

# NOTICE OF PROPOSED MAJOR UTILITY FACILITY

AEP Ohio and AEP Ohio Transmission Company (AEP Ohio Transco) propose to improve the transmission system in Delaware, Franklin and Union counties by adding a second 138-kV circuit on the existing Hayden-Hyatt 345-kV Line.

The purpose of the project is to install a second conductor circuit (138-kV) on the vacant arm of the existing Hayden-Hyatt 345-kV Line. This project will improve and maintain the quality of electric service and reliability to the central Ohio area, specifically the Dublin area. The addition of this circuit also will help address reliability concerns that were identified by PJM (the regional transmission organization) in its 2009 Regional Transmission Expansion Plan (RTEP). Construction is scheduled to begin in March 2014.

The project is known as the Hayden-Hyatt 345-kV Line String Second 138-kV Circuit Project. As required by Ohio Revised Code Section 4906-11-01, AEP Ohio Transco has filed a Letter of Notification with the state of Ohio Power Siting Board.

This project qualifies as a Letter of Notification filing because it meets the requirements outlined in OAC 4906-1-01, Item (2)(B) of Appendix A "Application Requirement Matrix for Electric Power Transmission Lines" where adding additional circuits on existing structures designed for multiple circuit use, and new permanent access roads, structure replacements, or widened right-of-way is required.

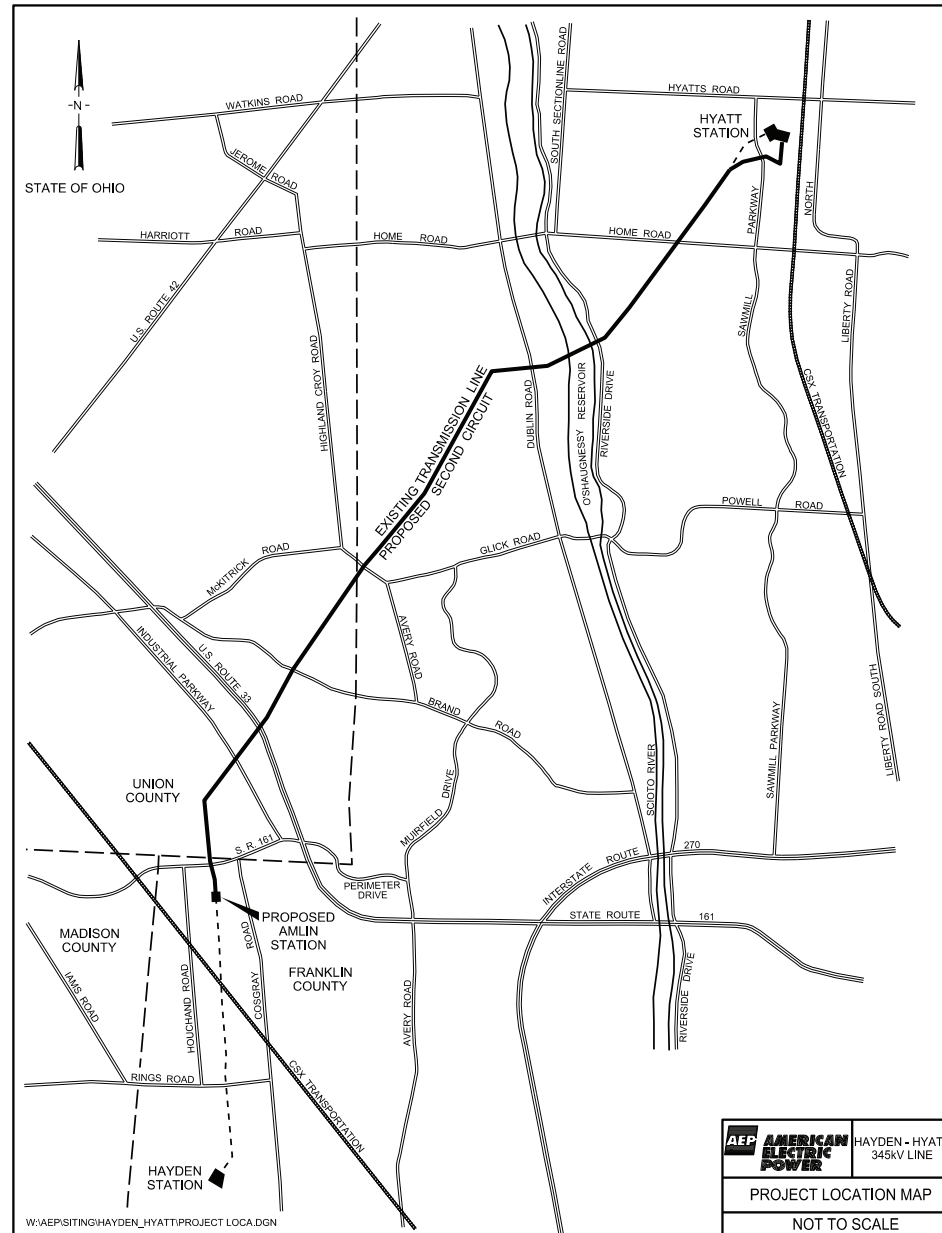
The Letter of Notification for the Hayden-Hyatt 345-kV Line String Second 138-kV Circuit Project is pending before the Ohio Power Siting Board. This application has been assigned Case Number 13-2121-EL-BLN. This number should be included in all communications with respect to this proceeding.

