

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

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RENEWABLES LLC FOR A CERTIFICATE OF	)	CASE NO.
CONSTRUCTION FOR A 161KV	)	2025-00030
NONREGULATED ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION	)	
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LENGTH IN MUHLENBERG AND LOGAN		
COUNTIES, KENTUCKY PURSUANT TO KRS		
278.700 AND 807 KAR 5:110		

NOTICE OF FILING

Notice is given to all parties that the following materials have been filed into the record of this proceeding:

- The digital video recording of the evidentiary hearing conducted on September 22, 2025 in this proceeding;
- Certification of the accuracy and correctness of the digital video recording; and
- A written log listing, *inter alia*, the date and time of where each witness's testimony begins and ends on the digital video recording of the evidentiary hearing conducted on September 22, 2025.

A copy of this Notice, the certification of the digital video record, and the hearing log has been served upon all persons listed at the end of this Notice. Parties may view the digital video recording of the hearing at <https://youtu.be/xGH5iXNPj0s>.

Done on this day, November 20, 2025.



Linda C. Bridwell, PE
Executive Director

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CERTIFICATION

I, Candace H. Sacre, hereby certify that:

1. I am responsible for the preparation of the electronic files containing the recording of the Formal Hearing conducted in the above-styled proceeding on September 22, 2025. The Formal Hearing Log is included with the recording on September 22, 2025.

2. The recording accurately and correctly depicts the Formal Hearing of September 22, 2025; and

3. The Formal Hearing Log accurately and correctly states the events that occurred at the Formal Hearing on September 22, 2025, and the time at which each occurred.

Signed this 18th day of November, 2025.



Candace H. Sacre
Administrative Specialist Senior



Stephanie Schweighardt
Kentucky State at Large ID# KYNP64180
Commission Expires: January 14, 2027



Session Report - Detail

2025-00030 22Sept2025

Lost City Renewables, LLC (Lost City Renewables)

Date:	Type:	Location:	Department:
9/22/2025	Public Hearing\Public Comments	Hearing Room 1	Hearing Room 1 (HR 1)

Witness: Shane Kelley; Marty Marchaterre
Judge: Angie Hatton; Mary Pat Regan; Andrew Wood
Clerk: Candace H Sacre

Event Time	Log Event
1:46:21 PM	Session Started
1:46:28 PM	Session Paused
1:47:08 PM	Session Resumed
1:47:09 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace On the record.
1:47:32 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Introductions.
1:47:49 PM	Video Conference Activated
1:48:16 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Not joining us John Lyons and Jansen Hammock.
1:48:36 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Hearing recommendations.
1:48:51 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Purpose of hearing.
1:48:55 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Entry of appearance.
1:48:58 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables Note: Sacre, Candace Rebecca Price, witnesses Marty Marchaterre, Shane Kelley, and David Crouse.
1:49:10 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC Note: Sacre, Candace Wright Williams.
1:49:14 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Public notice.
1:49:18 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Outstanding motions.
1:49:27 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Public comment.
1:50:17 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Anything else?
1:50:22 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace Call first witness.
1:50:24 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables Note: Sacre, Candace Marty Marchaterre.
1:50:40 PM	Camera Lock Witness Activated
1:50:42 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace Examination. Name and business address?
1:50:51 PM	Camera Lock Deactivated
1:50:58 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace Direct Examination. Title at Copperhead?
1:51:10 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace Familiar with Lost City application transmission line?

1:51:15 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Sponsor materials and responses?
1:51:21 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Any changes to filed testimony?
1:51:31 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Staff?
1:51:33 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Cross Examination. Application, page 2, and other areas discussion about 150- and 100-foot ROW centerline transmission line?
1:52:00 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Detail about explanation for variance at different points?
1:52:28 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Those at request of landowners?
1:52:38 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Anticipated variance for right of way, anticipate requesting variance to allow transmission line move a number of feet?
1:53:37 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Response, First Data Request, Item 12, three proposed line routes, and then routes B and C, discuss course of routes and how deciding on proposed route?
1:55:31 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Based on Second Data Request, Item 15, question about two alternate lines not having different start point?
1:55:45 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Response stated based on location of substation?
1:56:05 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Proposed alternate routes based on new substation location?
1:56:36 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	How presence of karst features accounted for in routing of line?
1:57:01 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	When anticipate additional studies take place?
1:57:21 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	First Request, Response, Item 8, Attachment B, decommissioning plan?
1:57:30 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Decommissioning plan includes transmission line?
1:57:37 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Confirm entire transmission line included in plan?
1:57:56 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Confirm cost borne by applicant?
1:58:08 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Visibility analysis included?
1:58:15 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	63 potential receptors, two of which cemeteries, 61 residences, 38 anticipated some visibility with 16 moderate or greater visibility, how many participating or have agreements?
1:58:53 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	In analysis all adjacent?
1:58:56 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Nonparticipating, nonagreements?
1:59:11 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Permits, only two begun/completed were solar generation case and current case, any updates to those?

