

MEMORIALIZATION OF EX PARTE
COMMUNICATION FROM INTERESTED PARTY

ICC Docket Number, or Docket Number or Case Number from Other Jurisdiction

(Please be specific): 12-0598

Subject of the Communication (Note - This field is limited to 8 lines of text):

Ameren Transmission's (ATXI) proposed 345 KV facilities as part of the Illinois Rivers Project.

Name of the Commission Officer or Employee Making Report (first, then last name):

Cameron

Schilling

Job Title:

Policy Advisor

Names and Job Titles of Other Commission Employees Present:

Chairman Scott, Commissioner Colgan, Commissioner McCabe, Commissioner Del Valle, and Commissioner Maye.

Date of Communication: Feb 13, 2014

Location of Parties to Communication:

Letter received in Springfield office

Mode of Communication (Please Check All That Apply):

e-Mail

FAX

In Person

Mail

Telephone

Nature and Substance of All Oral Communications (Note - This field is limited to 15 lines of text):

N/A

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Responses Made to Written or Oral Communications (Note - This field is limited to 8 lines of text):

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- Submitted are copies of all written items received (optional).
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 Written communications were received but are not being submitted.

Please Check One:

- Submitted are copies of written responses (optional).
 No written responses were made.
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Name of, Title of, and Entity Represented by Person Communicating to You:

Mr. Scott W. Anderson

State What Action, If Any, the Person Requested or Recommended (Note - 11 lines of text):

Mr. Anderson expresses his opposition to the transmission line segment between Meredosia and Pawnee. He provides several negative impacts the proposed route would have on his land in Scott County.

Include Any Other Information You Deem Pertinent (Note - Limited to 8 lines of text):

None.

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February 10, 2014

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Office of Chairman
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Doug Scott, Chairman
Illinois Commerce Commission
527 East Capitol Avenue
Springfield, IL 62701

Dear Mr. Scott:

I am writing to voice opposition to the construction of the 345 kV transmission line from Meredosia to Pawnee, Illinois. The proposed line would cross our property in Scott County, Illinois. As a civil engineer who has worked on the remediation of hazardous waste and Brownfield projects, the choice of this route does not make sense.

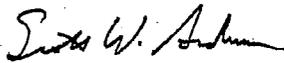
I understand there is an alternate route with an existing transmission line that is a significantly less expensive alternative and would not cause additional environmental damage. I urge the Commission to place this new line on that existing route.

The proposed line would bisect three parcels of our land. One contains timber bordering on Mauvais Terre Creek. We understand a wide right-of-way would clear a significant portion of this mature and productive timber which is habitat for deer, turkey and quail. Family members have reported seeing bobcat and eagles in this timber. Other parcels are rolling pasture and cropland. Compaction and the construction of right-of-ways would damage these fields, decrease productivity, and cause inconvenience that would continue for decades to come.

My wife's family has been farming this land for three generations. Our children consider the land to be a precious heritage.

Please considering the additional environmental damage and excess cost the Meredosia to Pawnee route will cause and do not approve this alternative.

Very truly yours,



Scott W. Anderson

Cc: John T. Colgan
Ann McCabe
Miguel del Valle
Sherina E. Maye