NOTICE OF PROPOSED MAJOR UTILITY FACILITY

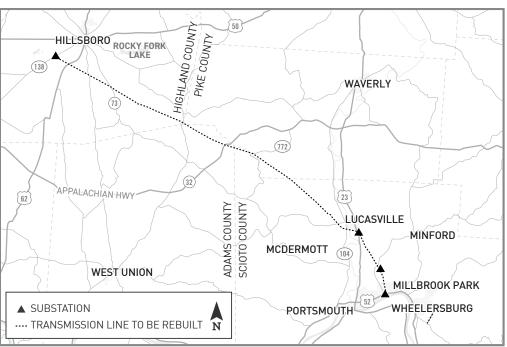
AEP Ohio and AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. (AEP Ohio Transco) representatives plan electrical upgrades to improve reliability in Highland, Adams, Pike and Scioto counties. Company representatives announced the Hillsboro-Portsmouth 138-kV Transmission Line Rebuild Project last fall. The project upgrades 52 miles of 138-kilovolt (kV) transmission line.

Company officials expect construction to begin this fall and conclude fall 2025.

AEP Ohio Transco representatives filed a Letter of Notification with the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) as the Hillsboro-Millbrook Park 138 kV Circuit Rebuild Project, Case No. 21-0268-EL-BLN. The Letter of Notification to construct, operate and maintain this facility awaits OPSB review.

The OPSB accepts motions to intervene in the Letter of Notification up to 10 days following the publication date of this notice. The requirements to intervene are included in Rule 4906-2-12 of the Ohio Administrative Code. Please address motions to Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 E. Broad St, Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3793 and cite Case No. 21-0268-EL-BLN.

The accompanying map shows the project area. Please use this map only as a general guide due to its reduced scale and limited detail. Copies of the Letter of Notification, including specific details about the location and construction, are available for public inspection at the following locations: Hillsboro Public Library, 10 Willettsville Pike, Hillsboro, OH 45133 W. Gordon Ryan Library, 103 Lucasville-Minford Road, Lucasville, OH 45648 Portsmouth Public Library, 1220 Gallia St., Portsmouth, OH 45662 Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 E. Broad St., Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3793, [866] 270-6772, contactopsb@puc.state.oh.us



Electronic versions of the Letter of Notification are available at aeptransmission.com/ohio/ and at the OPSB website at http://opsb.ohio.gov. Search under current cases for Case No. 21-0268-EL-BLN.

The following local city and county government officials have been served with a copy of the application as required by OPSB regulations:

Highland County Board of Commissioners, Jeff Duncan, Terry Britton, David Daniels Highland County Soil & Water Conservation District, Pam Bushelman Adams County Board of Commissioners, Diane Ward, Barbara Moore, Ty Pell Adams County Soil & Water Conservation District, Bill Wickerham, Jack Hazelbaker Pike County Board of Commissioners, Blaine Beekman, Jerry Miller, Tony Montgomery Scioto County Board of Commissioners, Scottie Powell, Bryan Davis, Cathy Coleman Franklin Township Board of Trustees, Ronald Anderson, Jeffrey Evans, Thomas Perdue Franklin Township Board of Trustees, David Chaney, David Cruea, Karen McBee Jackson Township Board of Trustees, Jerry Miller Jr., Chad Frazer, Stephen Waits Liberty Township Board of Trustees, Ronald Ward, Jon Kelch, Jerry Williams Marshall Township Board of Trustees, Shane Flannery, Tim Sheeley, Clint Shoemaker New Market Township Board of Trustees, Richard Barrera, Kevin Fawley, Kenny Harless Washington Township Board of Trustees, Arthur Harless, Mike Countryman, Travis Mootz Camp Creek Township Board of Trustees, Heath Mefford, Donnie Dyke, David Kinnison Mifflin Township Board of Trustees, Joshua Ison, Cecil Brewster, Charles Hannah Sunfish Township Board of Trustees, Mickey Woolridge, Michael McCoy, Brock Woolridge Clay Township Board of Trustees, James Massey, Kenneth, Bohl, William Glover Jefferson Township Board of Trustees, Charles Harris, Donald Buckle, Earl Canter Jr. Morgan Township Board of Trustees, Ralph Carver, Terry Altman, Russell Montgomery Porter Township Board of Trustees, David Hayden, Dennis Decamp, Kent Madden Rarden Township Board of Trustees, Terry Foster, Clayton Miller, Frank Williams Rush Township Board of Trustees, John Howard, Phillip Lajoye, Eric Lutz Valley Township Board of Trustees, Angela Malone, Stephen Howard, David See City of Portsmouth Mayor Kevin Johnson

Highland County Engineer, Chris Fauber Adams County Engineer, Lee Pertuset Pike County Engineer, Denny Salisbury Pike County Soil & Water Conservation District, David Adams Scioto County Engineer, Darren LeBrun Scioto County Soil & Water Conservation District, Thomas Turner Franklin Township Fiscal Officer, Rebecca Sanders Franklin Township Fiscal Officer, Angela Crum Jackson Township Fiscal Officer, Carleta Weyrich Liberty Township Fiscal Officer, Kay Barrera Marshall Township Fiscal Officer, Melanie Phillips New Market Township Fiscal Officer, Sara Surber Washington Township Fiscal Officer, Vic Gall Camp Creek Township Fiscal Officer, Vikki Ratliff Mifflin Township Fiscal Officer, Billi Leeth Sunfish Township Fiscal Officer, Charles Williams Clay Township Fiscal Officer, Patricia Winkle Jefferson Township Fiscal Officer, Lisa Buckle Morgan Township Fiscal Officer, Carolyn Hobbs Porter Township Fiscal Officer, Theodore Adams Rarden Township Fiscal Officer, Gene McAllister Jr. Rush Township Fiscal Officer, Jill Springs Valley Township Fiscal Officer, Lanette Wagner Village of New Boston, Mayor William Williams Jr.

If you are a local city or county government official and would like an electronic or hard copy of the Letter of Notification, please contact Maggie Beggs at the information listed below.

To ask a question or make a comment about the project, please call (380) 205-5178 or send an email inquiry to mrbeggs@aep.com. Send mail inquiries to the following address:



AEP Ohio Attention: Maggie Beggs 8600 Smiths Mill Road New Albany, Ohio 43054