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Request to Intervene in PUC Docket No. 45624

The following information must be submitted by the person requesting to intervene in this proceeding. This completed form will be provided to all parties in this docket. **If you DO NOT want to be an intervenor, but still want to file comments, please complete the "Comments" page.**

Mail this completed form and 10 copies to:

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First Name: Shirley Last Name: Hamilton

Phone Number: (903) 693-3515 Fax Number: _____

Address, City, State: 433 CR 455, Carthage, TX 75633

I am requesting to intervene in this proceeding. As an INTERVENOR, I understand the following:

- ☐ I am a party to the case;
- ☐ I am required to respond to all discovery requests from other parties in the case;
- ☐ If I file testimony, I may be cross-examined in the hearing;
- ☐ If I file any documents in the case, I will have to provide a copy of that document to every other party in the case; and
- ☐ I acknowledge that I am bound by the Procedural Rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC) and the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH).

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. _____

Signature of person requesting intervention:

Shirley Hamilton

Date: 3/25/16

Effective: January 1, 2003

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To All Parties Involved:

As a land owner directly affected by the Rusk-Panola Transmission Project due to the transmission line crossing my property is one of four proposed locations, I am requesting to intervene in the proceeding directly involved with PUC Docket No. 45624.

The Rusk-Panola Transmission Project will cross my property in one of four proposed locations (43, 48, 49, and 50). I have listed below, in order of least favorable to favorable routes proposed, and a brief statement to support these findings. Proposed Routes #48 and #49 will cross approximately 7,000 linear feet of forested land and the east and west side of FM 3359 and CR 463. This acreage (approximately 24 acres) is dominated by merchantable pine timber that has been extensively managed. Also, due to the transmission line crossing property with road frontage, there is the risk for property value to decrease along these proposed routes.

Route #50 would cross pastureland being utilized for grazing cattle. Heavy traffic during the construction project would reduce available forage for the cattle that are present on the tract of land. Also, I fear that any erected structures (i.e. 140-150' transmission lines) would reduce the value of my property.

Route #43 is the northern most proposed route that would cross my property. Although this route would still impact stands of merchantable pine and hardwood timber, damages would be minimal as compared to Routes #48 and #49.

Sincerely,

Shirley Hamilton