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I am NOT requesting to intervene in this proceeding. As a PROTESTOR, I understand the following:

- I am NOT a party to this case;
- My comments are not considered evidence in this case; and
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Please check one of the following:

- I own property with a habitable structure located near one or more of the utility's proposed routes for a transmission line.
- One or more of the utility's proposed routes would cross my property.
- Other. Please describe and provide comments. You may attach a separate page, if necessary. _____

~~J.B. and Evelyn Wheeler~~ J.B. and Evelyn Wheeler ARE THE current owners of Block 810 and 812 along the proposed EEE route for the transmission line. This proposed route cuts these blocks into two pieces subsequently making four tracks of land.
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Signature of person submitting comments:

J. B. Whearley

Date: June 3, 2015

Based on the topography of Block 840 and considering a 500' distance required from the transmission line to a residence, it would be impossible to build a home on the remaining southern half of Block 840 without affecting the natural drainage in this area.

The Northern piece of Block 840 considering the EEE proposed path is a small triangle of land. This triangle of land would not be suitable for agricultural/ranching operations due to its small size. It would also not be usable for a home site due to the 500' requirement from the transmission line.

At present Block 840 and 842 are accessed from my permanent residence (NOT shown on current map) which includes 2.09 acres on the east side of the north end of Block 842. Current access to Block 840 and 842 are from my permanent residence through the north end of Block 842 into Block 840. The proposed transmission line would cut both blocks into two pieces denying access to the southern part of both blocks.

Additional expense would be incurred by the current owners to establish access to the southern side of Block 840. Access to Block 842 would be through Block 840 as the southern side of Block 842 would become land locked.

It is our wish to protest the proposed EEE transmission line route based on the above points.

Regards,

J.B. Wheatley

J.B. Wheatley 6/3/2015