

September 25, 2024

**Via Electronic Filing**

Rosemary Chiavetta, Esquire  
PA Public Utility Commission  
Secretary  
P.O. Box 3265  
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**Re: Docket No. A-2024-\_\_\_\_\_**  
**Application of PECO Energy Company**  
**Amtrak Rail Crossing Alteration: S. Pennsylvania Avenue, Morrisville**

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Attached for filing is the Application of PECO Energy Company (PECO) for approval to alter the above-grade crossing of Amtrak tracks located at South Pennsylvania Avenue (SR 2073) in Morrisville, Bucks County.

A copy of PECO's Application has been provided to the Service List in the manner indicated on the Certificate of Service.

If there are any questions, or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

Reger Rizzo & Darnall LLP



Margaret A. Morris

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Enclosure

cc: William Sinick, Rail Safety Engineering, PA Public Utility Commission [w/encl.]  
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Service List [w/encl.]

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been served upon the following person(s), *via* **ELECTRONIC or FIRST-CLASS MAIL**, in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code § 1.54 (relating to service by a participant).

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**BEFORE THE  
PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

Application of PECO Energy Company for :  
approval to alter the above-grade crossing of :  
Amtrak tracks (DOT # 530979E) so as to upgrade : Docket No. A-2024-\_\_\_\_\_  
existing gas main located at South Pennsylvania :  
Avenue, Morrisville, Bucks County, Pennsylvania. :

**APPLICATION OF PECO ENERGY COMPANY  
TO ALTER ABOVE-GRADE CROSSING AT SOUTH PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE,  
MORRISVILLE, BUCKS COUNTY**

**TO PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION:**

1. The name and address of the Applicant is PECO Energy Company, 2301 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19103-1380 (Applicant or PECO).

2. The Applicant is a public utility incorporated under Pennsylvania Law and is a subsidiary corporation of the Exelon Corporation. The Applicant, *inter alia*, provides gas service in Pennsylvania. As a gas utility, PECO avers that it has the corporate right to utilize the public above-grade crossing of four (4) Amtrak tracks (DOT # 530979E) located at South Pennsylvania Avenue (SR 2073), Morrisville, Bucks County (the Crossing) so as to replace the existing 6” gas main with a 12” steel gas main in order to improve service and reliability to its customers (Project).

3. PECO is represented by the following counsel:

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4. The Plan and Profile drawings are provided as Attachment 1.

5. The Applicant notified the following entities *via* Electronic or First-Class Mail, including the Plan and Profile, explaining its reason for the Project and its intention to obtain Commission approval to alter the Crossing described herein:

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6. The Applicant estimates the cost of the Project to be \$3,681,775.00 and agrees to bear all the costs incurred in furnishing material and performing the work necessary to replace the existing gas main at the Crossing.

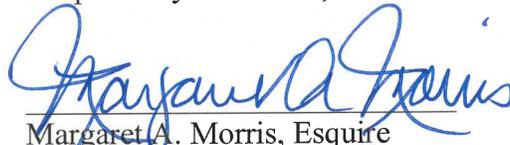
7. The Applicant avers it is necessary and proper for the accommodation, convenience, and service of the public that the Commission authorize the Project.

8. A field visit is not required.

9. The Applicant does not request a hearing prior to issuance of an order approving the Application.

**WHEREFORE**, PECO Energy Company, requests that its Application to alter the above-grade crossing of four (4) Amtrak tracks (DOT # 530979E) located at South Pennsylvania Avenue (SR 2073), Morrisville, Bucks County (the Crossing) so as to upgrade the existing gas main, be approved.

Respectfully submitted,



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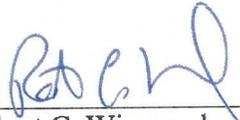
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**VERIFICATION**

I, Robert C. Winegrad, of PECO Energy Company, hereby state that the facts in the foregoing document(s) are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief. I understand that false statements therein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S. § 4904, relating to unsworn falsifications to authorities.

9/24/24

Date



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PECO Energy Company

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## Attachment 1

### Plan and Profile

