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Sent: May 6, 2011 3:38 AM
To: BoardSec; khewitt@haldimandcounty.on.ca
Subject: Letter of Comment Re: EB-2011-0063

Dear Ms Walli, John Pickernell:

I have been digesting the Application some 237 pages to try to get a better idea on what we (the people living along the proposed transmission line) will have to deal with. In my study I had a few questions. I got in touch with Mr. Lee of GRWLP and he directed me to Adam Rosso, the Project Manager, who is to be the contact for answering any questions. The gentleman seemed quite nice and I have waited to see what response I would get.

My questions were:

Why does the app state that SRE has entered into two ground leases re transition stations when the landowners are informing the community that they have not done so. ----- This I see has been corrected.

Why on Page 21 of the app does it state that " In particular, the landowners with property adjacent the Haldimand ROW were delivered Notice of Commencements as per the requirements in the REA Regulation" when the landowners I have talked to have no memory of ever receiving such a notice. ----- the response was "I am sure they must have done that". And then I asked if a copy of this NOTICE could be sent to me so I would have it, and I would forward it to the other landowners. ----- I am waiting for this still.

Why on Page 25 of the app does it state that "The Applicant continues to consult with the ROW Landowners to ensure that to the extent possible, any concerns raised by the ROW Landowners have been addressed." when the landowners I have talked to have not been contacted except the letter just before Easter. I requested a list of the ROW landowners (page 25 The Applicant has identified the 53 landowners) that the Applicant has continued to consult ----- the response was " we are going to, and maybe have a meeting" ----- I am still waiting for the list.

I am sure Mr. Rosso is getting the info I requested however, I decided not to wait any longer for the requests after reading the recent letter from McCarthy Tetrault on behalf of GRW the applicant. The tone (and I am being polite) of this letter has put a new light on the proceedings. Maybe if "the HCHI has no legal entitlement " to bring this motion and the lawyers for the Applicant have instructed the Board about it's jurisdiction, we need to find the proper wording or correct paperwork to find out why it was necessary to come down so hard to stop this. If everything is on the up and up and there is no problems the requested generic proceeding shouldn't be a problem.

One last thing ----- Please contact me regarding the Applicant's request, in many places, in the Application, to construct Transmission towers along **Regional Road 20**. According to Page 24, **Haldimand County section**, the Applicant intends to construct 95% of the Transmission Line along Haldimand ROW, being **Regional Road 20**, which is owned by Haldimand County. Page 25 indicates existing infrastructure electrical and communications will be affected along **Regional Road 20**. As this road no longer exists I guess all this fuss has been over nothing.

Thankyou for your consideration of this matter.

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