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Comments in Docket No. 51023

If you want to be a PROTESTOR only, please complete this form. Although public comments are not treated as evidence, they help inform the PUC and its staff of the public concerns and identify issues to be explored. The PUC welcomes such participation in its proceedings.

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Mail this completed form and 10 copies to:

Public Utility Commission of Texas
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Attn: Filing Clerk
1701 N. Congress Ave.
P.O. Box 13326
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First Name: Floy Last Name: Olivarez

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Address, City, State: 25919 Dull Knife Trail SA, TX 78255

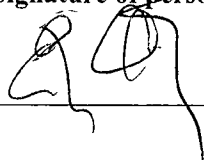
I am NOT requesting to intervene in this proceeding. As a PROTESTOR, I understand the following:

- I am NOT a party to this case;
- My comments are not considered evidence in this case; and
- I have no further obligation to participate in the proceeding.

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 submitting comments:

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Date: 9-1-2020

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Request to Intervene: PUC Docket No. 51023

Eloy and Raquel Olivarez
25919 Dull Knife Trail
San Antonio, Texas 78255

September 1, 2020

Public Utilities Commission of Texas
1701 N. Congress Ave.
Austin, TX 78711

My wife and I live in the Serene & Scenic Hills Subdivision. We purchased our property to live outside of the busy San Antonio city limits. We appreciated the quiet beauty of the rural neighborhood and hoped to grow old appreciating the natural landscape. The proposed Route 17 of Docket No. 51023 threatens our quiet natural homestead. We purchased the residential lots on each side of our homestead so our family could join us or to have quiet buffer zones from neighbors.

With God's wonderful grace, our youngest son built a house on one of the lots to one side of our house, and our daughter is considering building on the other adjacent lot. Route 17 would run the back boundaries of each of our lots. The tall poles and powerlines would jeopardize the value and beauty of our dwelling.

There are alternative routes the electric lines could follow. Surely following existing roads would be easier and less costly than plowing down trees and clearing a route that does not currently exist. Route 17 would be a horrible choice!

We purchased the properties outside the city hoping that we could give the quiet retreat from the world, we enjoy, to our children. We beg of you, please build the power line corridor down existing traffic zones. Help preserve the quiet respites. They are few and far between in today's busy world.

Sincerely,
Eloy Olivarez
Raquel Olivarez