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Lemaster-Rosewood 138kV Transmission Line Extension Project**

**PUCO Case No. 17-0636-EL-BLN  
Lemaster-Ross 138kV Transmission Line Extension Project**

Dear Chairman Haque,

Attached please find the filed public notices concerning the above-referenced cases. The notices were published pursuant to Rule 4906-5-08, Ohio Administrative Code.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please contact me with any questions.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Hector Garcia

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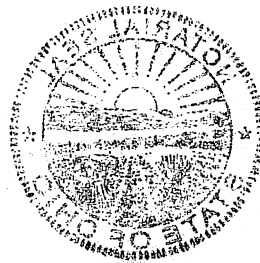
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## The road-weary Cleveland Indians can't wait to play in front of their hometown fans

PAUL HOYNES  
ADVANCE WRITER (78)

PHOENIX - The Indians, in an effort to stay warm and play the games they were scheduled to play, petitioned MLB's schedule makers to open the 2017 season on the road, far from the Arctic conditions they endured last year when they started the season at Progressive Field.

Their wish was granted, but the sometimes jarring transition from tranquil Cactus League games to games that matter was missing. At least for some of the players.

"I know these are regular season games, but in a way it felt like we're really never left Arizona," said Corey Kluber.

Perhaps that explains an early-season streak of unpredictability in manager Terry Francona's team as they return to Cleveland for the home opener Tuesday against the White Sox at Progressive Field.

The Indians opened the year with a three-game sweep of a good Texas team at Globe Life Park in Arlington. They returned to Arizona, where they'd been camped since the start of spring training on Feb. 15, only to be swept by the Diamondbacks in a three-game series at Chase Field.

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here. That's all it says," said Kluber. Kluber allowed three runs, two earned, in six innings while dealing with a stiff back. He opened the regular season on April 3 with a six-inning, five-run performance against Texas while dealing with blisters on his fingers in his pitching hand. They were not an issue Sunday.

"I was a little more crisp today," said Kluber, when asked to compare his two starts. "I located better. I felt like my stuff was a little bit better. But we won (my first start) and lost this one. That means that one was better."

The starting rotation, in its first turn of the season, did not distinguish itself. The starters, including two games by Kluber, went 1-3 with a 6.15 ERA (23 earned runs in 33 2/3 innings). They allowed 35 hits, including seven homers. Kluber has allowed four of those homers.

Carlos Carrasco, who had the most inconsistent spring training of any starter, was the only member of the rotation to win a game.

"I think it's probably what you'd somewhat expect - some inconsistencies," said Francona. "I don't think when the bell rings guys are ready to be in midseason form. I've said that I hope that doesn't get in the way of you winning."

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"We've been away from home for a really long time," said catcher Yan Gomes. "We'll just go back home, get refreshed and get back into the Central and play some ballgames."

The Indians next 13 games will be in the AL Central.

"It's going to be nice to get back home in front of our fans," said Kluber.

This is Francona's fifth season managing the Indians. He's led them to four straight winning seasons and an AL pennant last year.

Francona loved the fact that the Indians opened in warm weather. There were no postponements and his team was able to take batting practice and infield practice outside every day. But he's feeling the pull of Cleveland as well.

"The more I'm here, it feels more and more like home," said Francona. "You first get hired, it's like you're going to your city. Now, I catch myself saying, 'Hey, we're going home. And that's a good feeling.'"

"I think Tuesday is going to be a fun day. It will be the last time talk about last year. But I want our guys to enjoy it. I think the fans will and I know we will. It will be a special day."

Before the game, the team will receive their AL championship rings and the AL pennant will be unveiled. A flag will be raised in center field representing the AL pennant as well. The team is encouraging fans to be in their seats by 3 p.m. to take in the pre-game ceremonies.

The Indians have already sold over 1.3 million tickets for the season. They did not sell that many until late July last year. For the year, they drew 1,591,667.

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Most managers avoid talking about attendance. In Cleveland it's an especially touchy subject. "Attendance is certainly helpful, not just for the business side, but it helps us on the field," said Francona. "It's a lot more fun to play when that place is loud."

