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Hearing request in regards to the State of North Carolina Utilities Commission Docket No. E-2, Sub 1150 (Cleveland Matthews Project)

i am writing to request a hearing on this project, so that I may voice my opposition to the construction of the transmission line across my property. I am a property owner in segment 33 of the proposed route for this project, in the Four Oaks area of Johnston County. I had no personal contact with Duke Energy employees regarding this project, prior to the determination of the proposed route, and therefore my comments and concerns were not addressed prior to the public deadline for comments. I specifically have concerns related to public notification of the project, the proposed route across my property, health concerns and environmental impact.

Docket No., E-2, Sub 1150 is an application of Duke Energy progress, LLC to construct approximately 11.5 miles of new 230kV transmission line in the Cleveland area of Johnston County. This statement to the Utilities Commission should be a mirror image of what was presented to the public prior to the close of public comment.

The preferred route is 11.5 miles and is primarily not located in the Cleveland area of Johnston County. There are other routes that are shorter and are located in the geographical area that Duke Energy has described. In section 2.1.1 of the Routing Necessity and Environmental Report by Burns McDonnell for Duke Energy it states, "A new substation site in the vicinity of Cleveland Road and Matthews Road would be advantageous to continue providing this area of developing Johnston County with reliable electric service. The new substation and associated transmission line would provide greater capacity and enhanced service reliability to the area to support residential and commercial growth." I would like to ask that the transmission line stay in the general area where it is needed.

I would like to ask that representatives from the Utilities Commission perform a site visit to my property. A site visit and consideration of this hearing request would be greatly appreciated.

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