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BEFORE THE

PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

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.*, Willa Weller Kaal files this Protest to the Independence Energy Connection-West. In support of this Protest, Willa Weller Kaal avers as follows:

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

Willa Weller Kaal, 67 Summer Breeze Lane, Chambersburg, PA 17202

2. I, Willa, am a rate payer in the state of Pennsylvania, and the proposed route of the powerline is close enough to be visible from my property. and thus potentially affect my property values.

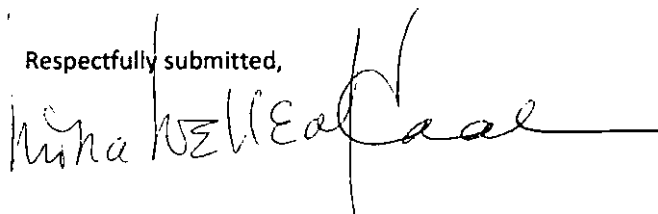
3. The completion of this proposed powerline will affect my rates by the fact that the cost of the project is passed to the ratepayers in our electric bill, and the impact of the completion of this market efficiency project will result in higher rates on our end of the project. Also, it is my feeling that the project will cause harm to the residents of Franklin County and the ecosystem in which we live in many ways, and offers no benefit in exchange for the harm it would do.

4. The construction of a high voltage power line of this size will damage the view shed and destroy the "undeveloped" rural and historic character of our valley. It will also impact residents by its devastating effect on our agritourism industry. Even more compelling is the immediate effects the construction

project, particularly the drilling, will have on our water sheds and farm lands. Construction activity will damage our local roads and the cost of their repair will be passed on to local property owners, whose property values will have been decreased by the project. The line goes over ground which was the path of the portion of the retreat of the Confederate Army from Harrisburg to the south and at part of the retreat line of the wounded from the Battle of Gettysburg, and could damage yet undiscovered archeological sites. As for health effects to humans, livestock and the natural fauna of our area, it has not been proven that EMF radiation is not harmful.

WHEREFORE, Willa Weller Kaal respectfully requests the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission not to approve the filing of the Independence Energy Connection Project and wants the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission to investigate and hold full hearings regarding the filing in Franklin County, and that the judges visit the site of the proposed line in person.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Willa Weller Kaal", written over a horizontal line. The signature is cursive and somewhat stylized.

Dated: February 5, 2018

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Re: Application of Transource Pennsylvania, LLC Filed Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Chapter 57 Subchapter G, for Approval of the Siting and Construction of the 230kV Transmission Line Associated with the Independence Energy Connection-West Project in Portions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania Docket No. A-2017-2640200

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 February 5, 2018

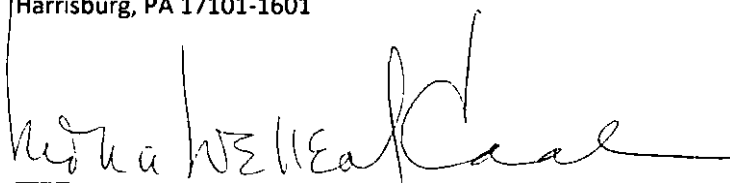
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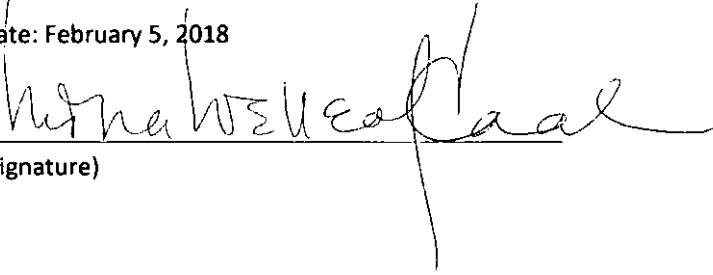


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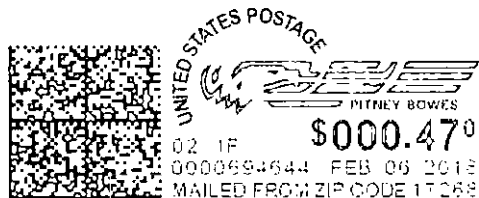
VERIFICATION

I, Willa Weller Kaal, hereby state that the facts above set forth are true and correct (or 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).

Date: February 5, 2018

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(Signature)



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