

Protest Letter DATE: February 12, 2018

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary PA Public Utility
Commission Commonwealth Keystone Bldg.
400 North Street
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Re: Application of Transource Pennsylvania,
LLC Filed Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Chapter 57,
Supchapter G, for Approval of the Siting and
Construction of the 230 kV Transmission Line
Associated with the Independence Energy
Connection-East Project in Portions of York
County, Pennsylvania

Docket No. A-2017-2640195

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PROTEST

Pursuant to 52 Pa. Code Sections 5.51, *et seq.* and 66 Pa. C. S. Sections 1101, *et seq.*,

Melanie Goss Protestant, or party filing the Protest] files this

Protest to the Transource Filing Docket No. A-2017-2640195. In support of this Protest,

Melanie Goss avers as follows:

1. The name and contact information of the Protestant is as follows:

Melanie Goss

289 Leib Road New Park, PA 17352

2. My interest in this project is as

a land owner directly affected by the path
of the proposed power lines.

3. The grounds for our protest of this proposal:

Transource is a private for-profit company and the proposed power lines will not benefit the York County area at all.

The need for increased energy supply has not been proven. An underutilized path and palls exists parallel to this project. Plan seems to target preserved agricultural land.

This project would have a negative impact on property values.

4. This directly affects me by

We have four parcels that will be impacted by the proposed lines. This project will have a detrimental effect on property values. Most of the proposed line will run through preserved agricultural land. The line will run through a lot that has a building ~~right~~ that would be useless if this project goes through.

The landscape of the area will be forever changed and the environment negatively impacted.

To run a new, unnecessary greenfield project so close to an underutilized existing path goes against the standards of being a good steward of the environment!

WHEREFORE, Melanie Goss respectfully requests Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission to investigate and the filing, and strongly impose a condition that all other existing rights of way and infrastructure should be utilized before any new power line projects are approved, and the **Commission should deny the Transource filing.**

Respectfully submitted,

Signed: Melanie Goss 2/12/18

**BEFORE THE PENNSYLVANIA PUBLIC UTILITY
COMMISSION**

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VERIFICATION

I, Melanne Goss,

hereby state that the facts above set forth are true and correct (or are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief) and that I expect to be able to prove the same at a hearing held in this matter. I understand that the statements herein are made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S. 4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities).

Date: 2/12/18

Signature: Melanne Goss

Address:

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New Park PA 17352

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