

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Grain Belt Express )  
Clean Line LLC for a Certificate of Convenience and )  
Necessity Authorizing it to Construct, Own, Operate, )  
Control, Manage, and Maintain a High Voltage, Direct ) Case No. EA-2016-0358  
Current Transmission Line and an Associated Converter )  
Station Providing an interconnection on the Maywood- )  
Montgomery 345 kV Transmission Line )

Motion to Intervene on Behalf of Matthew and Christina Reichert

Pursuant to Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.075, Matthew and Christina Reichert hereby file their Motion to Intervene. In support of this Motion, movants state as follows:

1. Movants asks that communications to them regarding this case be directed to their attorney, whose contact information is provided below.
2. Movants are joint owners of a farm of approximately 400 acres, located in Chariton County, Missouri. Based on the route proposed by Grain Belt in its Application to the Commission, movants understand that the proposed transmission line would pass directly over their farm.
3. Movants are opposed to the transmission line for a number of reasons, including the following: the proximity of the line to their home and farm buildings; the decrease in the value of their property by reason of the line; the negative effect the line will have on the marketability and profitability of their Sycamore Valley Farm Bed & Breakfast; the excessive width of the easement required by the line; reduction in crop yields and increased maintenance costs on property already burdened with four pipeline easements; potential health risks to movants, their family and farm animals; potential interference with radio, satellite, cell, internet and GPS services; potential hazards to

people and property from a downed transmission line; and because Grain Belt's case for the proposed line is speculative, the abuse of the right of eminent domain.

4. For the reasons stated above, movants have an interest in the outcome of the Commission decision in this case which is different from that of the general public, and their interest would be adversely affected if Grain Belt's Application were to be approved by the Commission.

5. Based on the information filed thus far by Grain Belt, movants will oppose Grain Belt's Application to build the transmission line.

Wherefore, movants respectfully ask the Commission to approve this Motion to Intervene.

Respectfully submitted,

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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of the foregoing document was served by electronic mail upon counsel for all parties this 13th day of September, 2016.

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