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Ryan F. M. Aguiar Counsel (614) 716-2931 (P) raguiar@aep.com Chairman Asim Z. Haque Ohio Power Siting Board 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215

Re: Proof of Publication PUCO Case No. 17-0804-EL-BLN Ironman Station Project

Dear Chairman Haque,

Attached please find the filed public notices concerning the proposed major utility facility in the above-referenced case. The notices were published pursuant to Rule 4906-6-08, Ohio Administrative Code.

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

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Ryan F. M. Aguiar Ryan F. M. Aguiar (0095615) Counsel for AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc.

cc: Jon Pawley OPSB Staff Hector Garcia, Senior Counsel, AEP Ohio Transco



Proof of Publication

I, Joshua Park, do herby attest that the AEP Legal Notices did appear in the following newspaper as ordered:

Jackson County Telegram

6/28/17 6/27/17

Jackson County Times Journal

6/27/

Joshua Park

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State of Ohio County of Franklin

On this day, the day of June, 2017 before me, Patricia A. Conkle, the undersigned Notary Public, personally appeared Joshua Park, proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name was subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged that he executed it.

Witness my hand and official seal.

Notary Public

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Patricia A. Conkle Notary Public, State of Ohio My Commission Expires 06-17-19

COMMUNITY •

Get well wishes to Jim Reynolds who had a hospital visit. Richard Bear Jones needs prayers also. Greg Roseberry had surgery. Danny Neal from Oak Hill had very serious surgery. Chick Chambers had serious surgery. Remember all in your prayers.

I am happy to report that Judy Romano, down to the post office, came thru her surgery with flying colors. Her doctor was really impressed. She was able to go home the next afternoon. She had half her kidney removed due to cancer.

Keep classmate Emelie Dixon Paul's grand-daughter Jossy, in your prayers. She has Lyme's Disease. Keep her brother Brucie in your prayers

Keep Jean Warrington in your prayers. I have known her since she was a baby. Her mom, Mickey, TRIED to teach me to crochet, but it didn't work! Mickey has been my friend for 52 years.

Get well wishes to my childhood friend, Mary Dale Auxier Montgomery, who gave everyone quite a scare when she was life flighted to James. She sent me a message that she has meningitis and is being given lots of antibiotics. Keep her in your prayers.

Get well wishes to Susan Kellough who will have gall bladder surgery on July 5th. Pray that she stays well enough to get it done. She has tried for a year!

I was sooo happy to have Bloomfield kid Tommy Clary come for a visit. We had a good time talking about Viet Nam and Bloomfield days. He was laughing about meeting a marine on the street and after they passed, they both turned and said, "Tommy?" It was

ROUND THE Town

Karen Wyant



Tom Michael and they were so happy to see each other. Did you hear the REDS

Tuesday, June 27, 2017

announcer wish Ruth McKinney a happy 89th birthday and call Jackson the speeding ticket capital of Ohio???

If you get a call that rings once, don't call the number back. It is an international call and for every minute you hold on, you get charged a big bill. I am so sick of "local" calls that are scammers telling me I won a vacation. I answer thinking because it is a Jackson number that it is a customer, and this cheerful voice tells me I won

I read in the paper that there will be more bear sightings this year, and read on Facebook a couple days later that Gallia County already has sightings!

another cruise.

Speaking of Gallia County, an Amish family from Gallia County, bought a farm in Oak Hill. He said the Amish are moving to Jackson County because they don't like the laws in Gallia County! He has nine children and one is married, and he said their new home would be built and ready to move into in three weeks!

Nurse Practitioner, Sherry Russell, is moving her practice to Gallia County and Vicki Holzapfel will have a Clinic in Sherry's old location, that will open in early July. Vicki has lots of years of experience.

Has anyone heard of

anything going in the Rue 21 building? I sure hated to see them go out of business!

And, in other good news, Cracker Barrel is going to be coming to Portsmouth SOON! I love that place!

Congrats to Brandi Cornett and Stephen Mullins on their engagement!

Great grand-daughter Sadie Lee Wyant, celebrated her 8th birthday at her grandparents April and Jerry Riley in Chillicothe last Saturday. Like me, she is all legs and feet!