"Saying that, I'm never comfortable telling people how to spend their money. I get that. People work hard for their money. I know last year the TV ratings way high, but I think last year the fans showed how special they can be when that place gets going."

As far as baseball numerology goes consider the following. The 3-3 Indians started last season, one of the most exciting in franchise history, at 3-3. Last year they never lost more than three games in a row. This year they've already lost three games in a row.

In fact, they're on a roll when it comes to three. The Indians lost the last three games of the World Series to the Cubs, opened the 2017 season with three straight wins over Texas before losing three straight to Arizona. What does it mean, if anything? The answer will be revealed over the next six months.

## MARATHON

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comfort zone, pace-wise," he laughed. "But, I'm happy with my time. It felt good to go out there and push it for a little bit. You work different muscles when you're out on the trail, but these pavement runs can be hard on the knees."

Renee Harden of Medina won the women's full, overtaking a crowded field that included Kilbane at mile 18 and stretching the advantage from there, winning in 3:07:00. It was the first marathon win for the Buckeye Local cross country coach, who was running Athens for the first time and in her fifth marathon overall.

"I had read the reviews of this race, and they all said that Athens is really fast, but it's also very tempting to go out too hard," she said. "I thought those of us in the front pack did a good job for the first few miles, but then miles 8 through 16 got away from us, and we started going between 6:40 and 6:50 per mile."

"By the time I got to the last few miles, I had slowed to 7:30, and I kept thinking, 'This is horrible. I've got to get off of this bike path.'"

Even though there was no OVRRC runner in the women's half-marathon field, it still included a local flavor, as Caitlin Snyder caught Ohio University senior Brooke Kemerer in the final mile to win the most competitive race of the day, 1:37:22 to Kemerer's 1:37:31. Snyder, from Grove City, admitted to being "shocked" at her time.

"I've had a rough year," she said. "I've been sick a lot, and it's taken a toll on my training. I had been thinking about just breaking 1:45, but then the race started, and I felt good, so I thought a sub-1:40 might be possible."

"Next thing I know, I'm at mile 12, and someone along the course points to the girl in front of me and says, 'That's first,' and I'm thinking, 'Oh, great. Now I have to at least try to catch her, don't I?'"

That "girl" was Kemerer, and Snyder did manage to run her down. "She closed really well," said Kemerer, an Athens High School graduate. "I'm just happy to have run under 1:40. My mile splits were way faster than last time."

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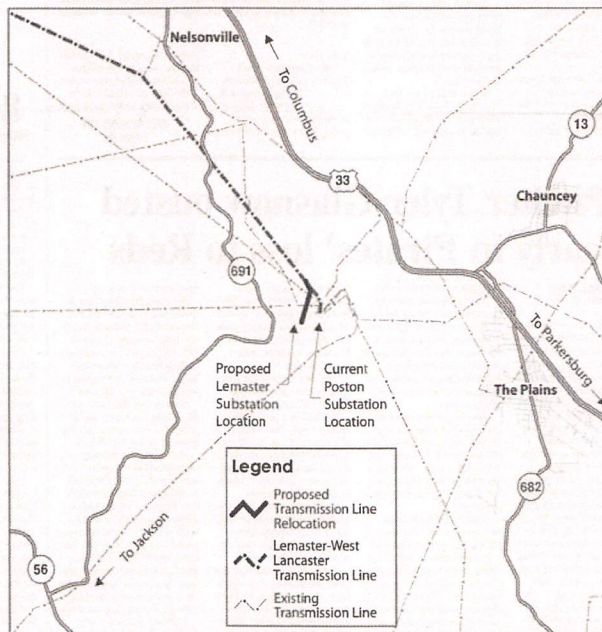
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## FOR THE RECORD

## ATHENS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Friday, April 7  
8:03 a.m., Oakley Road, Athens: Sheriff's Office and Athens Police arrested Jocelyn Wilson on a felony theft warrant out of Athens County. Wilson was transported to the sheriff's office to await court appearance.

