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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

September 22, 2017

Mr. John Lyons Executive Director Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615

Re: Application – Approval of Changes in Certified Service Territory Triple Crown Subdivision – Boone County, KY Case No. 2017-00389

Dear Mr. Lyons:

Enclosed please find an original and ten copies of the Application for approval of certain changes in the certified service territory as agreed to by Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. (Duke Energy Kentucky) and Owen County Electric Cooperative, Inc. In the Application, Duke Energy Kentucky requests permission to file only two complete sets of maps referred to in the Application due to the bulk of the maps. If the Commission approves the requested territorial boundary changes, Duke Energy Kentucky requests that the Commission make additional copies of the territorial maps, affix its approval stamp and return a copy to each of the utilities in this case for its records.

Additionally, please file stamp the two copies of this letter and the Application enclosed herein and return in the enclosed return-addressed envelope.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Parties of record

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the matter of:

APPLICATION OF DUKE ENERGY KENTUCKY, INC. FOR AUTHORIZATION OF CHANGES IN SERVICE TERRITORY WITH OWEN COUNTY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

)) CASE NO. 2017- 00389)

APPLICATION

Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. (Duke Energy Kentucky), pursuant to KRS 278.018(6) and 807 KAR 5:001 Section 14, hereby applies for approval of changes in certified service territory as agreed with Owen County Electric Cooperative (Owen Electric).

1. The full name and mailing address is: Duke Energy Kentucky, 139 E. Fourth Street, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202. The Company's local office in Kentucky is Duke Energy Envision Center, 4580 Olympic Boulevard, Erlanger, Kentucky 41018. Duke Energy Kentucky can also be reached at the electronic mail address of its counsel set forth below.

2. Duke Energy Kentucky is a utility engaged in the gas and electric business. Duke Energy Kentucky purchases, sells, stores and transports natural gas in Boone, Bracken, Campbell, Gallatin, Grant, Kenton and Pendleton Counties, Kentucky. Duke Energy Kentucky also generates electricity, which it distributes and sells in Boone, Campbell, Grant, Kenton and Pendleton Counties. 3. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 14(2), Duke Energy Kentucky states that it was originally incorporated in the Commonwealth of Kentucky on March 20, 1901, and attests that it is currently in good standing in said Commonwealth. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 14(2), a certified copy of Duke Energy Kentucky's certificate of good standing from the Kentucky Secretary of State and a certificate for the following assumed name: "Duke Energy." is on file with the Kentucky Secretary of State and on file with the Commission in Case No. 2017-00321.

4. <u>Description of Changes in Service Territory</u>: Duke Energy Kentucky and Owen Electric have individually agreed to the requested territorial change. The territorial boundary change requested for the Triple Crown Subdivision – lots 7 through 29, along Santos Drive and McCarron Lane, in Triple Crown Subdivision Section 32A in Boone County, Kentucky is a re-alignment due to proximity of the two utilities performing installation of utility service within the subdivisions. This requested change will serve the purposes of KRS 278.016 by avoiding unnecessary encumbering of the landscape and the duplication of facilities, as well as minimizing disputes between electric suppliers. The territorial maps provided constitute the entire agreement between Duke Energy Kentucky and Owen Electric.

5. <u>Agreement and Maps</u>: Attached as Application Exhibit 1 of this filing includes the summary list identifying Duke Energy Kentucky and Owen Electric personnel familiar with the specifics of the facilities available, the reason for the change and purposes served under KRS 278.016, and copies of the territorial (quadrant) map, detail map, and agreement signed by both parties for the properties involved.

WHEREFORE, Duke Energy Kentucky hereby requests, pursuant to KRS 278.018, that the Commission enter its order approving the service territory changes and Agreements allocating these electric services as agreed to by the parties. Due to size and scale of the maps, Duke Energy Kentucky requests the Commission to deviate form 807 KAR 5:001 Section 7 and permit Duke Energy Kentucky to file only two complete sets of maps.

