## NOTICE OF PROPOSED MAJOR UTILITY FACILIT

AEP Ohio and Ohio Power Company representatives plan power upgrades to support increasing electricity demands in Seneca and Hancock counties. The Southern Fostoria Transmission Improvements involves building Iron Triangle Switch, adjusting .2 miles of the Howard-Fostoria 138-kilovolt (kV) transmission line and building 3 miles of 138-kV transmission line.

Ohio Power Company representatives filed a Letter of Notification with the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) as the Iron Triangle Sw. - Loudon 138 kV Transmission Line Project, Case No. 22-0919-EL-BLN. The Letter of Notification to construct, operate and maintain this facility awaits OPSB review. If approved, construction begins in January and concludes in summer 2023.

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. 22-0919-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:

Kaubisch Memorial Public Library, 205 Perry St., Fostoria, OH 44830 Findlay-Hancock County Library, 206 Broadway St., Findlay, OH 45840

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. 22-0919-EL-BLN.

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

Hancock County Board of Commissioners, William Bateson, Timothy Bechtol, Michael Pepple

Hancock County Engineer, Douglas Cade

Hancock County Soil & Water Conservation District, Jean Ann Derr Washington Township Board of Trustees, Sharon Lowry, Dale Berry, Scott Paulson

Washington Township Administrator, Jesse Lightle Washington Township Fiscal Officer, Gary Smiga

Seneca County Board of Commissioners, Mike Kerschner, Tony Paradiso, Tyler Shuff

Seneca County Engineer. Mark Zimmerman

Seneca County Soil & Water Conservation District. Erin Peruzzini

Seneca County Treasurer, Paul Harrison

Loudon Township Board of Trustees, Kevin Reinhart, Roger Holman, Jason Painter

Loudon Township Fiscal Officer, Victoria Coppus

City of Fostoria. Mayor Eric Keckler

City of Fostoria, City Council President Steve Kauffman

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 8500 Smiths Mill Road New Albany, Ohio 43054