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Saturday, April 8

7:05 a.m., Bindersbasin Road, Glouster: deputies assisted Ohio Highway Patrol on a report of a running vehicle stopped on the roadway with the windshield wipers on and the driver passed out, driver Michelle Leach was found to be intoxicated and placed under arrest by the Patrol for OVI.

8:51 a.m., South Plains Road, The Plains: deputies received reports of numerous car break-ins; one victim had a cell phone stolen from their vehicle and tracked it online; the victim located and confronted the suspect on the roadway; Ohio Highway Patrol arrived on scene first and took the suspect into custody; through a joint investigation with the Patrol, Leon Reed, 38, was arrested for theft of a credit card; Reed was transported to Southeast Ohio Regional Jail awaiting arraignment and Grand Jury proceedings; matter remains under investigation.

9:42 a.m., Adena Drive, The Plains: resident reported that, sometime during the previous night, someone had entered and gone through his vehicle, stealing a small amount of change.

2:04 p.m., Canaanville Hills Road, Athens: Criminal Interdiction Unit attempted to stop a vehicle traveling at very high speeds on Route 50 near Guyville; deputies were able to stop the vehicle near South Canaan Road, and a search found a bag of what appeared to be cocaine, as well as a pill believed to be a controlled substance; charges are pending lab results.

3:09 p.m., Bassett House Treatment Center, Bassett Road, Athens: deputies were called for a walk-around juvenile; but a short while later, the juvenile returned; no further action taken.

4:08 p.m., Route 60, Athens: report was received of an unsafe driver on Route 60; deputies located the vehicle, observed numerous traffic violations,

and stopped the vehicle before it reached Route 33; deputies believed that the driver was impaired on a narcotic and contacted Highway Patrol for assistance; the driver was placed under arrest for OVI.

5:21 p.m., Columbus Road, Athens: deputies were called to a carwash for a braising and entering; caller advised that someone had forced entry through the door and then attempted to break open a change machine; case remains under investigation.

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Sunday, April 9

12:33 a.m., Route 682, Chauncey: deputies attempted to stop a vehicle for a moving violation at the intersection of Converse and Main Streets in Chauncey; the vehicle fled the scene and deputies pursued it onto East Run Road, where they lost contact with the vehicle; a patrol of the area located the vehicle on the side of the road, and it appeared to have been in an accident; deputies could not locate a driver or any passengers; the vehicle was towed and held for evidence.

1:29 a.m., South Sixth Street, Jacksonville: deputies responded to a report of a disorderly person stumbling in the street; they made contact with the subject, who appeared to be heavily intoxicated and smelled of alcohol; the subject was unable to stand or coherently answer questions; Korbin C. Cruse of Jacksonville was placed under arrest for disorderly conduct by intoxication, and transported to the Regional Jail.

10:33 a.m., Dutch Ridge Road, Guyville: deputies received a report of a protection order violation as a result of speaking with the complainant on scene, Forest R. Pae was later arrested and charged with protection order violation, and transported to the Regional Jail.

11:48 p.m., Adena Drive, The Plains: deputies responded to a report of a prowler; the caller said that his wife had heard an unknown individual talking while taking the dogs outside after dark; a patrol of the area found no one.

## ATHENS

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the third and fourth innings. Meanwhile, Bradbury made the run support stand up. He went all five innings, allowing six hits and three earned runs. He struck out four.

The Rockets were withing 7-2 after Connor Bates' RBI single in the top of the third. The lead quickly went to 11-2 after the third, and 15-3 after the fourth.

Bradbury then pitched a perfect fifth, giving Athens a two-game lead in the league standings over Wellston. Athens finished with 10 hits. Brendan Sano went 2 for 3 with a walk, two runs and two RBIs.

Rodgers was 1 for 2 with three RBIs, a walk and was hit by a pitch. Brock Stewart was 1 for 1 with a walk, was hit by a pitch to go with three runs and an RBI. Carpenter was hit by two pitches, going 1 for 1 with three runs scored.

It's the start of a busy week for the Bulldogs. They'll travel to Marietta on Tuesday and to River Valley on Wednesday, before hosting Warren on Thursday and traveling to Vinson County on Friday.