Dated: September 22, 2017

Respectfully submitted,

Rocco D'Ascenzo (92796) Associate General Counsel Amy B. Spiller (85309) Deputy General Counsel Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. 139 E. Fourth St. Cincinnati, Ohio 45201 Telephone: (513) 287-4320 Facsimile: (513) 287-4386 rocco.d'ascenzo@duke-energy.com

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Application was served on the Parties of Record on the 22 day of September, 2017 via

U.S. mail, postage prepaid:

Rocco D'Ascenzo

Mr. David Wainscott Service Planner Supervisor Owen Electric Cooperative, Inc. 8205 Hwy 127 North P.O. Box 400 Owenton, KY 40359

PARTIES OF RECORD

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Mr. Steve Gorman Customer Project Coordinator Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc. 5445 Audro Drive Cincinnati, OH 45247

Application Exhibit 1

TERRITORIAL BOUNDARY CHANGES

MAPS & AGREEMENTS

TERRITORIAL CHANGE INFORMATION

Affected Property: Triple Crown Subdivision Section 32A

Foreign Utility: Owen Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Quadrant Map: See Attached

Agreement Date: January 5, 2017

(date of last signature)

- 1. X Utility signed copies of quadrant (Key) map showing revised territorial line with a note referencing the property/customer, and date of the territorial agreement. (**2 paper** copies required for filing)
- 2. X Utility signed copies of site map (Plat) and/or territorial agreement showing original and revised territorial boundary. (2 paper copies needed for filing)

The map must include coordinates accurate to within 3 meters for at least **four** points on the territorial line. It is preferable that these points include the beginning and ending points of the change. We also must provide the coordinate system used: This will be utilizing Global Positioning System (GPS) with the coordinates based upon WGS84.

- 3. X Copies of all written agreements (1 needed not original)
- X Name of employee who would serve as Duke Energy Kentucky, Inc.'s witness if a hearing is required: Steve Gorman
- 5. X Name and mailing address of the foreign utility, and the name and title their official who is to receive the Commission Stamped quadrant map:

Owen Electric Cooperative, Inc. 8205 Hwy 127 North P.O. Box 400 Owenton, Kentucky 40359

6. X The reason(s) for the boundary change (realignment with lot/property lines, closest utility (give details), it is the least cost of providing service to the customer(s), etc.):

Duke Energy Kentucky requests Owen Electric (Owen) be allowed to provide electric service to the areas of subdivisions closest to its boundary line (proposed areas shown on map) as are more reasonably served by Owen's existing facilities.

7. How does this boundary change promote the purposes of KRS 278.016? (check all that apply)

_ x___ Promotes the orderly development of retail electric service

- x_____ Avoids wasteful duplication of facilities
 - Avoids unnecessary encumbering of the landscape

Prevents waste of materials and natural resources

Is necessary for the public convenience and necessity

- Minimizes disputes between retail electric suppliers which may result in inconvenience, diminished efficiency, and higher cost to the consumer
- 8. Will any retail customer change electric supplier as the result of this boundary change?

____x___ No (Check this if no retail customers were receiving service in affected territory prior to the boundary change.)

Yes (If yes, provide the information on Attachment 1 for each customer affected.)

CUSTOMERS CHANGING ELECTRIC SUPPLIER AS RESULT OF TERRITORIAL CHANGE

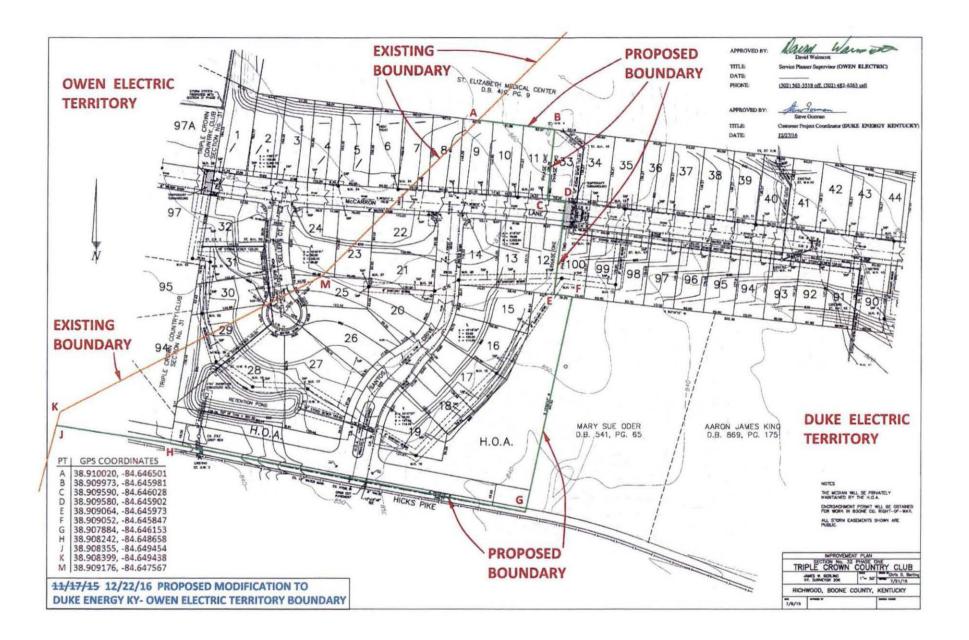
(does not apply to customers not receiving service prior to boundary change)

