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I, S. Smithhisler, did witness the participants named above electronically sign this document.





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March 7, 2022

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**RE: Case No. 21-0199-EL-BTX**  
**In the matter of the Application of AEP Ohio**  
**Transmission Company Inc. for a Certificate of Environmental**  
**Compatibility and Public Need for the Groves Road-Shannon 138 kV**  
**Transmission Line Project**

Dear Ms. Troupe:

Attached please find a copy of the Application of AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. for a Certificate of Compatibility and Public Need (“Application”) for the above-referenced project. This filing is made pursuant to O.A.C. 4906-5-01, *et seq.* and 4906-2-01, *et seq.*

Filing of this Application is effected electronically pursuant to O.A.C. 4906-2-02(A) and (D). Five printed copies and ten additional electronic copies (USBs) of this filing will also be submitted to the Staff of the Ohio Power Siting Board for its use.

The following information is included pursuant to O.A.C. 4906-2-04(A)(3):

- (a) Applicant:  
AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc.  
8500 Smith’s Mill Road  
New Albany, Ohio 43054
- (b) Facilities to be Certified:  
Groves Road-Shannon 138 kV Transmission Line
- (c) Applicant’s Authorized Representative with respect to this Application:  
Adam Clark  
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If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

/s/ Hector Garcia

Hector Garcia (0084517), Counsel of Record  
Counsel for AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc.

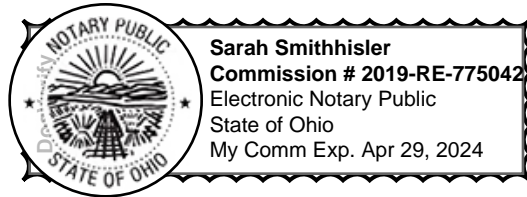
Now comes Toby L. Thomas and states that the information contained in the Application is complete and correct to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief.

Toby Thomas

Toby L. Thomas President & COO  
AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc.

STATE OF OHIO  
COUNTY OF FRANKLIN

Sworn to and subscribed before me by Toby L. Thomas this 7th day of March, 2022.



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S. Smithhisler  
Notary Public

Cc: Executive Director and Counsel, c/o Jon Pawley, OPSB Supervisor



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Summary: Application Cover Letter electronically filed by Hector Garcia-Santana on behalf of AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc.