

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Joint Petition of Licking)
Rural Electrification, Inc. and Ohio Power) Case No. 05-1207-EL-PEB
Company Requesting Revision to a Territorial)
Boundary Map.)

ENTRY


The Commission finds:

- (1) Licking Rural Electrification, Inc. (Licking R.E.I.) and Ohio Power Company (Ohio Power) are electric suppliers as defined in Section 4933.81, Revised Code.
- (2) Certification by the Commission of the territories of Licking R.E.I. and Ohio Power was approved by Entries dated June 3, 1981 and September 28, 1983, respectively in Case No. 78-1311-EL-ORD.
- (3) Licking R.E.I. and Ohio Power have jointly petitioned the Commission to reallocate their service territories in Licking County, Newark Township, Ohio. Specifically, they request the following overlap:

On quadrangle map N-20, include overlap "B" in Licking County, Newark Township and that this overlap be at 936 Sharon Valley Road, Newark, Ohio. The customer's address above to be served by Ohio Power in overlap "B".

- (4) In support of their request, the petitioners state that, due to a renovation of the customer's facility, which is already serviced by Ohio Power but has extended into Licking R.E.I., the line needs to be reallocated so that the service can be retained with Ohio Power.
- (5) Section 4933.83 (E), Revised Code, provides in pertinent part:

Notwithstanding the effectuation of certified territories established by or pursuant to sections 4933.81 to 4933.90 of the Revised Code, and the exclusive right of electric suppliers to serve within such territory, and notwithstanding any other provisions of such sections establishing the rights of electric suppliers to furnish electric service, any two or more electric suppliers may jointly petition the Commission for the reallocation of

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their own territories and electric load centers among them and designating which portions of such territories and electric load centers are to be served by each of the electric suppliers.

- (6) No exception to the change described in Finding (3) has been brought to the Commission's attention.
- (7) The Commission finds that granting the requested relief will promote the purposes of Sections 4933.81 to 4933.90, Revised Code, and will further promote the provision of adequate service to all territories and electric load centers affected by the relocation. Accordingly, the Commission shall order the appropriate modification of the territorial boundary of Licking R.E.I. and Ohio Power.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That the request of Licking R.E.I. and Ohio Power to relocate their territory boundary is granted. It is, further,

ORDERED, That the change on quadrangle map N-20, described in Finding (3) be approved to show the boundary line change. It is, further,

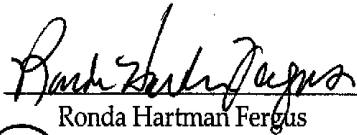
ORDERED, That the petitioners submit, within fourteen (14) days, two copies of the approved revised quadrangle map N-20 to our Docketing Division to be placed in the Commission's map files. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon each party of record.

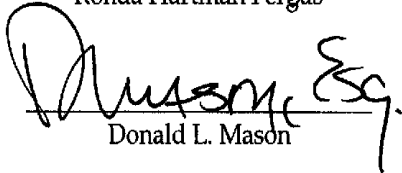
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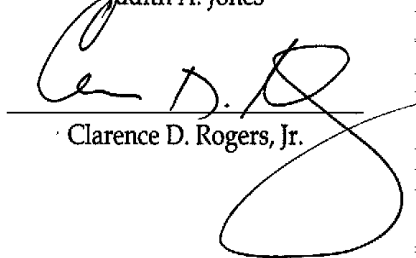


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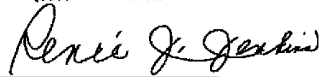


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