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Ms. Tanowa Troupe, Secretary  
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
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**RE: Pre-Application Notification Letter  
In the matter of the Construction Notice Application of Ohio  
Power Company for a Certificate of Environmental  
Compatibility and Public Need for the Fostoria-East Lima 138kV Hard Tap  
Project in Case No. 22-1134-EL-BNR**

Dear Ms. Troupe:

Ohio Power Company (the “Company”) files this pre-application notification letter for the above-referenced Project pursuant to Rule 4906-6-03(A) of the Ohio Administrative Code.

The Company is proposing to construct the Fostoria-East Lima 138 kV Hard Tap Project (“Project”) located in Allen Township, Hancock County, Ohio. The Project involves cutting into and constructing less than 0.1 miles of 138 kV transmission line from the Fostoria-East Lima 138 kV line to a new customer point of interconnection.

The Company anticipates that construction of the Project will begin in March 2023. The anticipated in-service date for the Project is the end of March 2023.

Pursuant to Ohio Adm. Code 4906-6-04, the Company requests expedited treatment of its application for this Project, with a 60-day review period. Consistent with Ohio Adm. Code 4906-6-04(A), a copy of the Company’s application will be submitted to the executive director or the executive director’s designee at or before the application’s filing. A copy will also be provided to the Board Staff via electronic message. The Company will also submit a check in the amount of \$2,000 to the Treasurer, State of Ohio, for Fund 5610 for the expedited fees.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Hector Garcia

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**Case No(s). 22-1134-EL-BNR**

Summary: Correspondence Pre-application with request to expedite. electronically  
filed by Hector Garcia-Santana on behalf of Ohio Power Company