

# CELTIC 345 KV STATION PROJECT

Ohio Power Company officials have proposed an electric transmission project in Jerome Township.

Representatives of Ohio Power Company, Inc. plan electric transmission upgrades in Jerome Township. Company representatives announced plans to build approximately 2.4 miles of 138-kilovolt (kV) transmission line between the new Kileville and Jerome substations.

Ohio Power Company officials filed a Letter of Notification for the power line with the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) as the Kileville – Jerome 138-kV Transmission Line Project, Case No. 23-1009-EL-BLN in November.

As plans progress, officials filed a Letter of Notification for Celtic Station, located near the intersection of Mitchell-Dewitt Road and Warner Road, with the Ohio Power Siting Board as Celtic 345 kV Station Project, Case No. 23-1098-EL-BLN. The new station provides an additional electric source to customer facilities and helps meet the area's growing electrical load demand.

The Letter of Notification to construct, operate and maintain this facility awaits OPSB review. The OPSB accepts motions to intervene in the Letter of Notification up to 10 days following the publication date of this notice. The requirements to intervene are included in Rule 4906-2-12 of the Ohio Administrative Code. Please address motions to Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 E. Broad Street, Columbus, OH, 43215 and cite Case No. 23-1098-EL-BLN.

If approved, construction begins in March and concludes fall 2024.

The accompanying map shows the project area. Please use this map only as a general guide due to its reduced scale and limited detail. Copies of the Letter of Notification, including specific details about the location and construction, are available for public inspection at the following locations:

**Columbus Metropolitan Library, 96 S. Grant Ave.,** Columbus, OH 43215

**Columbus Metropolitan Library - Hilliard Branch,** 4500 Hickory Chase Way, Hilliard, OH 43206

**Union County District Library - 231 S. Plum St.,** Marysville, OH 43040

**Ohio Power Siting Board,** 180 E. Broad St., Columbus, OH, 43215, (866) 270-6772, [contactopsb@puc.state.oh.us](mailto:contactopsb@puc.state.oh.us)

Electronic versions of the Letter of Notification are available at [AEPTransmission.com](http://AEPTransmission.com) and at the OPSB website at <http://opsb.ohio.gov>. Search under current cases for Case No. 23-1098-EL-BLN.

The following local city and county government officials have been served with a copy of the application as required by OPSB regulations:

**Union County Commissioners,** Dave Burke, Dave Lawrence, Steve Robinson

**Union County Engineer,** Jeff Stauch

**Union County Soil and Water Conservation District,** Brent Nickel

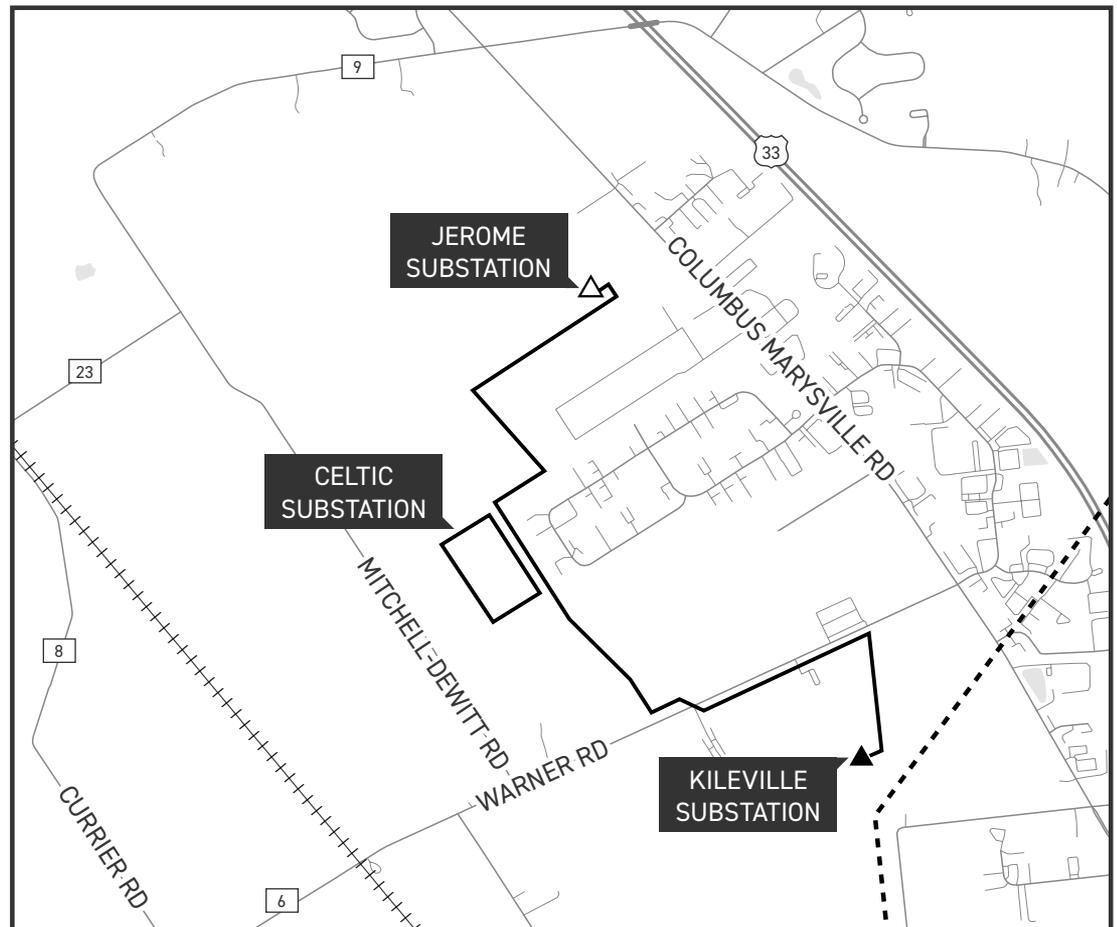
**Jerome Township Trustees,** Barry Adler, Wezlynn Davis, Megan Sloat

**Jerome Township Fiscal Officer,** Robert Caldwell

If you are a local city or county government official and would like an electronic or hard copy of the Letter of Notification, please contact Joe Demaree at the information listed below. Please visit [AEPOhio.com/Celtic](http://AEPOhio.com/Celtic) for more information. To ask a question or make a comment about the project, please call (614) 933-2998 or send an email inquiry to [jkdemaree@aep.com](mailto:jkdemaree@aep.com). Mail inquiries may be sent to the following address:

## AEP Ohio

Attention: Joe Demaree  
8500 Smiths Mill Road  
New Albany, Ohio 43054



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- EXISTING TRANSMISSION LINE
- PROPOSED TRANSMISSION LINE (FILED WITH OPSB UNDER CASE NO. 23-1009-EL-BLN)
- ▭ CELTIC STATION (FILED WITH OPSB UNDER CASE NO. 23-1098-EL-BLN)
- △ JEROME SUBSTATION (APPROVED BY OPSB UNDER CASE NO. 23-0531-EL-BLN)
- ▲ KILEVILLE SUBSTATION

