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May 10, 2021

Ms. Tanowa Troupe, Secretary Ohio Power Siting Board 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215

Tanner S. Wolffram Christen M. Blend Senior Counsel – Regulatory Services (614) 716-2914 (P) (614) 716-1915 (P) tswolffram@aep.com cmblend@aep.com RE: In the Matter of the Letter of Notification for the LaRue Extension 138 kV Transmission Line Project Case No 21-33-EL-BLN Proof of Compliance with O.A.C. 4906-6-07 and 4906-6-08

Dear Ms. Troupe:

AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. hereby files this proof of compliance with the notice requirements set forth in Rules 4906-6-07 and 4906-6-08 of the Ohio Administrative Code for the above-referenced project applications:

- 1. In accordance with O.A.C. 4906-6-07(A)(1), AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. served a copy of the Letter of Notification to each required chief executive officer or public agency head on February 3, 2021.
- 2. In accordance with O.A.C. 4906-6-07(A)(2), AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. served a copy of the Letter of Notification to the main public libraries on February 3, 2021.
- 3. In accordance with O.A.C. 4906-6-07(A)(3), AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. maintains information on the website for each project as to how to request a copy of the Letter of Notification.
- 4. In accordance with O.A.C. 4906-6-08(A), AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. published public notices of the Letter of Notification in newspapers of general circulation in the project's area on February 3, 2021.
- 5. In accordance with O.A.C. 4906-6-08(B), AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. mailed a letter describing the project to each property owner and affected tenant via first class mail on February 3, 2021. The letter met all the requirements of this rule.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Tanner S. Wolffram Tanner S. Wolffram (0097789) Christen Blend (0086881) Counsel for AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc.

cc: Jon Pawley



AEP Ohio 8600 Smiths Mill Road New Albany, OH 43054

May 10, 2021 Attn: Important information about your property «Landowner» «Mailing\_Address» «City», «State» «Zip\_Code»

RE: Letter of Notification LaRue Extension 138 kV Transmission Line Project Part of DeCliff – LaRue Transmission Line Project Case No. 21-0033-EL-BLN

Dear Neighbor,

You are receiving this letter because we wanted to update you on the DeCliff-LaRue Transmission Line Project.

The project involves building about 5 miles of 69-kilovolt (kV) power line and building the LaRue Substation off Clark Road South in Bowling Green Township. The new transmission line and substation provide an additional power source to the local electric transmission grid and improve electric service reliability for area customers. Without this project, the electrical network could experience voltage issues that require temporarily interrupting electrical service to customers to reduce stress on the system. These upgrades also help reduce restoration times when outages occur.

We have filed a section of this project with the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) as the LaRue Extension 138 kV Transmission Line Project. This section consists of building approximately .2 miles of power line between the proposed substation and an existing transmission line. **Please see Page 3 of this document for key regulatory information associated with this project.** Construction on the power line begins this fall and concludes summer 2022.

You may comment on the LaRue Extension 138 kV Transmission Line Project by:

- Calling Joe Demaree at (380) 205-5046
- Sending an email to jkdemaree@aep.com
- Sending your comments directly to the OPSB at 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3793. You may also contact the OPSB at (866) 270-6772 or contactopsb@puc.state.oh.us. (Note: You can file petitions to intervene in the OPSB process to the siting board up to 10 days following the public notice announcing the project).

The following map shows the project area. Please use this map only as a general guide due to its reduced scale and limited detail.

