BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Ameren Transmission)
Company of Illinois for a Certificate of Public)
Convenience and Necessity Authorizing it to Construct,)
Install, Own, Operate, Maintain and Otherwise Control) File No. EA-2017-0345
and Manage a 345-kV Electric Transmission Line in from)
Palmyra, Missouri to the Iowa Border and an Associated)
Substation near Kirksville, Missouri,)

NEIGHBORS UNITED AGAINST AMEREN'S POWER LINE'S UNOPPOSED REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL TIME TO FILE PROCEDURAL SCHEDULES

COMES NOW Neighbors United Against Ameren's Power Line (Neighbors United), by and through the undersigned counsel, and hereby respectfully requests the Commission to allow all parties a one-week extension of time in order to file their procedural schedules up to and including November 8, 2017. In support, the undersigned states as follows:

- 1. On October 25, 2017, the Commission convened a prehearing conference in this matter. Regulatory Law Judge Pridgin requested the parties to file proposed procedural schedules no later than November 1, 2017.
- 2. Neighbors United and ATXI have engaged in discussions to explore whether an amicable resolution of the issues relating to the scheduling order and other issues between the two of them can be reached.
- 3. A one week continuance to file a proposed procedural schedule will allow Neighbors United and ATXI additional time to have further discussion to attempt to reconcile the current issues and concerns between the parties.
- 4. Neighbors United has inquired of the other parties involved in this matter, as to whether they are opposed to a one-week extension of time to file the proposed procedural schedules. ATXI, Staff, OPC, Ameren Missouri, Wind on the Wires, MISO, and IBEW Local 2, have all indicated that they have no objection to this request.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned on behalf of Neighbors United asks the Commission to allow the time to file proposed procedural schedules in this matter to be enlarged until or before, including, November 8, 2017, and for all other relief entitled to under this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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Certificate of Service

I certify that a true copy of the above and foregoing was served to all counsel of record by electronic mail and the PSC EFIS filing system this 1st day of November 2017.

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