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IN REPLY PLEASE
REFER TO OUR FILE
A-2026-3062686
P-2026-3062687

August 4, 2026

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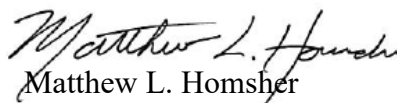
Dear Attorney Povilaitis:

Pursuant to the August 3, 2026 Interim Order #1, you are directed upon receipt of this letter to publish the enclosed notice in a newspaper having a general circulation in the area involved as more fully set forth in the August 3, 2026 Interim Order #1 and file proof of publication with the Commission on or before October 15, 2026.

Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code § 5.14, the Commission will proceed with publishing the attached notice in the *Pennsylvania Bulletin*. This notice will appear in the Saturday, August 15, 2026 issue.

This matter will receive the attention of the Commission, and you will be advised of any further necessary procedure.

Sincerely,


Matthew L. Homsher
Secretary

cc: Alan Seltzer, Esquire
Enclosure

**PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
NOTICE TO BE PUBLISHED**

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
Known as Project 9A West in a Portion of Franklin County, Pennsylvania

Docket Nos. A-2026-3062686, P-2026-3062687

Formal protests and petitions to intervene must be filed in accordance with Title 52 of the Pennsylvania Code, on or before October 15, 2026. All filings must be made with the Secretary of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, 400 North Street, 2nd Floor, Harrisburg, PA 17120, with a copy served on the Applicant. The documents filed in support of the Application are available for examination during ordinary business hours at the following locations: Alexander Hamilton Memorial Free Library, 45 E Main Street, Waynesboro, Pennsylvania 17268; Mont Alto Campus Library (Penn State Library), 1 Campus Drive, Mont Alto, Pennsylvania 17237; and, Coyle Free Library, 102 North Main Street, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania 17201; and online via the Commission's website at: www.puc.pa.gov

Applicant:

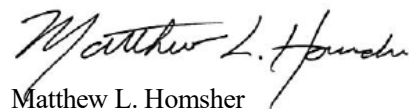
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BY THE COMMISSION



Matthew L. Homsher
Secretary

In-Person Prehearing Conference Notice

This is to inform you that the Prehearing Conference previously scheduled for August 19, 2026, has been cancelled and rescheduled, to be held as follows:

Type: **In-Person Prehearing Conference**

Date: **Thursday, October 29, 2026**

Time: **Beginning at 9:00 AM**

Location: **Hearing Room 1
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120**

Presiding: **Administrative Law Judge Emily A. Farren
Administrative Law Judge Steven K. Haas**

PURPOSE. The purpose of the Prehearing Conference is to discuss all relevant procedural issues, including *inter alia*, consolidation, development of a procedural schedule, and deadlines for discovery, related to these three proceedings. The parties shall be fully prepared for a useful discussion of all issues involved in the proceedings, both procedural and substantive, and fully authorized to make commitments with respect thereto. *See* 52 Pa. Code § 5.222(d).

PREHEARING CONFERENCE MEMORANDA. Parties will be required to file Prehearing Conference Memoranda on or before October 22, 2026. Further instructions will be provided.

SITING AND CONSTRUCTION APPLICATION. On May 21, 2026, Transource Pennsylvania, LLC filed an Application seeking the Commission's approval for the siting and construction of a proposed new electric substation and double-circuit Rice-Ringgold 230 kV electric transmission line and related facilities in portions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania, referred to as the 9A West Project. The 9A West Project proposes the siting and construction of a new Rice-Ringgold 230 kV transmission line that would extend approximately 28.8 miles to connect the existing Ringgold Substation located near Smithsburg, Washington County, Maryland and the proposed Rice Substation to be located in Franklin County, Pennsylvania. Approximately 24.4 miles of the proposed 28.8-mile 9A West Project would be located in Pennsylvania and approximately 4.4 miles would be located in Maryland.

ZONING EXEMPTION PETITION. On May 21, 2026, Transource Pennsylvania, LLC filed a Petition for Confirmation of an Exemption from Local Zoning Regulation and for the Construction of Buildings in connection with the construction of a proposed electric substation in Franklin County, Pennsylvania requesting the Commission exempt Transource Pennsylvania, LLC from all local zoning, land development and any other land use regulation under Pennsylvania law, specifically exemption from local zoning, land development, and any other local land use regulations for any control buildings/modules proposed to be constructed at the Rice Substation in Greene Township, Franklin County, Pennsylvania.

CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE APPLICATION. On May 21, 2026, Transource Pennsylvania, LLC filed an Application requesting the Commission grant and issue Transource Pennsylvania, LLC the necessary certificate(s) of public convenience under the Public Utility Code to begin to furnish and supply electric transmission service to or for the public within portions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania as a transmission-only public utility.

NOTES. Due to the anticipated overlapping of issues and parties, the Prehearing Conference is being scheduled in the Siting and Construction Application and Zoning Exemption Petition matters, contemporaneously with the Application of Transource Pennsylvania, LLC for All of the Necessary Authority, Approvals and Certificate of Public Convenience to Begin to Offer, Render, Furnish and/or Supply Transmission Service in Portions of Franklin County, Pennsylvania Necessary to Operate Transmission Facilities for Project 9A West, at Docket No. A-2026-3062675 (Certificate of Public Convenience Application, discussed above). However, these proceedings have not been formally consolidated.

To view filings and orders entered in these proceedings, at Docket Nos. A-2026-3062675, A-2026-3062686, P-2026-3062687, at: <https://www.puc.pa.gov/search/docket-search/>

EXAMINATION OF APPLICATION. Pursuant to Sections 57.74 and 57.75 of Commission regulations, 52 Pa. Code §§ 57.74(d), 57.75(a), a complete copy of the Application for the 9A West Project is available for examination during ordinary business hours at the following locations:

Alexander Hamilton Memorial Free Library
45 E Main Street
Waynesboro, Pennsylvania 17268

Mont Alto Campus Library (Penn State Library)
1 Campus Drive
Mont Alto, Pennsylvania 17237

Coyle Free Library
102 North Main Street
Chambersburg, Pennsylvania 17201

REPRESENTATION. Individuals representing themselves are not required to be represented by an attorney at the Prehearing Conference. All others, including a partnership, corporation, limited liability company, trust, association, or governmental agency or subdivision, must be represented by an attorney licensed to practice law in Pennsylvania, or admitted pro hac vice. Attorneys must file a Notice of Appearance before the scheduled Prehearing Conference date.

ACCOMMODATIONS AND LANGUAGE ASSISTANCE. If you need assistance to participate fully in the prehearing conference, the following services are available. Please review the applicable requirements below.

If you need a reasonable accommodation because of a disability, please contact the Scheduling Office no later than five (5) business days before the prehearing conference.

If you need a language interpreter, please contact the Scheduling Office no later than ten (10) business days before the prehearing conference.

Scheduling Office: 717.787.1399

TELECOMMUNICATIONS RELAY SERVICE. If you are deaf, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability, you may use the telecommunications relay service by dialing 711.

E-FILING. Parties are encouraged to open and use an e-Filing account through the Commission's website. This free e-Filing subscription service allows users to file documents electronically and automatically receive email notifications when documents are added, removed, or changed in a specific case. To learn more or sign up, visit: <https://www.puc.pa.gov/filing-resources/efiling/>

PAPER FILING. If you cannot open or use an e-Filing account, you may mail or hand deliver filings to the Secretary of the Commission. The Secretary does not accept filings by email or fax. Use the address below that matches your delivery method.

First-class mail or hand delivery:

Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
400 North Street
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Overnight delivery, certified mail, or priority mail:

Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building - 2nd Floor
400 North Street
Harrisburg, PA 17120

For overnight delivery, certified mail and priority mail, keep the tracking number and any delivery confirmation as proof of submission.

CONFIDENTIAL OR PROPRIETARY MATERIAL. All documents containing confidential information must be marked “CONFIDENTIAL” clearly on the first page. If your filing contains confidential or proprietary material, submit it to the Secretary by overnight delivery, priority mail, or certified mail, so your filing can be tracked. Keep your tracking number, proof of mailing or delivery, and a copy of everything you submitted for your records.

Confidential or proprietary material may also be submitted through a secured SharePoint file. Before using SharePoint, you must contact the Secretary and get pre-approval.