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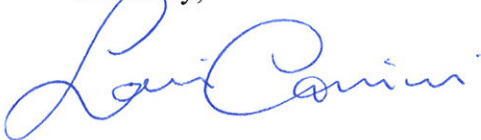
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EB-2011-0024
Letter of Comment

Please find attached my written submission (7 copies, as required) of my letter of comment pertaining to EB2011-0024, to be filed with your proceedings.

Trusting this is satisfactory.

Sincerely,



Loredana Canini



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4. **Route selection** - Enbridge screened 10 alternate routes and narrowed it down to Route4 and Route5 (Lloydtown Aurora Road). As per Enbridge website: *"Based on the criteria laid out in section 5.2.2 Route4 has the least socio-economic impact on the surrounding area. Route4 will traverse the least number of driveways. In addition, Route4 parallels the least amount of potentially contaminated area and has the least amount of groundwater wells within 200, of the proposed pipeline route".* Despite these facts, however, Lloydtown-Aurora Road (Route5) was chosen as the preferred route, because, as per the same section on the Enbridge website, *"Route 5 has the least amount of specimen trees along its route and crosses the least amount of known municipal/agricultural drains"*. Costs and environment concerns have been chosen over socio-economic factors.
5. **Public interest** – this project is not in the public interest. There is no actual need for building new energy Plants, the need is in the distribution! Please consider that Ontario is a large exporter of utilities, Enbridge is aware of this.

I AM AGAINST THIS PROJECT. PLEASE HAVE THE HEARING. ALLOW FOR SOME DEMOCRACY.

I DECLARE THAT: NO ONE REPRESENTING ENBRIDGE, NOR THEIR AGENTS OR EMPLOYEES HAD EVER INFORMED ME OR NOTIFIED ME OR CONTACTED ME OR MY FAMILY REGARDING THIS PROJECT WHICH I WOULD HAVE OPPOSED AT A MUCH EARLIER TIME.

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P.S. I find the process pertaining documents submission to OEB to be extremely complicated and difficult to follow, confusing, for an ordinary person like myself. My family and I not only had to become part time lawyer but instant expert in this matter as the limited time given to be able to participate to this issue, in order to exercise our right. I wonder if the system was designed to be difficult to discourage regular citizen from participating/intervening in matters such as this one. Thank you for listening.