1:59:42 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Discussion flood plains, know how much transmission line cross flood plains?
2:00:24 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Know if in record maps depicting flood plains?
2:00:46 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Commissioner Wood?
2:00:53 PM	Commissioner Wood - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Have to put money away or procure bond for decommissioning process?
2:01:33 PM	Commissioner Wood - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Is bond pay one-time fee for or annual fee, how does that work?
2:01:51 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Commissioner Regan?
2:01:56 PM	Commissioner Regan - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Transmission line goes through Logan County?
2:02:10 PM	Commissioner Regan - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Know about cemeteries, get any calls look at things plotted from 1700?
2:02:49 PM	Commissioner Regan - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Gotten calls random people concerned about line looking to put destination area to a 1700 land plat, gotten those calls?
2:03:28 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Judge Baker, questions?
2:03:34 PM	Board Member Baker Note: Sacre, Candace	No questions.
2:03:46 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Involved in planning companion case generation this line will serve?
2:03:56 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Had a lot of public comment, intervenors, anything different about way gave public notice?
2:04:27 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Describe what community outreach has been?
2:04:51 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Any public comment hearings?
2:04:56 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Not required for transmission lines?
2:05:04 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Noticed information vegetative clearing required, 85 to 100 acres trees, over ten miles?
2:05:34 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	For initial construction?
2:05:37 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Ongoing regular maintenance in transmission area?
2:05:50 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Schedule how of how often cleared or target?
2:06:00 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Get filed along with final plans?
2:06:05 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	What entity be in charge of that?
2:06:16 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Anticipated ownership of line, easements, or leases be transferred to another entity?

2:06:30 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Maintaining clearing?
2:06:33 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Is there a publicly available phone number to call?
2:06:47 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Marchaterre Note: Sacre, Candace	Which is posted on website?
2:06:58 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Redirect?
2:07:15 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	May call your next witness.
2:07:17 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables Note: Sacre, Candace	Shane Kelly.
2:07:27 PM	Camera Lock Witness Activated	
2:07:29 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Witness is sworn.
2:07:36 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Kelley Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Name and business address?
2:07:46 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables - witness Kelley Note: Sacre, Candace	Direct Examination. By whom employed?
2:07:51 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables - witness Kelley Note: Sacre, Candace	What is role there?
2:07:55 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables - witness Kelley Note: Sacre, Candace	Familiar with Lost City's application for transmission line construction certificate?
2:08:01 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables - witness Kelley Note: Sacre, Candace	Sponsor materials and responses?
2:08:07 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables - witness Kelley Note: Sacre, Candace	Have any changes?
2:08:13 PM	Camera Lock Deactivated	
2:08:16 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Staff?
2:08:21 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Kelley Note: Sacre, Candace	Cross Examination. Response, First Data Request, Item 24, mitigation measures for line that crosses flood plains?
2:08:36 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Kelley Note: Sacre, Candace	Expound on that, what concerns be in flood plains and how mitigate them?
2:09:50 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Kelley Note: Sacre, Candace	Steel poles?
2:09:56 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Kelley Note: Sacre, Candace	What is assessment how clearing affect flood plains increasing risk in other areas?
2:10:34 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Kelley Note: Sacre, Candace	Variance issue, anticipate occasional variance when get to construction?
2:11:08 PM	Staff Atty Williams PSC - witness Kelley Note: Sacre, Candace	Have plans for construction timelines, time windows during construction, and what process look like?
2:11:50 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Questions?
2:12:08 PM	Chair Hatton - witness Kelley Note: Sacre, Candace	Examination. Issue with noise when doing this type of construction?
2:12:39 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Redirect?

2:12:45 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	You may call your next.
2:12:50 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables Note: Sacre, Candace	David Crouse.
2:13:11 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Witness is sworn.
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2:13:41 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables - witness Crouse Note: Sacre, Candace	Familiar with Lost City's application?
2:13:42 PM	Camera Lock Deactivated	
2:13:48 PM	Camera Lock Witness Activated	
2:13:54 PM	Camera Lock Deactivated	
2:13:55 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables - witness Crouse Note: Sacre, Candace	Sean Joshi sponsored material, adopt materials?
2:14:06 PM	Camera Lock Witness Activated	
2:14:07 PM	Atty Price Lost City Renewables - witness Crouse Note: Sacre, Candace	Have any changes to materials?
2:14:13 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Questions?
2:14:13 PM	Camera Lock Deactivated	
2:14:44 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Final witness.
2:14:50 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Is that your case?
2:14:55 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Anything further, Staff?
2:15:14 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Motions.
2:15:19 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Final Order October 8.
2:15:33 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Post-hearing data requests by September 24.
2:15:48 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Briefs due September 29.
2:16:23 PM	Chair Hatton Note: Sacre, Candace	Hearing adjourned.
2:16:43 PM	Session Ended	

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