

Mr. Doug Scott, Chairman
Illinois Commerce Commission
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Dear Mr. Scott:

I live 5 miles South of Paris Illinois on Illinois Highway Route 1. I was in line for the earlier proposed route, the Edgar County Northern Route, but also am effected by the Southern Edgar County Proposed Route. I would like to reconfirm my support of Ameren's Proposed Primary Route for the Illinois Rivers Project.

I am a 5th generation farmer. I have a grandson to assume the reins when I retire. I have acquired some but most was in my family for generations along the alternate route in southern Edgar County. If this route comes my way, I have 3 owned properties and 4 rented properties that would affect my operation. I am deeply concerned about my future property values and health concerns of the proposed project, wherever it goes. I also am frustrated by the negative community sentiment brought on by this project. This proposed project is pitting neighbor against neighbor. I have attended the Clark County and the Edgar County meetings. In it's wake we, the local inhabitants, bore the brunt of this "progress" for what most of us feel is little if any return.

For the record: if my route is the route selected, I will chose only "Imminent Domain". I am not interested in signing at any price.

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Respectively,

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