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## Representative Alicia Reece 33<sup>rd</sup> House District

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Ohio Power Siting Board 180 E. Broad Street Columbus, OH 43215

To the members of the Ohio Power Siting Board:

I write to you today on behalf of concerned citizens of the 33rd district that I represent who have been flooding my office with emails and phone calls expressing serious concern over the proposed Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project (Case No. 16-253-GA-BTX).

While attending a standing room only open house hosted by Duke Energy, it was clear after talking to resident that the current proposed Central Corridor Pipeline Extension routes would have a devastating impact on residential properties. The citizens of my district in attendance were overwhelming opposed and had serious concerns.

Therefore, as their representative, I oppose all three of pipeline routes in that they all provide exposure to densely populated areas.

I encourage the Ohio Power Siting Board, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio and Duke Energy to reevaluate the Central Corridor Gas Pipeline Extension Project and find better alternatives that do not rip through schools, parks, homes and densely populated communities in the heart of the 33rd House District and Hamilton County as a whole.

Sincerely,

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