

BEFORE THE
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

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Application of Transource Pennsylvania, LLC

Filed Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Chapter 57, Supchapter G

For Approval of the Siting and Construction of the 230 kV Transmission Line

Associated with the Independence Energy Connection-West Project in Portions of Franklin County

Docket No. A-2017-2640200

PROTEST

Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Sections 5.51, *et seq.* and 66 Pa. C. S. Sections 1101, *et seq.*, S Susan

McMurtray files this Protest to the Independence Energy Connection-West. In support of this Protest, S

Susan McMurtray avers as follows:

1. The name and contact information of the Protestant is as follows:

S Susan McMurtray, 1567 Spring Side Drive East, Chambersburg, PA 17202-4718.

2. My home is directly parallel to the proposed transmission line. I am 70 years old and the majority of my investment is in my home. With this transmission line being that close to my home, the value of my home will decrease substantially. My community is home to all retired families as well as much wildlife with a beautiful natural stream filled with rainbow trout, What impact will this power line have on it? Negative for sure.

3. I am concerned with how the Company's proposal will impact utility rates and property interest. Transource's project will have zero benefit to the area hosting the project, and will only have a negative impact on or beautiful area.

4. I have an underground electrical fence for my dog which cost \$1,000 to install and am concerned at how this electrical transmission line will affect it and any stray voltage will affect my pet that the AEP has admitted to and created a video on their website. The video is entitled "What's a Nuisance Shock?"

WHEREFORE, S Susan McMurtray respectfully requests that the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission not to approve the Application of Transource Pennsylvania, LLC

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Docket No. A-2017-2640200 and that the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission continue to investigate and hold full hearings regarding the filing.

I would suggest you come to the area and walk the proposed line. Come into our homes and look out our front doors, windows or from our yards and see what how our views and property values will be affected. Our environment, once damaged and lost to this project, is irrecoverable. Please do not jeopardize our future, our children and our children's children future.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "S. Susan McMurtray". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "M" and "T".

S Susan McMurtray

Dated: 7 February 2018

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Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
PA Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Bldg.
400 North Street
Harrisburg, PA 17120

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Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

I write to you to voice my extreme concern over the proposed site & construction of the 230 kV Transmission Line associated with the Independence Energy Connection – West Project in portions of Franklin County Docket No. A 2017-26402000. Seven years ago I purchased a duplex at 1567 Spring Side Drive East, Chambersburg, PA to serve as my retirement home. Now this home is in direct sight of the proposed transmission line. I am not a wealthy woman. I am divorced, 70 years of age and still employed part time. Most of my savings are invested in this home. If this transmission line goes through, just across the street and on top of the hill, the value of my home for the past 7 years is going to drop tremendously. Surely there is another less inhabited area where this power line could be erected instead of through an area where beautiful homes, a gorgeous portion of the Falling Spring stream, farm animals and pets are located.

It is my understanding that this transmission line will not serve of any use to the residents that it affects. Our electrical rates will not decrease. Harm will come to our health, our property values decrease and the beauty of our countryside be destroyed.

I hereby request that this project be stopped from going through Franklin County where it will have a long term effect on our area.

Respectfully submitted,

S. Susan McMurtray

S Susan McMurtray
1567 Spring Side Drive East
Chambersburg, PA 17257-4718

VERIFICATION

I, S Susan McMurttray, hereby state that the facts above set forth are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief and that I expect to be able to prove the same at a hearing held in this matter. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S. § 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities).

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I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing Petition to Intervene upon parties of record in this proceeding in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a participant), in the manner and upon the persons listed below:

Dated 7 February 2018

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