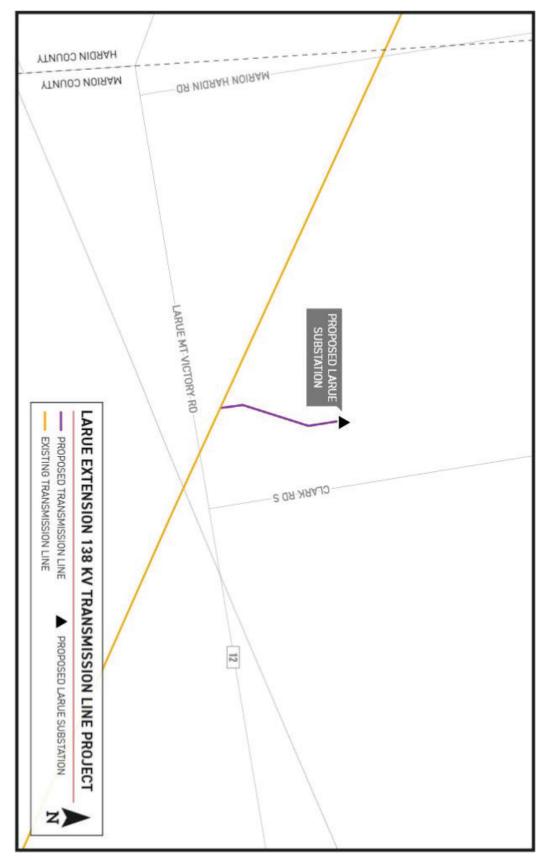
Sincerely,

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Joe Demaree Project Outreach Specialist, AEP Ohio



AEP Ohio 8600 Smiths Mill Road New Albany, OH 43054





# LaRue Extension 138 kV Transmission Line Project

# **Regulatory Information Q&A**

AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc., representatives have prepared and filed a Letter of Notification to the State of Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) for this proposed project. We must complete this filing when we make certain changes to our transmission facilities, according to Rule 4906-6-01, et. seq., of the Ohio Administrative Code.

# What is the name and docket number for this project filing?

We're filing this project with the OPSB as the LaRue Extension 138 kV Transmission Line Project, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Case No. 21-0033-EL-BLN.

# What happens now that the letter has been filed?

The Letter of Notification to construct, operate and maintain this facility awaits review by the OPSB.

# Where can I find physical copies of the Letter of Notification?

Copies of the actual Letter of Notification, including specific details about the location and construction, are available for public inspection at the following locations:

- Marion Public Library, 445 East Church Street, Marion, Ohio, 43302
- Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793 (866) 270-6772 contactopsb@puc.state.oh.us

## Where can I find electronic copies of the Letter of Notification?

Electronic versions of the Letter of Notification are available at <u>http://www.aeptransmission.com/ohio/</u> and at the OPSB website at <u>http://opsb.ohio.gov</u>. Search under current cases for Case No. 21-0033-EL-BLN.



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## **INFORMATION ABOUT A PROJECT NEAR YOU**

«OFFICE» «ATTENTION» «ADDRESS» «CITY», «STATE» «ZIP»

RE: Letter of Notification LaRue Extension 138 kV Transmission Line Project Part of DeCliff – LaRue Transmission Line Project Case No. 21-0033-EL-BLN

Dear «ADDRESSEE»:

You are receiving this letter because we wanted to update you about an electric transmission project in your area.

AEP Ohio representatives announced the DeCliff – LaRue Transmission Line Project last summer. The project involves building about 5 miles of 69-kilovolt (kV) power line and building the LaRue Substation off Clark Road South in Bowling Green Township. The new transmission line and substation provide an additional power source to the local electric transmission grid and improve electric service reliability for area customers. Without this project, the electrical network could experience voltage issues that require temporarily interrupting electrical service to customers to reduce stress on the system. These upgrades also help reduce restoration times when outages occur.

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Please see the attached Letter of Notification, which we must submit to the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) when we make certain changes to our transmission facilities. The submission complies with Rule 4906-6-01, et. seq., of the Ohio Administrative Code. We filed this project as the LaRue Extension 138 kV Transmission Line Project, Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Case No. 21-0033-EL-BLN.

The Letter of Notification to construct, operate and maintain these facilities is pending before the OPSB. Please make this Letter of Notification available to the public. We're also communicating with landowners in the project area.

The map below shows the project area. Please use this map only as a general guide due to its reduced scale and limited detail.



