

NOTICE OF PROPOSED MAJOR UTILITY FACILITY

AEP Ohio proposes plans to improve the Willow Island – Mill Creek 138-kilovolt transmission line in Newport Township, Washington County. The company filed the project with the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) in June as the Willow Island – Mill Creek 138-kV Transmission Extension Project #2, Case No. 19-0956-EL-BNR. As the project continues to develop, the company proposes minor adjustments and has filed a Letter of Notification, Case No. 19-1774-EL-BLN.

The adjustments included in the Letter of Notification involve rebuilding one steel pole and slightly relocating approximately 0.3 miles of transmission line. The improvements help improve reliability in the area. The company expects to begin construction in Fall 2019.

AEP Ohio filed the Letter of Notification for this project with the OPSB as the Willow Island – Mill Creek 138-kV Transmission Extension Project #3, Case No. 19-1774-EL-BLN. The Letter of Notification to construct, operate and maintain this facility awaits review by the OPSB.

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 the Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 E. Broad St., Columbus, Ohio, 43215-3793 and cite Case No. 19-1774-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 actual Letter of Notification, including specific details about the location and construction, are available for public inspection at the following locations:

Washington Public Library • Marietta Branch, 615 Fifth St., Marietta, Ohio, 45750
Washington Public Library • Lafayette Branch, 478 Pike St., Marietta, Ohio, 45750

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 <http://www.aeptransmission.com/ohio> and at the OPSB website at <http://opsb.ohio.gov>. Search under current cases for Case No. 19-1774-EL-BLN.

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

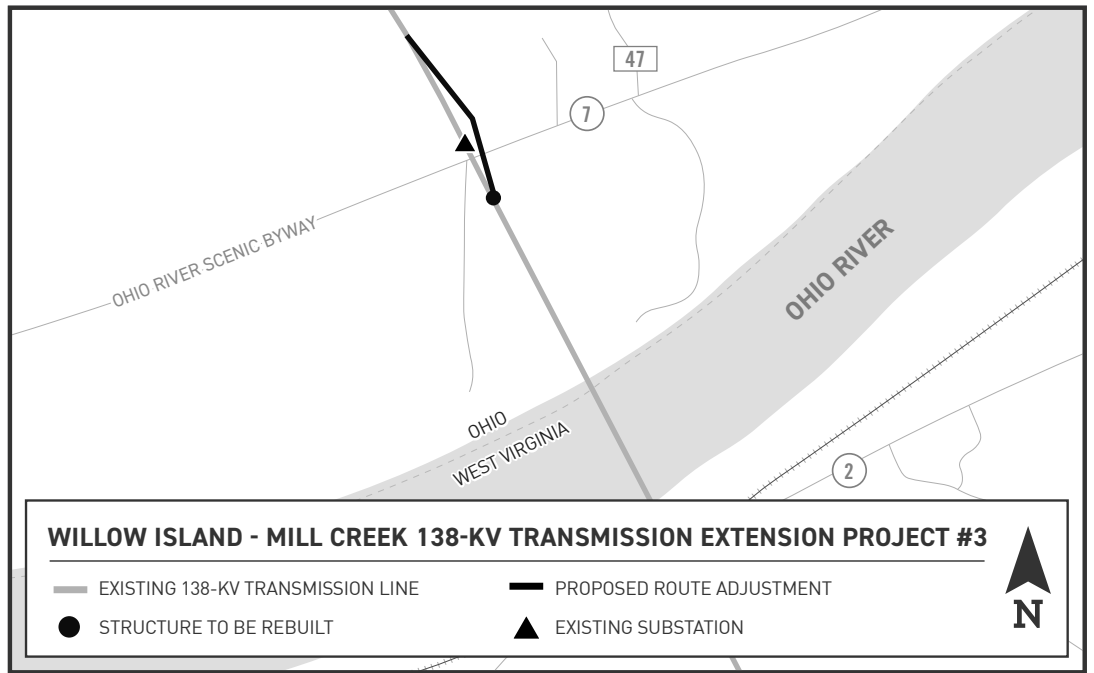
Washington County Board of Commissioners, Mr. David White
Washington County Board of Commissioners, Mr. Ronald Feathers
Washington County Board of Commissioners, Mr. Kevin Ritter
Washington County Engineer, Mr. Roger Wright
Washington County Soil & Water Conservation District, Program Administrator

Newport Township Board of Trustees, Mr. Bill Bowersock
Newport Township Board of Trustees, Mr. Rodney King
Newport Township Board of Trustees, Mr. Rodney Seevers
Mayor Joe Matthews, City of Marietta
Councilman Josh Schlicher, City of Marietta

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. You may send mail inquiries to:

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