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We have recently learned of a proposed high voltage electrical line scheduled to be erected through the cottonwood subdivision, in Harlingen, Texas. The latest proposed route for link # 236, cuts across Ed Carey Drive, Fairway Lane and the golf course. It is proposed to be routed between the homes of Margaret Fabian and Lila Huguenin. This right-a-way will be 150 feet wide and the towers will be 155 feet high. As many as eight lots fall within this proposed right-a-way, which would render them virtually useless forever.

All property owners in Cottonwood hold an undivided interest in the golf course as well as the retaining wall and streets. Many of the residents walk or ride along the streets on a daily basis and, if this project is allowed, will be exposed to this condition daily. Those who wear medical devices, such as pacemakers, hearing aids, etc., may suffer medical setbacks as a result of this exposure.

We do believe that there are several alternative routes for your project, without slicing-up our community. Please re-consider your decision to destroy our community.

Respectfully.

Cottonwood property/owner

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