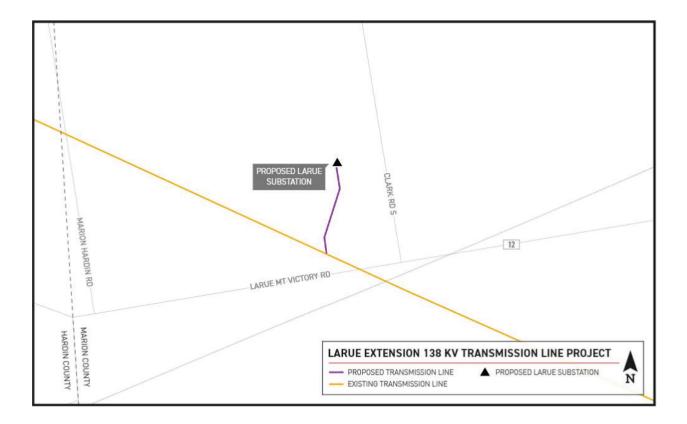
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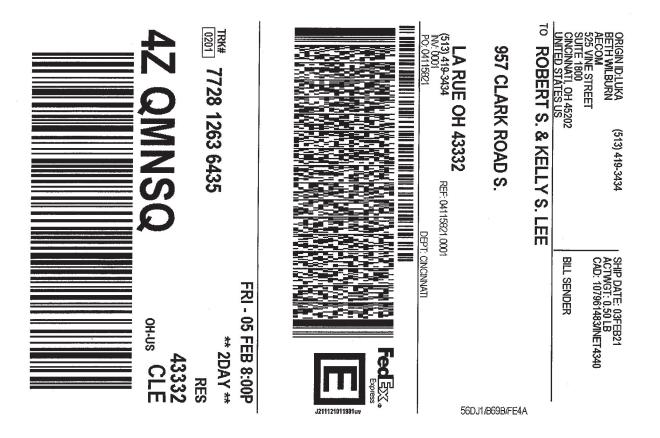
Please contact me at (380) 205-5046 or jkdemaree@aep.com if you would like an electronic or hard copy of the Letter of Notification or if you have questions about this project.

Sincerely,

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Joe Demaree Project Outreach Specialist, AEP Ohio





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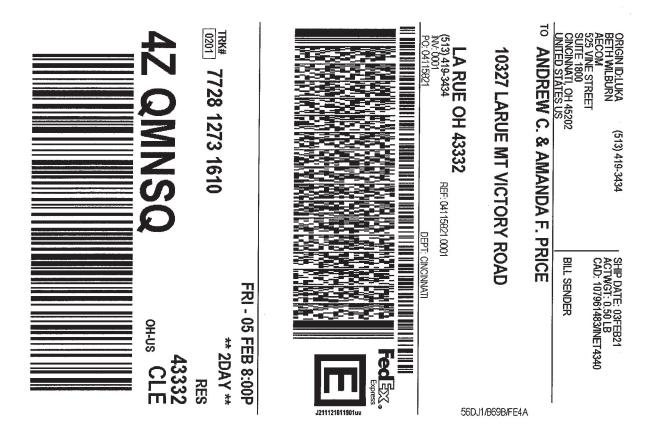
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AECOM 525 Vine Street Suite 1800 Cincinnati, OH 45202

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Otto M. & Jane A. Roux PO Box 168 LaRue, OH 43332



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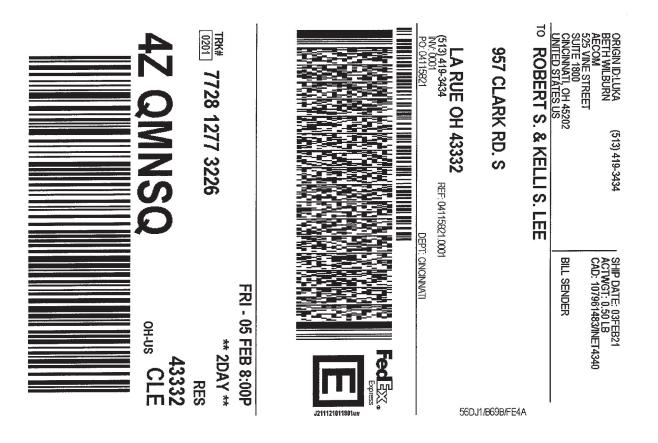


