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Formal Complaint Form PUCO

Randall J. Fick

Customer Name (Please Print)

9336 Butler Warren Line Road

Customer Address

Cincinnati

City

OH 45241

State Zip

Against

1120-2243-01-2

Account Number

Duke Energy

Utility Company Name

Customer Service Address (if different from above)

City

State Zip

Please describe your complaint. (Attach additional sheets if necessary)

ASPCA



Christine Fick
9336 Butler Warren Line Rd.
Cincinnati, OH 45241-3409

[Signature]

Signature

513-310-9653

Customer Telephone Number

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My complaint is against Duke Energy of Cincinnati, OH.

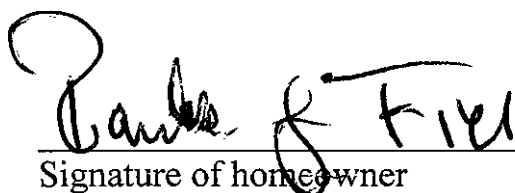
Duke Energy is negatively impacting the property values of our homes in Symmes and Deerfield Township and the City of Montgomery (which includes 180 single family homes, 3 apartment buildings and 31 condos in Symmes/Montgomery and 74 in Deerfield). They are doing this by clear cutting and obliterating (vs trimming) all trees located within a 100 foot right-of-way under the Transmission wires.

My complaint is that Duke is failing to adhere to what is permissible in the language of the Grant of Easement (written in 1951) that is associated with these properties. They are also surpassing requirements by PUCO as described in: Section F (Right of Way Vegetation Management) of its ***Programs For Inspection, Maintenance, Repair and Replacement of Distribution and Transmission Lines 4901:1-10-27(E)(1)***

Citizens of Symmes and Deerfield Township and City of Montgomery would like PUCO to stop Duke from taking this excessive and unnecessary action to clear cut trees and we want PUCO to stop Duke Energy from using toxic herbicides on our properties.

Please see attached Grant of Easement.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Barbara F. Fier", is written over a horizontal line.

Signature of homeowner

Customer of Duke Energy, Cincinnati, Ohio