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 Current Transmission Line and an Associated Converter Station Providing an Interconnection on the Maywood - Montgomery 345 kV Transmission Line.

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NOTICE OF COMMUNICATION

Issue Date: May 15, 2014

Attached is an email with documents forwarded to me from Missouri State Representative Chuck Gatschenberger that he received from his constituents regarding the above referenced case.

The Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") has promulgated rules denoted as the "Standards of Conduct" at 4 CSR 240-4.010 and 4.020. Section 4 CSR 240-4.20 specifically deals with Ex Parte and Extra-Record Communication Rules. This notice is filed in conformance with the rule.

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Daniel Y. Hall Commissioner

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, On this 15th day of May, 2014.

Hurt, Erica

From:	Chuck Gatscn <cgats@aol.com></cgats@aol.com>
Sent:	Thursday, May 15, 2014 9:54 AM
То:	Rupp, Scott; Hall, Daniel
Subject:	Fwd: Grain Belt Express High Voltage Transmission Line
Attachments:	Hansen_FB_letter.pdf; Proposed_Route.pdf

Daniel and Scott, some info from a person who lives in my area that has some concerns about the new lines coming in to Missouri. He own property in the area.

Chuck Gatschenberger

(573) 751-3572 JC

-----Original Message-----From: John Hoff <<u>john@johnhoffcpa.com</u>> To: Chuck Gatscn... <<u>cgats@aol.com</u>> Sent: Tue, Apr 22, 2014 3:12 pm Subject: Grain Belt Express High Voltage Transmission Line

Chuck,

Below is the anticipated bill. The exact date and time with the PSC I don't know. Also I'm listing some websites which can better explain than me what's going on, <u>http://missourilandownersalliance.org/,</u> <u>http://www.blockgbemo.com/index.php,</u> <u>http://www.mofb.org/NewsMedia/News.aspx?articleID=473, http://www.blockricl.com/</u>

Chuck it just isn't right that a for profit corporation can get public utility status in order to use eminent domain and take your property. The person I've been talking to Marilyn O'Bannon in Monroe county, she is a neighbor to the farm I own. She is very passionate and informed on this issue. If you or your staff would like more information her number is 573-473-5962.

To me it seems like if Missouri allows for profit corporation eminent domain, then we will be labeled as an easy pickings for other corporations, and will a bad precedence for future cases.

John Hoff

From: Marilyn O'Bannon [mailto:marilyn.obannon@gmail.com] Sent: Monday, April 21, 2014 1:47 PM Cc: Jim Hansen Subject: News/Updates

Hello,

HB2092 (1774) hearing: Last week, when Stacy Dye called Rep. Funderburk's office she was informed a hearing should be scheduled week of 4/28. Regular day for hearings is Wednesday, but we will not know for sure until scheduled. We will need numbers to attend, could be 8 am at Capitol.

Membership: Attached is current membership listing. If you do not see your name, or a correction is needed let me know. Membership does not require a contribution, but financial support is needed. Membership numbers are important. We currently have 139 members. Please inform others (see membership form attachment). EMLA, Doing Business As, Show Me Concerned Landowners Membership Information letter is also attached.

MO Farm Bureau: As you know, Missouri Farm Bureau filed to intervene in PSC case last week. Terry Jarrett, attorney for EMLA, will also be representing MFB. Also attached is Representative Hansen's letter to Missouri Farm Bureau.

Thanks for continued support. Marilyn

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MISSOURI HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Jim Hansen State Representative District 40

Dear President Hurst:

I am writing to thank you for the Farm Bureau's opposition to the use of eminent domain for the proposed Grain Belt Express Clean Line Energy project. I, like you, have serious concerns about the threat of eminent domain abuse against farmers and property owners in my district. I have written a letter of opposition to the Missouri Public Service Commission regarding this issue and once again thank you for looking out for property owners in the state of Missouri.

All the best,

Jim Hansen 40th District State Representative

