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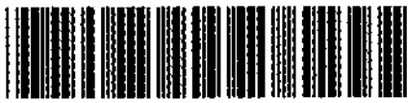

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Hello. My name is Dana Holder and I am a resident of Canyon Falls, residing at 7029 Salmon Springs Drive, Argyle. I am strongly opposed to the Oncor Ramhorn Hill-Dunham project that is proposed to pass directly through my community.

What drew my family to the area in 2022 was in no small part due to the natural beauty of the Canyon Falls community. The open spaces, green belt, and vast trails are a defining feature of our neighborhood. The natural topography and animals that we are lucky enough to view on a regular basis- including hawks, crane, owls, bobcats, roadrunners and more- set Canyon Falls apart from other communities.

Buying in a community takes into consideration a variety of factors For us, that was safety, schools, infrastructure, amenities, and home values. To place giant transmission lines in a community that has been in existence for many years, seems to lack common sense.

Understanding that the transmission lines are needed, I propose that Oncor look for win-win solutions. By removing proposed lines that are detrimental to Canyon Falls and placing them in undeveloped alternate locations (example: replacing C7 with C6, to route along 1171), Oncor would be demonstrating respect to the Canyon Falls community while providing new lines to the greater North Texas area at large. Power lines, such as the multiple lines proposed through Canyon Falls, have no place near already developed homes and schools. What should have been planned and implemented beforehand. should not negatively impact communities now- from health impacts to the environment to home values and more.

Looking at the proposed lines to run through Canyon Falls, it is hard to imagine that they would be nothing but a negative for this dense residential area. Routes C7, C8, C9, and E5 negatively impact the green belt area. Routes E8, F3, and C9 negatively impact the Laurel neighborhood. Route E5 negatively impacts the Meridian neighborhood, and Route C5 and C8 negatively impact the neighborhood of Deer Run. Additionally, proposed lines would also negatively impact: health and safety, natural topography, animals, the green belt, preserve space, and home values.

Thank you for the opportunity to share my perspective. Removing proposed lines and replacing them with alternative routes that do not negatively impact people, nature, and properties is of paramount importance.

Sincerely,

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