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Powerline Appeal

As a concerned resident of this neighborhood, I strongly protest the installation of powerlines right next to my new home. Such a decision would have detrimental effects on our community, compromising both our safety and quality of life.

First and foremost, the health risks associated with living near powerlines are well-documented. Studies have raised serious concerns about the potential exposure to electromagnetic fields, which could lead to various health problems over time. The wellbeing of our families and children should be the utmost priority and subjecting them to potential health hazards is simply unacceptable.

Moreover, the installation of powerlines in such close proximity to residential areas could significantly decrease property values. Who would want to invest in a home that is located right next to these unsightly and potentially hazardous structures? This decision could have a long-lasting and negative impact on our property values, jeopardizing our investments and financial stability.

Additionally, the aesthetic appeal of our neighborhood would be greatly compromised. Powerlines are an eyesore and would detract from the natural beauty of our surroundings. We moved here to enjoy a peaceful and serene environment, not to be constantly reminded of the looming presence of powerlines overhead.

Furthermore, the potential for power outages and accidents cannot be ignored. Weather events, accidents, or equipment failures could lead to unexpected power disruptions, leaving us without electricity when we need it the most. This poses significant risks to our safety and security, particularly in emergency situations.

In conclusion, the installation of powerlines right next to my new home is an ill-advised decision that could harm our health, property values, and overall quality of life. We demand that alternative solutions be explored to safeguard our community's well-being and maintain the serene environment that attracted us to this area in the first place. Let us prioritize the safety and happiness of our residents above all else and find a more suitable location for these powerlines.

Comments in Docket No. <u>55067</u>

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