

February 14, 2018

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

Harrisburg, PA 17120

Supchapter G for Approval of the Siting and
Construction of the 230 kV Transmission Line
Associated with the Independence Energy
Connection-East Project in Portion of York
County, Pennsylvania

Re: Application of Transource Pennsylvania,
LLC Filed Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Chapter 57

Docket No. A-2017-2640195

PROTEST

Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code 5.51, *et seq.* and 66 Pa. C. S. Sections 1101, *et. Seq.*, Leonard M. Traynor II files this Protest to the Transource Filing Docket No. A-2017-2640195. In Support of this Protest, Leonard M. Traynor II avers as follows:

1. The name and contact information of the Protestant is as follows: Leonard M. Traynor II of 900 Hickory Hill Ln, York, PA 17402
2. My interest in this project is as landowner of 615 Alum Rock Road, New Park, PA 17352, Fawn Township, York County, state of Pennsylvania.
3. The grounds for our protest of this proposal:
 - a. This project does not benefit us, our farm land or the community in any way. It serves to devalue our property and the community without any benefits and it is expected to increase electric rates.
 - b. Potential health hazard to us and our neighbors.
 - c. The loss of our beautiful surroundings.
 - d. There are at least two existing right of ways that could be used to facilitate the proposed lines. Where do we draw the line in scaring our beautiful state? How many unnecessary right of ways need to be granted?
4. This directly affects me by:
 - a. Inflicting a significant financial loss for my investment. My property is adjacent to, and in the line of sight of the proposed Transource power line. I currently use my property as residential rental housing. Having a high-tension power line within a few hundred yards of my home and in a direct line of sight will:

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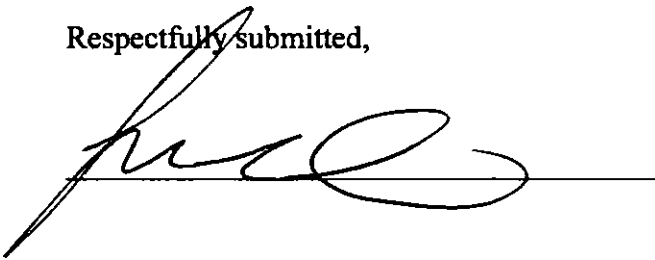
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- a. Reduce the rental income due to potential health risks imposed upon potential tenants
 - b. Reduce the rental value due to the loss of scenic farmland that is replaced with industrial looking power lines
 - c. Reduce the resale value of my property due to potential health risks imposed upon potential buyers.
 - d. Reduce the resale value of my property due to the loss of scenic farmland that is replaced with industrial looking power lines.
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- b. The severe loss of overall market value to us and the community's property value.
 - c. The loss of precious memories, quality of life and general health due to the clear cut right of way and power lines

WHEREFORE, Leonard M. Traynor II respectfully requests Pennsylvania Public Utility commission to investigate the filing and strongly impose a condition that all other existing rights of way and infrastructure should be utilized before any new power line projects are approved. **The commission should deny the Transource filing.**

Respectfully submitted,



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VERIFICATION

I, Leonard M. Traynor II,

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 14, 2018

Signature:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'L. M. Traynor II', written over a horizontal line.

Address:
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