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**Re: Clean Energy Future – Trumbull, LLC
Trumbull Energy Center Electrical Interconnection
Village of Lordstown, Trumbull County, Ohio
Case No. 17-819-EL-BLN**

Dear Mr. Donlon and Ms. McNeal:

This letter serves as Clean Energy Future–Trumbull, LLC’s (“Applicant” or “CEF-T”) pre-application notification letter in order for the Ohio Power Siting Board (“Board”) to open a case for the proposed Trumbull Energy Center Electrical Interconnection (“TEC Electrical Interconnection”) Village of Lordstown, Trumbull County, Ohio. This letter is given at least five (5) days prior to CEF-T’s filing of a Letter of Notification.

In accordance with Ohio Administrative Code (“OAC”) Rule 4906-6-03(A), CEF-T provides the following information:

Project Description: The TEC Electrical Interconnection will interconnect CEF-T’s Trumbull Energy Center (“TEC”) to an existing FirstEnergy Corporation 345-kilovolt transmission line. The TEC Electrical Interconnection consists of the three consolidated generator leads that will extend from TEC’s on-site switchyard (“TEC Collector Bus”) approximately 0.25-mile within a 100-foot wide right-of-way (the Interconnection ROW) supported on three vertical, monopole dead-end structures; and the new 3-breaker ringbus, proposed on approximately four (4) acres of land located adjacent to the FirstEnergy 345-kV Highland-Hanna circuit (the Utility Switchyard), into which the generator leads interconnect. The generator leads extend south approximately 200 feet from TEC’s on-site bus yard to a dead-end structure (P1), then turn east approximately 500 feet to a dead-end structure located just north of the Mud Creek wetlands and floodplain (P2). The generator leads will span wetland resources associated with Mud Creek, thereby avoiding direct impact; the span extends southeasterly approximately 300 feet to a dead-end structure southeast of Mud Creek (P3), before extending east approximately 300 feet and entering the Utility Switchyard. An access road from the TEC site will provide access to P1 and P2, while an access road extending north from Hallock

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Young Road will provide access to P3, thereby avoiding the need to cross Mud Creek; a separate access road will extend north from Hallock Young Road to the Utility Switchyard. The TEC Electrical Interconnection will be capable of delivering the TEC's maximum gross 940-megawatt (MW) capacity to the FirstEnergy 345-kV Highland-Hanna circuit.

Anticipated Project Schedule: Construction of the TEC Electrical Interconnection is expected to begin in the fourth quarter of 2017 and is scheduled to be in-service by the fourth quarter of 2019 (prior to the TEC's in-service date of June 1, 2020 to allow for backfeed availability).

Sincerely on behalf of
CLEAN ENERGY FUTURE – TRUMBULL, LLC



Sally W. Bloomfield

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