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**IN RE: PETITION OF PLAINS AND EASTERN CLEAN LINE LLC FOR A CERTIFICATE OF
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY APPROVING A PLAN TO CONSTRUCT A TRANSMISSION
LINE AND TO OPERATE AS AN ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION PUBLIC UTILITY**

Dear Directors,

Please don't let Clean Line take our property. There is so much history here in Sequoyah County that I'm afraid it will be destroyed thus lost forever if the HVDC line is allowed to cross our county and state.

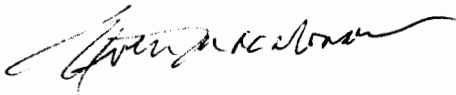
We've been busy trying to set up opposition by explaining the impact to the families here. There's been no research that I'm aware of, of the damage DC current may have on the human body. Our ecology will be damaged. Our fences removed and replaced. We'll have restrictive use of our property within the easement. Our cow-calf operations will be severely impacted by putting acres of pastureland out of service.

Though Clean Line says they are open and transparent, they are not. Of all the people we've approached to get their signature, only 1 has heard from anyone from Clean Line. They set up their meetings only publishing 1 notice and scheduling those meetings between 9:00 am and 4:00 pm when most are at work.

Most troubling to me is the property devaluation that will happen. It's like losing 10's of thousands of dollars of home equity overnight. We can't afford that. We won't be able to sell our homes if we're anywhere near these 150 towers. I've personally contacted 4 families that knew nothing of their proposed project. Had they known they all said they would have purchased land elsewhere. It should be noted they have all been in the homes less than a year.

I hope you will understand our concerns and appreciate our opposition to Clean Line. They offer not one watt of electricity to anyone in Oklahoma. Not one ratepayer in Oklahoma will benefit. Our electric rates won't be reduced and we're left with these towers across our property, along our highways, sending power 2 states away.

Sincerely,



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