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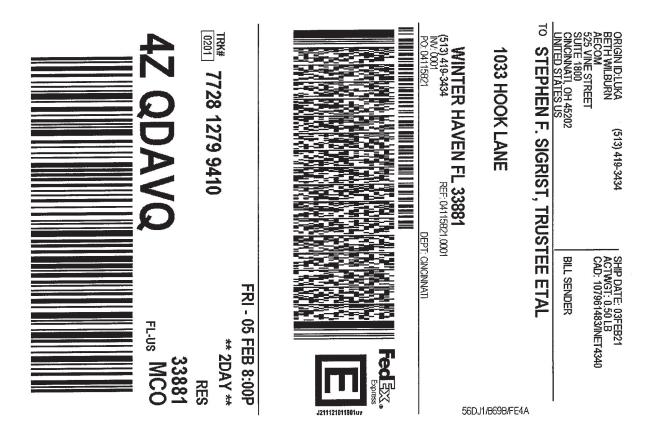


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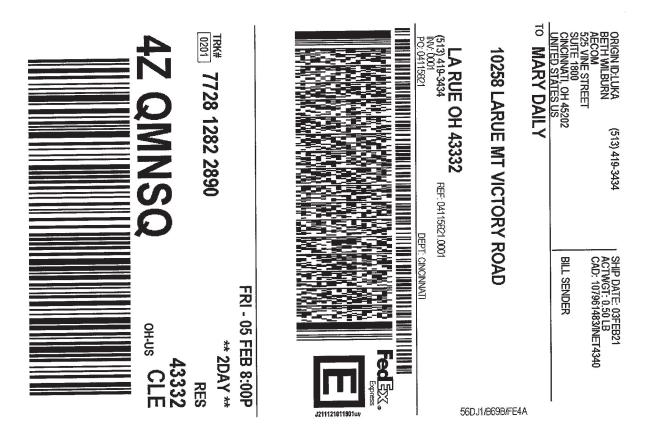


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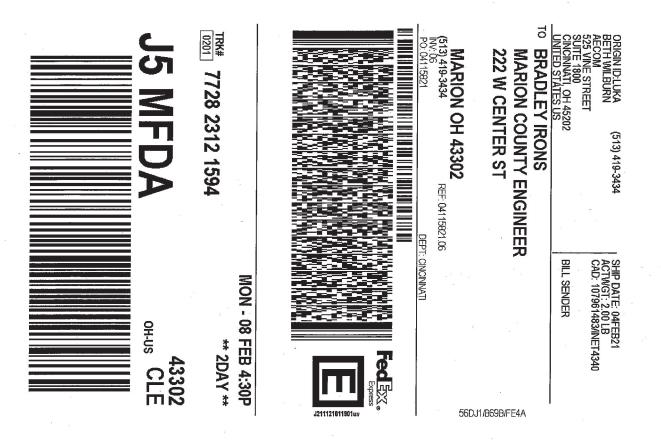


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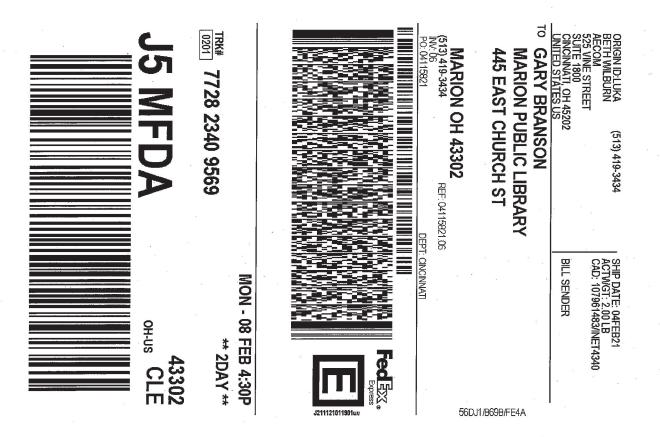