Thoughts to ponder-Worrying won't stop the bad stuff from happening. It just stops you from enjoying the good. Definition of a friend-Some-

one who says nice things about you when you're not around. Charlie Brown says that he

is afraid to be happy because whenever he gets too happy, something bad always hap-Happy birthday on July 16th

to Donald Beach, Bev Jeffries, John Gee, Eloise Lewis, John Ingalls, Kim Richards, Rob Norman, Mariella Engressor, Jared Taylor, and Oliver McNeal (5), and happy 57th anniver-sary to Dan and Verda Fugett, happy 40th to Keith and Pat Fetheroff, and happy 56th to Ron and Audrey Garvin; on the 17th is Charlie Stevison, great nephew Trey Farley is 21! Tabitha Linton, Niki Barry, classmate Georgie Durst Rohr,

Mary Nutt, Kenny Dearing, Debbie McKinniss, and Shirley Anderson, and happy 13th anniversary to Bob and Debbie Sickles and happy 2nd to Scott and Terry Keaton; on the 18th is Stacey Smith, LaDean Orender, Patty Hudson, Dee Browning, Ron Carter, Hope Keller, classmate Bill Morgan, Jeff Altheer, Corty Queen, Coby Harris (10), Jenny Farley, Florelie Souders, Melody Morgan, and Jenny Sizemore, and happy anniversary to Dan and Karla Morrow and to David and Kim Phillips; on the 19th is James Street (21), Sarah Weber, Brook Perry, Marvin Ross, Jerry Shook, Marsha Perry, Walter Luhrman, Al Mapes, and Rose Ragland: on the 20th is Linda Smith, Jarrod Morris, Melissa Mercer, Phil Fain, Sidney Baisden (19), Dar-lene Fisher, Richard Bright, Isaac Hanks, and Jeff Ridgeway; on the 21st is Dolly Cardiff, Dava Davis, Ed Cade, Katherine Carroll (13) Donna Greene, Christine Deaterla, and John Robbins, and happy anniversary to Eric and Elisa Engressor, on the 22nd is classmate Torn Jenkins, brother Jake Perry, J.D. Mercer, Chuck Shu-

mate, and Lissa Warrens Hey Myrt! Did you see Judy Comer from Oak Hill on Cash Explosion on Satur day night? She won \$12,100.

I was saddened to learn of the death of Ann Barnett, who was well known to a lot of us. I was also saddened to learn of the death of former Franklin County Judge Dick Sheward who passed away at 73. He was born and raised in Jackson County.



Pictured left, is speaker Debble Crabtree and 3rd Vice President Doug Johnson

Connie Mick inducted into the Jackson Lions Club

The Jackson Lions held their regular meeting Wednesday, May 7, at Christ United Methodist Church.

Connie Mick was inducted as a new Lion. Mick is a financial presentative for Western and Southern Insurance Compar PD6 Lion John Smith and Membership Chair Lion Pam Miller conducted the induction ceremony.

Debbie Crabtree from the Jackson School Administration was the speaker for the evening. Crabtree talked about the Succes Program in the elementary schools, the middle school and the high school Success operated with Latch Key Child Care Monday through Friday, 6:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tutoring is available after school Monday through Thursday for students K-12.



Pictured from left, new Lion Connie Mick, Lion PD6 John Smith, and Membership Chair Lion Pam Miller.

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Paige Strawser awarded degree from Miami University

OXFORD— Paige Strawser of Jackson (45640) was among more than 3,000 students from Miami University who received degrees during spring commence ment exercises Saturday, May 13, 2017, at Yager Stadium.

Strawser received a Bachelor of Science in Business degree, majoring in Finance

Summa Cum Laude.

Considered one of eight original "Public Ivies" in the country, Miami University is located in Oxford, Ohio. The university is consistently ranked by U.S. News and World Report for its commitment to undergraduate teaching and is the number one college town according

Students with more than one listing have earned additional degrees or

The most recent complete candidates for graduation lists are always available for downloading at commencement, dean's and president's lists.

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days following the publication date of this notice as required by Rule 4906-2-12, Ohio

Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3793 and must cite Case No. 17-0804-EL-BLN.

The accompanying map depicts the project area. It should be noted that due to the reduced scale and limited detail, this map should be used only as a general guide. Copies of the actual Letter of Notification, including specific details about the location and construction are available for public inspection at the following locations:

21 Broadway Street Jackson, Ohio 45640

180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3793 1(866)270-6772 contactopsb@puc.state.oh.us

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http://opsb.ohio.gov. Search under current cases for case number Case No. 17-0804-EL-BLN.

JACKSON COUNTY WELLSTON COALTON (788) Administrative Code, Petitions should be addressed to Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 East [76] JACKSON SUBSTATION 327 (35) **IRONMAN STATION PROJECT** PROPOSED SUBSTATION — EXISTING TRANSMISSION LINE — COUNTY LINE

The following local city and county government officials have been served with a copy of the application as required by state of Ohio Power Siting Board regulations:

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Hints from the South

Sand hill cranes... feathered royalty

By Robert Maynard Telegram Columnist

Did you know that the world only has 15 species of cranes? North America is home to only 2 of them, the sand hill crane, and the whooping crane. Last year we were fortunate enough to watch a pair of sand hill cranes raise their 2 little ones in the lake behind our home We noticed the nest early enough to watch through binoculars as the little ones grew and eventually left the nest. Always an exciting thing to watch.



