

PROTEST LETTER February 3, 2018

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

Re: Application of Transource Pennsylvania,
LLC Filed Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Chapter 57,
for Approval of the Siting and Construction of
the 230 kV Transmission Line Associated with
the Independence Energy Connection-East
Project in Portions of York County,
Pennsylvania

Docket No. A-2017-2640195

PROTEST

Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Sections 5.51, *et seq.* and 66 Pa. C. S. Sections 1101, *et seq.*, Bradley Waltermyer files this Protest to the Transource Filing Docket No. A-2017-2640195. In support of this Protest, Bradley Waltermyer avers as follows:

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

Bradley Waltermyer
329 Bare Rd
Airville, PA 17302
(717) 817-2502

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2. My interest in this project is as

I am a Trustee and Deacon of Tabernacle Regular Baptist Church. The church is located at 23 Chanceford Rd which will be passed on 2 sides by the lines, and will also be beside the proposed substation. I also hunt on lands and woods that lines will pollute.

3. The grounds for our protest of this proposal:

Our country church will be greatly affected by the project, being nearly surrounded by lines and the substation. The nature of our Regular Baptist church is based on a rural character that would be greatly affected. The change in the landscape may affect membership, and the value of the property. Cell phone service is already poor and these lines will eliminate any remaining signal in the area making 911 unreachable from the church. This is important as the church no longer maintains a land line.

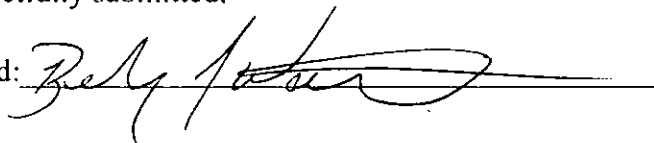
4. This directly affects me. As a church official I must concern myself with the health and prosperity of the church building and the people. I am concerned that there will be a major drop in church

attendance because of the loss of character, and health concerns. There will also be a decrease in the value of church property for which I am a trustee. I am also concerned for the health and well-being of my family while attending church and driving under the lines daily.

WHEREFORE, BRALEY JOSEPH WALTERMYER respectfully requests Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission to fully investigate the costs and benefits of the filing, strongly impose a condition that all other existing rights of way and infrastructure should be utilized before any new power line projects are approved, and **the Commission should deny the Transource filing.**

Respectfully submitted,

Signed:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Braley Joseph Waltermyer", written over a horizontal line.

**BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY
COMMISSION**

Application of Transource Pennsylvania, LLC
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Supchapter G, for Approval of the Siting and
Construction of the 230 kV Transmission Line
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Connection-East Project in Portions of York
County, Pennsylvania

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VERIFICATION

I, BRADLEY JOSEPH WALTERMYER.

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: 2 / 3 / 2018

Signature: 

Address:

329 BARE RD

AIRVILLE PA 17302

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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-East Project in Portions of York County, Pennsylvania
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I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing document, the Office of Consumer Advocate's Protest and Public Statement to Transource Pennsylvania, LLC, 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 this 25th day of January 2018

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