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BEFORE THE

PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

Application of Transource Pennsylvania, LLC

Filed Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Chapter 57, Subchapter 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 and 66 Pa. C. S. 1101, et. seq. Deborah A. Schreiber-Ott files this Protest to the Independence Energy Connection-West. In support of this Protest Deborah A. Schreiber-Ott avers as follows:

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

Deborah A. Schreiber-Ott
1546 Spring Side Drive East
Chambersburg, PA 17202

2. The Protestant deems the right to protest this utility proposal based on the following:
 - a. The Protestant is a resident of Franklin County, Pennsylvania.
 - b. The Protestant is a taxpayer in the Chambersburg School District - its borough and townships.
 - c. The Protestant is a property owner adjacent to the path of the proposed transmission line.
3. The Protestant identifies significant concerns regarding implementation of the proposed transmission line
 - a. Franklin County has long been recognized for its quality of life - best noted in the many individuals who choose Franklin County both as a family-based community as well as a welcome oasis for retirement. The significance of the view scape and total environmental experience in this beautiful valley cannot be ignored. Monstrous erector set structures do not fit the landscape!!!
 - b. Agri-business and tourism are a vital part of the financial well-being of our community.

This proposed transmission line is a real threat to both of these economies. The negative impact on our community for the sake of market efficiency down the line to Baltimore and Washington , etc. is unacceptable.

- c. As this proposed line travels through Franklin County it affects pristine farmland, established neighborhoods, an elementary school , and a high school cross country course. All of this is to be sacrificed at a time when energy efficiency and alternative energy resources would seem to be redirecting/reducing our power demands. Is this project a necessity or power emergency??

4. The Protestant owns property(purchased in 2009) adjacent to the proposed transmission line , an adjacent cornfield. The Fall cornfield waltz, the small herd of deer, and the flock of wild turkeys have been temporary benefits. The land was zoned for residential development. Most of the residents here, like me, are retired and living independently until our next transition. Our homes are our equity nest eggs. To hear that our home value could reduce 50% is catastrophic! But it is more devastating to think that this area could transform from residential tranquility to utility wasteland.

WHEREFORE, Deborah A. Schreiber-Ott respectfully requests that you not approve the filing of Approval of the Siting and Construction of the 230 kV Transmission line as in **Docket A-2017-2640200** and investigate and hold full hearings regarding the filing.

Respectfully submitted,

Deborah A. Schreiber-Ott

Deborah A. Schreiber Ott

February 10, 2018

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VERIFICATION

I, [Name of Protestant], 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: [insert date] *February 9, 2018*

Deborah A. Schreiber-Ott
(Signature)

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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 [Insert Date] *February 9, 2018*

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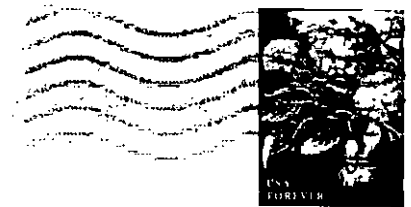
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