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Jared Isaacman, founder of Shift4 Payments, is donating a Dragon seat alongside his to someone from the general public. PROVIDED BY SPACEX

# Public can win seat on Dragon mission

"If we're going to continue making

advances up there in space, then we have an obligation to do the same down here on Earth," Isaacman said. "That's why Inspiration4 endeavors to mobilize the biggest fundraising and

awareness campaign in the 59-year history of St. Jude Children's Research

Hospital."
Of the four seats on Crew Dragon:
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One goes to Isaacman, who will command and plot the mission.
The second seat, labeled "Hope," will go to a frontline healthcare worker to be a search of the hospital, but did not confirm her identiv.
Named "Generosity," the third seat will go to a member of the public who donates to St. Jude at Inspiration of the search of the se

Hospital." Of the four seats on Crew Dragon:

Emre Kelly Florida Today USA TODAY NF

A tech billionaire will command

SpaceX's first all-civilian launch to or-bit later this year, the company said Monday, but the mission includes a twist: members of the public can enter to fly in one of Crew Dragon's seats. Jared Isaacman, 37, a payment sys-

tems entrepreneur and avid pilot, con-firmed he purchased a Crew Dragon mission from SpaceX for a multi-day trip around Earth slated to launch from trip around Earth slated to launch from Kennedy Space Center before the end of this year. Isaacman is founder of Shift A Payments and worth about \$2 billion, according to Porbes' real-time database of billionaires. SpaceX is well-known for twists -

SpaceX is well-known for twists – Elon Musk (id launch his personally owned Teslato deep space, after all – so this Inspirationd mission is allowing members of the public to join the trip that will complete an Earth orbit every 90 minutes. Isaacman has partnered with 5t. Jude Children's Research Hos-flort to raise \$200 million or more for the facility.



#### LOCAL BRIEFS

# Area representatives receive committee appointments

COLUMBUS - State Representative Tracy Richardson (R-Marysville) has been named chair of the finance subcommittee on the Primary & Secondary Education Committee. Richardson will also serve on the

Armed Services and Veterans Affairs, Finance, Primary and Secondary Edu-cation, and the Technology and Innovation committees.

Richardson is serving her second term in the Ohio House of Representa-tives representing the 86th District, which consists of Union and Marion counties.

Representative Riordan McClain (R-Upper Sandusky) was assigned to three standing committees: Infrastructure and Rural Development; Transporta-tion and Public Safety (vice chair); and

Ways and Public Safety (vice chair), and Ways and Means. McClain represents the 87th Dis-trict, which includes all of Crawford, Morrow and Wyandot counties, as well as portions of Marion and Seneca counties.

# Pleasant Township Trustees reorganize for 2021

PLEASANT TWP - Pleasant Town

PLEASANT TWP - Pleasant Town-ship held its reorganizational meeting on Jan. 2. Steven Lust was selected chairman. Other officers are Vice Chairman Wayne Creasap, other trus-tee David Schrote, and Fiscal Officer Lavon Verity.

tee David Schröte, and Fiscal Oncer Lavon Verity. Creased will be the representative for the fire department and health board. Lust will be the township repre-

sentative to DKMM and the Pleasant Township park representative. Schrote will continue to oversee the senior cen-

Linda Coope

with OhioHealth

OhioHealth Physician Group (left) presents the \$237 that was raised to United Way Resource Development Director Leslie Schneider. SUBMITTED

ter and road department. The Pleasant Township Zoning In-spector is Tom Baker. He can be reached at 740-360-0601 or pleasanttwspzoning@outlook.com.

