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Chairman Peter Lake
Commissioner Will McAdams
Commissioner Lori Cobos
Commissioner Jimmy Glotfelty

Re: PUC Docket No. 51023: Application of the City of San Antonio to Amend its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity for the Scenic Loop 138-KV Line in Bexar County

Letter in Lieu of Oral Argument in CPS Scenic Loop CCN Proceeding

Dear Chairman and Commissioners:

My husband and I, Edward and Suzan Corral, are homeowners and business owners within Anaqua Springs Ranch located off of Toutant Beauregard. We wanted to provide oral argument during the stated conference call but were unable to attend the in-person meeting in Austin with the short 2-day notice. The location for this project and its final outcome is of extreme importance to us and we wanted the opportunity to express our concerns in this letter.

We are completely opposed to the proposal to run the high voltage lines, specifically Segment 42a, within 300 feet of the existing McAndrew Elementary School, where our children play and are educated daily. A middle school is also projected to be built next to McAndrew Elementary soon and those children/teachers would also be affected. Studies have reported **an increased risk of** leukemia associated with living near high-voltage electric power transmission lines that extend to distances at which magnetic fields from lines are negligible.

These high voltage lines can have significant health effects on any people, animals, and pregnant women/animals located near the transmission lines/towers.

Additionally, CPS failed to notify hundreds of families who attend McAndrew Elementary. Most parents are not currently aware of the projected high voltage transmission line to be located 300 feet from the school. They deserve the right to be informed and the opportunity to voice their concerns on the subject matter.

Regarding route Z2, we believe CPS mislead our community by initially offering other routes (but not Z2) for the location of its transmission lines. And now, we have been informed that CPS would like to locate its lines within and in front of our neighborhood, causing us to reconstruct the only entrance into Anaqua Springs Ranch (ASR). We moved into ASR due to its remote location away from the city, with wildlife and hill county views. CPS being in our backyard and front entry would completely change the beauty and integrity of our neighborhood, for which we have lived more than 12 years.

We hope CPS will consider moving its line to an alternate location and appreciate your help with this matter.

Regards,

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