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Re: Hydro One Application For Leave to Construct  
Bruce-Milton Transmission Reinforcement Project  
File EB-2007-0050

To Whom It May Concern

Further to my receipt of the above noted Application, I wish to participate in the proceedings, and request Intervenor Status.

I am the owner of three 100 acre (approximately) properties in the 11<sup>th</sup> Concession of East Garafraxa Township which are impacted by the proposed project.

My two properties on the 11<sup>th</sup> Line (East ½ of Lot 13 and East ½ of Lot 14) are currently crossed by the existing corridor. A total of approximately 11 ½ acres was expropriated by Ontario Hydro in 1977, and 5 towers were constructed. Hydro now proposes to take another 16 acres and presumably build 5 more towers. In addition to the taking for the expanded corridor, the remaining land is significantly devalued by the proposed construction and operation of a second transmission line.

My property on the 10<sup>th</sup> Line (West ½ of Lot 14) is currently crossed by the existing corridor. A total of approximately 5 ¾ acres was expropriated by Ontario Hydro in 1977, and 3 towers were constructed. No further expropriation is proposed here at this time, however the land would be impacted and devalued by the proposed new construction.

Additionally, the new line would cross the Grand River valley entirely within my land. This is a scenic and environmentally sensitive area that would suffer severe impact by a second line. The interference with my life is significant, and devaluation of my three properties and my home on the East ½ of Lot 14 would be considerable.

Furthermore, I am not convinced that the routing is entirely consistent with the Provincial land use policy, or that it represents the most direct route to the GTA. Therefore my preference is for an oral hearing so there can be meaningful discussion between the participants and the Board. I would also seek costs from the Applicant because the action by Hydro forces me to take steps to defend my property rights.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Trevor M.A. Wilson".

Trevor M.A. Wilson

Cc Mr. Glen MacDonald  
Mr. James H. Smellie