Petitions to intervene in or comment on the Letter of Notification will be accepted by the siting board up to 10 days following the publication date of this notice required by Rule 4906-5-08(C)(1), OAC. Petitions should be addressed to Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3793 and must cite the above-listed case number.

The Hayden-Hyatt 345-kV Line String Second 138-kV Circuit Project involves the installation of nine (9) new steel structures. New conductors, insulators and hardware will be installed on the new and the existing structures.

The project will be an approximate \$6 million investment by AEP in its transmission system in the area. The project will allow AEP to continue to provide the level of service its customers expect.

The accompanying map depicts the project area. It should be noted that due to the reduced scale and limited detail, this map should be used only as a general guide. Copies of the actual Letter of Notification, including specific details about the location and construction are available for public inspection at the following locations:



## Plain City Public Library

305 West Main Street  
Plain City, Ohio 43064

## Dublin Branch

### Columbus Metropolitan Library

75 N. High Street  
Dublin, Ohio 43017

## Powell Branch

### Delaware County District Library

460 South Liberty Road  
Powell, Ohio 43065

## Ohio Power Siting Board

### Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

180 East Broad Street  
Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3793  
614-466-3292

Electronic versions of the Letter of Notification can be found on AEPOhio.com at <https://www.aepohio.com/LON> and at the Ohio Power Siting Board website at <http://opsb.ohio.gov>. Search under current cases for Case Number 13-2121-EL-BLN.

The following local city and county government officials have been served with a copy of the application as required by state of Ohio Power Siting Board regulations:

## City of Dublin

5200 Emerald Parkway  
Dublin, Ohio 43017

## Concord Township Trustees

Ms. Karen Koch  
Mr. Joseph Garrett  
Mr. Bart Johnson  
7860 Dublin Road  
Delaware, Ohio 43015

## Delaware County Commission

Mr. Ken O'Brien, President  
Mr. Dennis Stapleton, Vice President  
Mr. Gary Merrell, Commissioner  
101 North Sandusky Street  
Delaware, Ohio 43015-1732

## Franklin County Board of Commissioners

Mr. John O'Grady, President  
Ms. Paula Brooks, Vice President

Ms. Marilyn Brown, Commissioner  
373 South High Street, 26th Floor  
Columbus, Ohio 43215-6314

## Jerome Township Trustees

Mr. Robert Merkle  
Mr. Ronald Rhodes  
Mr. Andrew Thomas  
9777 Industrial Parkway  
Plain City, Ohio 43064

## Liberty Township Trustees

Ms. Melanie Leneghan  
Mr. Curt Sybert  
Ms. Mary Carducci  
10104 Brewster Lane  
Powell, Ohio 43065

## Union County Board of Commissioners

Mr. Gary Lee  
Mr. Charles Hall  
Mr. Steve Stolte  
233 West 6th Street  
Marysville, Ohio 43040

## Washington Township Trustees

Mr. Gene Bostic  
Ms. Denise Franz King  
Mr. Charles Kranstuber  
6200 Eiterman Road  
Dublin, Ohio 43016

The following state agencies have been served with copies of the application:

- Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
- Ohio Department of Agriculture
- Ohio Department of Development
- Ohio Department of Health
- Ohio Department of Natural Resources
- Ohio Department of Transportation
- Ohio Environmental Protection Agency
- Ohio Historical Society

The complete Letter of Notification and this ad are available at <https://www.aepohio.com/LON>.

To ask a question, make a comment or express a concern about the project, please call the AEP Ohio Transmission Project Information Line toll-free at **1-877-215-9261** or send an email inquiry through "contact us" on AEPOhio.com.



AEP Ohio Transmission Company  
700 Morrison Road  
Gahanna, Ohio 43230  
Attention: Mark Bueltman, Project Manager