Pleasant Township Zoning Commis-Pleasant Township Zoning Commis-sion members are Ton Leib, Jack Dean, Scott Ballinger, Dwight Williams and Harry Holler, Pleasant Township Zon-ing Appeals Board consists of Tim Mi-chaels, Jim Conway, Mark Freyhof, Jeff Bay and Jeff Dine. Stephanie Barkley is the secretary for both boards. The Pleasant Township Fire Depart-ment will continue to nonerate a full time

ment will continue to operate a full time squad service. Senior Center contact information

Senior Center contact information for rental purposes will be Lavon Verity. She can be reached at 740-341-9555 or 740-389-6029. However, due to COVID

740-389-6029. However, due to COVID restrictions, the senior center is not taking reservations at this time. Regular meetings for Pleasant Township will be held the third Mon-day of the month at 6 p.m. All meetings are held at the Pleasant Senior Center on Owens Road until further notice. The annual financial report for fiscal year 2020 is complete and may be re-viewed by calling 740-389-6029.

OhioHealth associates donate to UW campaign

MARION - OhioHealth associates at the Marion Voltorie and associates i the Marion Medical Campus recent held a fundraiser for United Way Marion County. Their efforts raise \$237 for the United Way campaign.

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#### NOTICE OF PROPOSED MAJOR UTILITY FACILITY AEP Ohio Transmission Co., Inc. (AEP Ohio Transco) representatives Act of the farsh and the second secon PROPOSED LARUE The new transmission line and substation provide an additional po The new data instantial and the analysis of the produce of the local electric transmission grid and help reduce restoration times when outages occur. Without this project, the electrical network could experience voltage issues that require temporarily interrupting electrical service to customers to reduce stress on the system. Construction of the power line begins this Fall and concludes HARD Summer 2022. AEP Ohio Transco representatives filed a Letter of Notification with the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) for the new .2-mile line as the LaRue Extension 138 kV Transmission Line Project, Case No. 21-0033-EL-BLN. The Letter of Notification to construct, operate and maintain this facility awaits review by the OPSB. LARUE EXTENSION 138 KV TRANSMISSION LINE PROJECT A N The OPSB accepts motions to intervene in the Letter of Notification up to 10 days following the publication date of this notice. The requirements to intervene are included in Rule 4906-2-12 of the Ohio Administrative Code. Please address motions to Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 E. Broad St. Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3793 and cite Case No. 21-0033-EL-BLN. ▲ PROPOSED LARUE SUBSTATION - PROPOSED TRANSMISSION LINE EXISTING TRANSMISSION LINE The accompanying map shows the project area. Please use this map only as a general guide due to its reduced scale and limited detail. Copies of the actual Letter of Notification, including specific details about the location and construction, are available for public inspection at the following locations Marion Public Library, 445 F. Church St., Marion OH, 43302 Ohio Power Siting Board 180 F. Broad St Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3793 (866) 270-6772 contactopsb@puc.state.oh.us

Electronic versions of the Letter of Notification are available at http://www.aeptransmission.com/ohio/ and at the OPSB website at http://opsb.ohio.gov Search under current cases for Case No. 21-0033-EL-BLN. The following local city and county government officials have been served with a copy of the application as required by OPSB regulations

Marion County Board of Commissioners, Mr. Andy Appelfeller Marion County Board of Commissioners, Mr. Kerr Murray

Marion County Board of Commissioners, Mr. Kerr Murray Marion County Board of Commissioners, Mr. Ken Stiverson Marion County Engineer, Mr. Bradley Irons Marion County Soil & Water Conservation District, Michelle Mattix Bowling Green Township Board of Trustees, Mr. Richard Holcomb Bowling Green Township Board of Trustees, Mr. Duane Wolf Bowling Green Township Board of Trustees, Mr. Duane Wolf

Bowling Green Township Board of Trustees, Mr. David Trihaft Bowling Green Township Fiscal Officer, Ms. Robin Anderson If you are a local city or county government official and would like an electronic or hard copy of the Letter of Notification, please contact Joe Demaree at the information listed below To ask a question or make a comment about the project, please call (380) 205-5046 or send an email inquiry to jkdemaree@aep.com.

Send mail inquiries to the following address

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Summary: Notice Proof of Compliance associated exhibits for the B LaRue Extension 138 kV Transmission Line Project electronically filed by Tanner Wolffram on behalf of AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc.