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Dear Commissioners:

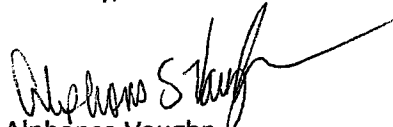
Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the proposed Sharyland Herford to White Deer CREZ Transmission Line Project. As a Potter County Commissioner, I would first like to say thank you for your efforts to bring a new electric transmission facility to Amarillo and the surrounding area; I can see the benefit to the County by having a project of this nature.

I support the use of the Central North route not only because it is shorter, but it will save taxpayers (constituents) in the long run, and by using this route it would not interfere with the existing residential housing. I have looked at the new proposed route and can see the potential harmful effect on the wildlife area, the erosion of the land and the creek beds that the Northern route that has been proposed will have.

As a public servant, I have to look at what will be the best for the most, and with the way the economy is, the most economical route is the one that will move renewable energy most efficiently at the lowest cost to the constituents, and that would be the Central North route.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

  
Alphonso Vaughn