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Ms. Barcy F. McNeal
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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
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**RE: Pre-Application Notification Letter
In the Matter of the Construction Notice Application of AEP Ohio
Transmission Company, Inc. for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility
and Public Need for the Devola-Gorsuch 138 kV Transmission Line Project
Case No. 18-1799-EL-BNR**

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Dear Ms. McNeal:

AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. (“AEP Ohio Transco”) files this preapplication notification letter for the above-referenced Project pursuant to Rule 4906-6-03(A) of the Ohio Administrative Code.

AEP Ohio Transco has identified the need to construct the Devola - Gorsuch 138 kV Transmission Line Project (“Project”) in Muskingum Township, Washington County, Ohio. The Project consists of constructing a new single-circuit 138 kilovolt (kV) electric transmission line that will be approximately 0.12 miles in length and will be located between the planned Devola Substation and a tap location along the existing Devola – Riverview 138 kV Transmission Line.

Construction of AEP Ohio Transco’s Project is currently planned to begin in March 2019. The in-service date for the Project is currently planned for second quarter 2020.

Please let me know if you need additional information.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Christen M. Blend

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cc: Jon Pawley, OPSB Staff

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Summary: Notice (Pre-Application Notification Letter) electronically filed by Ms. Christen M. Blend on behalf of AEP Ohio Transmission Power Company, Inc.