Athens has three league games sandwiched around two key non-league games against Marietta and Warren. It's a week that will test the Bulldogs' pitching depth, but Chris Stewart said the 'Dogs

will be ready.

"It's one of those things where you have to take things one at a time and our first priority is to win our league," Stewart said. "We'll let the chips fall where they may when it comes to the district draw. We know what Marietta's got. We definitely want to win the game. I think we can compete with anybody no matter who we put on the mound, so I'm not too worried about that. We'll figure all that out tonight."

Athens 15, Wellston 3  
Wellston 002 10 — 3 6 1  
Athens 424 4x — 15 10 1  
Michael Graham, Chase Wicker (2), Zach Dress (3) and Connor Bates  
Waylon Bradbury and Brock Stewart  
WP — Bradbury; LP — Graham

## ROUNDUP

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tie. Southern answered with single runs in the fourth and fifth innings, then led 5-1 after scoring three times in the sixth. Southern tacked on an insurance run in the top of the seventh.

Trimble had six hits, led by Ryan Richards' three singles. Kamron Curry hit a double.

Wood picked up the win for Southern, pitching five innings. Max Hooper started and pitched six innings for the Tomcats, taking the loss.

Trimble falls to 3-4 overall, and 1-2 in the TVC-Hocking. Southern improves to 5-0 in

league play.

Trimble travels to Miller on Tuesday.

Belpre 10, Federal Hocking 5

BELPRE — Belpre held off a Federal Hocking comeback attempt on Monday.

Belpre scored in every inning of a 10-5 win over Federal Hocking.

The Golden Eagles scored twice in the first, once in the second and twice more in the third for a 5-0 lead. It was 6-0 going to the fifth.

The Lancers scored a run in the fifth, then four in the six to cut the deficit to 7-5.

Belpre scored three in the bot-

tom of the sixth to pull away.

The Lancers had nine hits. Chase Reed was 3 for 4 with two runs and an RBI. Nate Dearth was 2 for 4 with a run and a walk. Dillon Wilfong had a hit and RBI, while Trevor Bell had a hit, run and RBI.

Dearth took the loss, pitching 4 1/3 innings. He gave up seven runs — three earned — on seven hits. Gavin Tate pitched the final 1 2/3 for the Lancers.

The Lancers fall to 0-7 overall, and 0-5 in the TVC-Hocking. Belpre improves to 6-5 overall, and 4-3 in league play.

Federal Hocking travels to River Valley on Tuesday.

## PLAYOFFS

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of the Cleveland Monsters. Werenski suffered an appar-

ent shoulder injury against the Washington Capitals on April 2 and the team expects him in the lineup for the postseason. Despite the late season slide,

the Jackets scored 32 points more than last season. It was also a season where they went on the second-longest winning streak (16 games) in NHL history.

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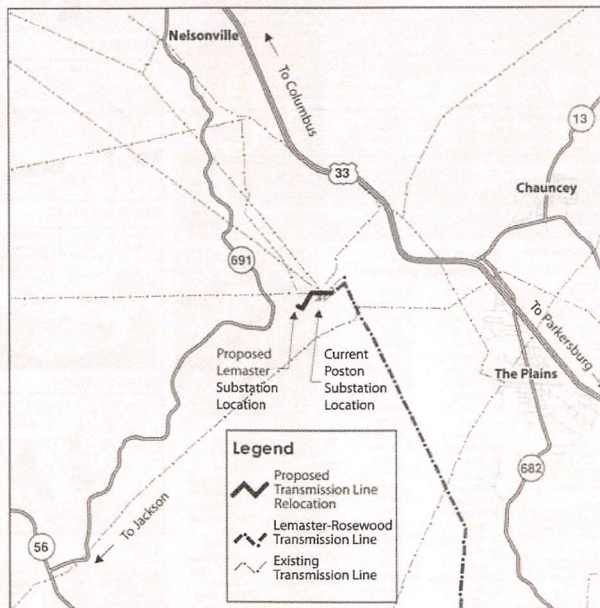
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