

**BEFORE
THE OHIO POWER SITING BOARD**

In the Matter of the Letter of Notification)
Columbus Solar Park LLC Model Landfill)
Solar 138 kV Gen-Tie Transmission Line)
Project Franklin County, Ohio.) Case No. No 23-0256-EL-BLN

**RESPONSES TO STAFF'S FIRST DATA REQUEST
DATED APRIL 25, 2023**

1. Is the existing Columbus Power Substation owned by the City of Columbus?

RESPONSE: Yes. It is called the Jackson Pike Substation.

2. Just for information, would the solar facility be located in Grove City on property between Jackson Pike and Interstate 71?

RESPONSE: Yes.

3. Please elaborate on the mechanism for cost recovery of the Project, and the portion that would be allocated to the electric customers of the City of Columbus and to the residents of the city.

RESPONSE: Generator is paying for all the upgrades and being reimbursed through power sales.

4. Has this Project been submitted to PJM for its review and assignment of a supplemental upgrade number?

RESPONSE: Division of Power ("DOP") is a distribution utility and not a PJM member. The studies done by DOP showed no impact to PJM grid. No filing is required, per PJM tariff.

5. Has this Project been included in a Long-Term Forecast Report?

RESPONSE: No. As a distribution utility, this would not be applicable. The higher voltage 138kv and 69kv systems owned by DOP are considered distribution from a FERC perspective, and not subject to PJM or NERC.

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