

CITY OF CEDARVILLE, ARKANSAS

RESOLUTION NO. 2-17-2015-3

A RESOLUTION OPPOSING THE PLAINS AND EASTERN CLEAN LINE HVDC TRANSMISSION PROJECT IN THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD, AND IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Whereas, an electric transmission line project entitled Plains and Eastern Clean Line Transmission Project (to be referred to as "The Project") is proposed to begin in the panhandle of Oklahoma and traverse Oklahoma, Arkansas and into Tennessee for the transmission of high voltage electricity to end users beyond the borders of Arkansas, and with no known end users in the State of Arkansas;

Whereas, the The Project has been re-sited to areas in Crawford County where residents were not advised during the scoping period provided by Clean Line Energy Partners as to the possibility of this re-siting process that might affect them and individual property owners, and has placed many property owners in an alternate path proposed by the Department of Energy (DOE) without their knowledge and opportunity to address this change prior to the Environmental Impact Study (EIS);

Whereas, Clean Line Energy Partners are seeking to circumvent the process of the government of the State of Arkansas by the use of federal law in Section 1222 of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 in an attempt to acquire eminent domain in Arkansas;

Whereas, The Project reportedly in the EIS may negatively impact persons' health, property values, historical places, scenic byways, wildlife, and environment of all of Arkansas in the path of The Project;

Now therefore, be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Cedarville, Arkansas, that:

BE IT KNOWN BY ALL PERSONS THAT THE CITY OF CEDARVILLE, ARKANSAS OPPOSES THE PLAINS AND EASTERN CLEAN LINE TRANSMISSION PROJECT IN ITS ENTIREITY.

PASSED AND APPROVED ON THIS THE 17th DAY OF FEBRUARY 2015.

APPROVED:

ATTEST:


Mayor


Recorder/Treasurer