C. 4933.81. By Entries issued in Case No. 78-1311-EL-ORD, the Commission certified the territories of OE and HWEC.

{¶ 3} Pursuant to R.C. 4933.83(E), two or more electric suppliers may jointly petition the Commission to reallocate their service territories and electric load centers. In their petition, the electric suppliers shall designate which portion of their territories and electric load centers will be served by each electric supplier.

{¶ 4} On July 14, 2016, HWEC and OE jointly petitioned the Commission to reallocate their service territories in Ashland County, Perry Township, Ohio. Specifically, they request the following relocation:

On Quadrangle map H-22, beginning at existing boundary coordinates 40.839167, -82.1522586, extend boundary north, northeast along centerline of County Road 175 143 feet to

coordinates 40.839678, -82.1524306, thence west for 1,051 feet to coordinates 40.839811, -82.156233, thence south 323 feet ending at existing boundary, coordinates 40.8389306, -82.156378.

{¶ 5} In support of their request, OE initiated contact with HWEC requesting HWEC provide residential service to the new service location at Parcel K45-027-0-0001-02. The owner has requested that HWEC provide service as it is financially advantageous for HWEC to provide the service. No objections have been filed to the joint petition for reallocation.

{¶ 6} The Commission finds that granting the requested relief will promote the purposes of R.C. 4933.81 to 4933.90, and will further promote the provision of adequate service to all territories and electric load centers affected by the relocation as required by R.C. 4933.83(E). Accordingly, the Commission finds that the joint petition is reasonable and should be approved. The Commission, therefore, directs that the territorial boundaries be appropriately modified as delineated in the joint petition and the maps of the certified territories be amended accordingly.

III. ORDER

{¶ 7} It is, therefore,

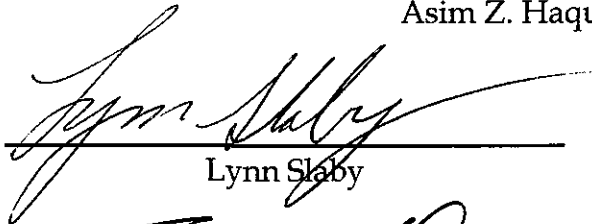
{¶ 8} ORDERED, That the joint petition filed by HWEC and OE to relocate their territory boundaries be granted. It is, further,

{¶ 9} ORDERED, That the change on quadrangle map H-22, as described in the joint petition, be approved to show the boundary line change. It is, further,

{¶ 10} ORDERED, That a copy of this Finding and Order be served upon each party of record.

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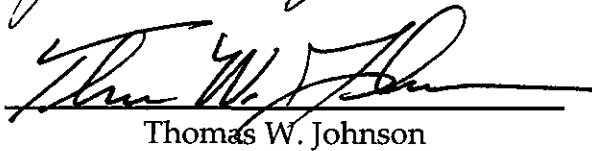
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