I remember well the first time I saw a sand hill crane down here. We were at a race track (gas station) getting some frozen yogurt, and these remarkably tall birds came walking around the corner of the station into the side yard. They were feeding as if they were in the middle of nowhere. These birds are as tame as any wild birds could be, but they have their limits. About 10 feet is the closest they will allow you before they skimmer away. They only fly in extreme get-away cases. I can't imagine the energy these birds use to fly. They are at least four feet tall and I guess their wing span is 4-6 feet.

The first time you see them in the air it is very impressive. Six is the most I have seen in one flock. My wife was sitting out back and four of them came flying over the pool and landed in the strip of grass right behind our house and the lake. They were vociferous that day, and my wife recorded them on her phone. The call they make reminds me of the raptors on Jurassic Park.

The sand hill cranes possess an elegance that is almost cocky; the way they strut around so close to you but never too close. Their tall grey bodies, capped off with a crimson head, just seem like royalty. It is almost like they are wondering when we humans are gonna leave so they can get back to living their lives undisturbed.

They mate for life starting between the ages of 2-7 years. They stay together year-round and have been known to mate for several decades

I haven't seen the first hummingbird down here. I guess I was spoiled in Jackson where I literally had them eating out of my hand. Oh well, I suppose after 22 years of hummingbirds, I can observe the sand hill cranes and scads of other birds I have yet to identify.

Jackson's Paul Haller honored with **Outstanding Eagle Scout Award**

cil, Boy Scouts of America recognized Jackson County Commissioner and Jackson resident Paul Haller with the Outstanding Eagle Scout Award at its annual Eagle Scout Recognition Dinner on Monday, June 19, at the Renaissance Columbus Downtown Hotel.

The Outstanding Eagle Scout Award is a prestigious recognition granted by the local council's National Eagle Scout Association (NESA) committee to adult Eagle Scouts who have demonstrated outstanding achievement at the local, state, or regional level.

"Commissioner Haller received his Eagle Scout recognition as a youth in 1977 from Boy Scout Troop 48 in Jackson. After years of service to Scouting, his local community and his country, it is our honor to recognize him with the Outstanding Eagle Scout Award," said Jeff Moe, Scout Executive/ CEO of the Simon Kenton

Council Haller credits his Scoutmaster, the late Charles Bowman, with providing him with the guidance which helped him attain the Eagle Scout award.

Commissioner Haller was recognized alongside more than 330 young men from Simon Kenton Council's 2016 Eagle Scout Class. Also recognized with the Outstanding Eagle Scout Award were Columbus-area Scouters Lee Anthony Glass, Thomas Kipfer and Jeffrey Lockhart. Lisa Ingram, President and CEO of White Castle, served as this year's Class honoree. Kipfer is the husband of former Jackson resident and Jackson High School graduate, Lori Congrove Kipfer, and the son-in-law of Jackson resident Joanna Congrove and the late Gary Congrove.

About Simon Kenton Council

The Simon Kenton Council is one of the largest Boy Scout councils in the nation, serving 17 counties in central and southern Ohio, and Greenup County in northern Kentucky. The council delivers the Scouting program to more than 18,000 youth through the support of more than 6,400 adult volunteers. The council's goal is to be the premier leader in youth development by delivering on the promise to provide character development, citizenship training, personal fitness and fun. The values the council strives to instill are based on those found in the Scout Oath and Law. For more God bless you all - RHM information, please visit the website at www.skcscouts.org.



Jackson resident and Jackson County Commissioner Paul Haller received the Outstanding Eagle Scout Award at the Eagle Scout Recognition Dinner in Columbus. Pictured (from the left) are Haller and members of his family who attended the event: Son Caleb Haller. Paul Haller, grandson Ayden (in front), wife Dr. Marla Haller, and sister Tami Haller Wyant.



Jackson County Commissioner Paul Haller (left) poses with Tom Kipfer, at the event where both were among the recipients of the Outstanding Eagle Scout Award. Kipfer is the husband of former Jackson resident Lori Congrove Kipfer and the son-in-law of Jackson resident Joanna Congrove and the late Gary Congrove.

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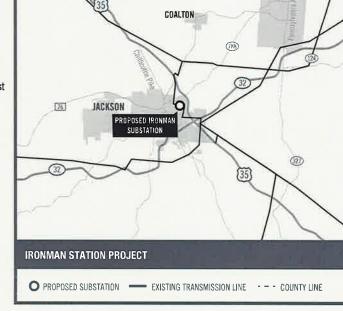
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