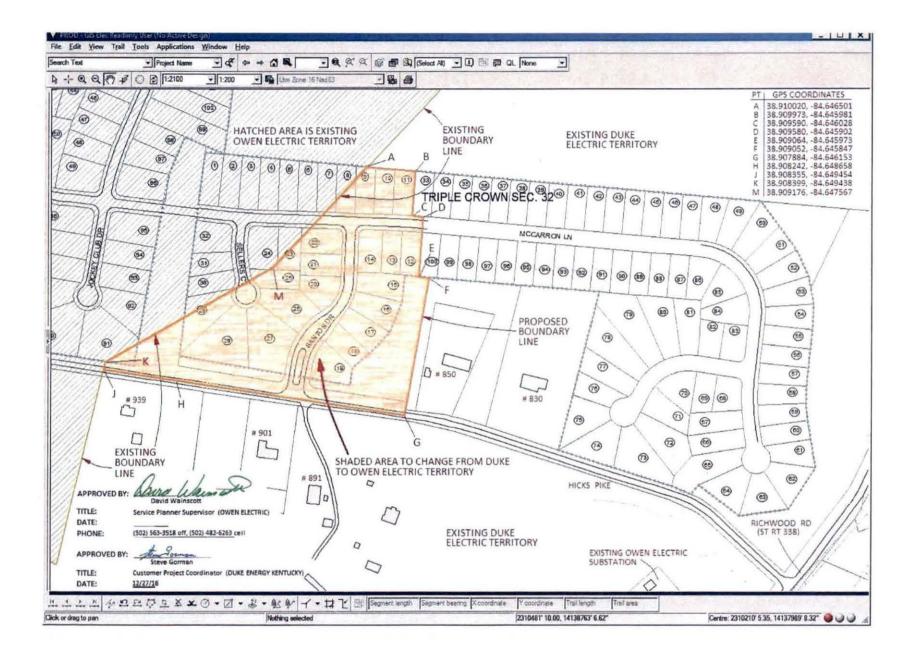
a.	Customer Name:	NONE
b.	Address:	N.A.
C.	Territorial (Key) map(s)	
d.	Existing (original)utility:	
	Future (new) utility:	
d.	Date and forms (personal the pending territorial reas	contact), US Mail, etc.) of customer notification of
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Application Exhibit 1

TERRITORIAL BOUNDARY CHANGES

MAPS & AGREEMENTS







Attn: Steve Gorman 5445 Audro Drive Cincinnati, Oh 45247-7001 Fax:(513)287-1483

12/27/16

Owen Electric COOP Attn: David Wainscott 8205 Hwy 127 North P.O. Box 400 Owenton, Ky 40359

Re: Triple Crown Subd Sec 32A Duke-Owen Territory Boundary Change

Enclosed are a marked up Duke Landbase Drawing and a Developer's Plan, both showing existing and proposed territory boundaries. GPS coordinates are included for the points of the polygon area that is proposed to change ownership. The boundary change involves lots 7 through 29, along Santos Dr and McCarron Ln, in Triple Crown Subd Sec 32A.

If you are in agreement with the description of the above mentioned Territory Boundary Line Change, please have a copy of this letter (and Landbase Drawing, and Developer's Plan) signed, dated, and returned to me as authorization to proceed. This letter and accompanying drawings will then be submitted to the Utility Commission for a territory boundary change.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (513) 287-4794 off, or (513) 582-4998 cell.

APPROVED BY:

David Wainscott

TITLE: DATE: Service Planner Supervisor (OWEN ELECTRIC)

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TITLE: DATE: (502) 563-3518 off, (502) 482-6263 cell

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Customer Project Coordinator (DUKE ENERGY KENTUCKY) 12/27/16