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Merchant Plant Applications Cases Before the Commission as of November 15, 2026

2026-00096 RECEIVED: 06/16/26 FILED: 06/16/26 FINAL: 10/12/26 REOPENED: SUSPENSION DATE:

CASE NATURE: Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLC

CASE CODE

Merchant Plant - Board Decision Due

HEARINGS:

09/24/26 Formal Hearing

INDEX OF EVENTS:

10/12/26	Final Order Entered: 1. Lynn Bark Energy's application for a Construction Certificate to construct an up to 6.3-mile, 138 kV nonregulated electric transmission line in Martin County, Kentucky, is conditionally granted, subject to full compliance with the mitigation measures and conditions prescribed in Appendix A. 2. Lynn Bark Energy shall fully comply with the mitigation measures and conditions prescribed in Appendix A to this Order. 3. Lynn Bark Energy is approved to place the centerline and associated right-of-way in the 150-foot corridor as required based on the field conditions encountered. 4. In the event mitigation measures within the body of this Order conflict with those prescribed in Appendix A to this Order, the measures in Appendix A shall control. 5. This case is closed and removed from the Siting Board's docket.
10/05/26	Sommer L. Sheely Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLC Lynn Bark Energy Center Responses to PHDR
10/02/26	Order Entered: 1. Lynn Bark Energy's motion for confidential treatment is granted, in part, and denied, in part. 2. Lynn Bark Energy's motion for confidential treatment for the material terms of leases and easements in response to Siting Board Staff's First Request for Information, Item 1 as described in this Order is granted. 3. Lynn Bark Energy's motion for confidential treatment for the remaining portions of the leases and easements is denied. 4. The designated material granted confidential treatment by this Order shall not be placed in the public record or made available for public inspection for an indefinite period or until further order of this Siting Board. 5. Use of the designated material granted confidential treatment by this Order in any Siting Board proceeding shall comply with 807 KAR 5:110, Section 5. 6. Lynn Bark Energy shall inform the Siting Board if the designated material granted confidential treatment by this Order becomes publicly available or no longer qualifies for confidential treatment.
09/28/26	SITING BOARD STAFF'S POST-HEARING REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO LYNN BARK ENERGY CENTER, LLC
09/28/26	Order Entered: 1. Post-hearing requests for information, if any, shall be filed on or before September 28, 2026. 2. Responses to post-hearing requests for information shall be filed on or before October 5, 2026. 3. Counsel for Lynn Bark Energy shall file a memorandum brief in support of Lynn Bark Energy's post-hearing position on or before October 1, 2026. 4. This case shall stand submitted for a decision by the Siting Board effective 12:01 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time, October 6, 2026.
09/25/26	Notice of Filing Hearing Documents - September 24, 2026
09/22/26	Order Entered: Lila M. Appaya is admitted pro hac vice for the purpose of representing Lynn Bark Energy in association with Sommer L. Sheely and Kara H Herrnstein in the above-styled proceeding, provided that Sommer L. Sheely and Kara H. Herrnstein or another member in good standing of the Kentucky Bar Association acts as co-counsel and is present at all proceedings before the Siting Board.
09/21/26	Sommer L. Sheely Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLC Notice of Compliance - Proof of Publication
09/18/26	Sommer L. Sheely Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLC Applicant Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLCs Witness List for Transmission Line Formal Hearing
09/11/26	Sommer L. Sheely Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLC Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice
09/08/26	Douglas Jeavons BBC Research Consulting Review of transmission application on behalf of the Siting Board
08/26/26	Sommer L. Sheely Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLC Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLCs Response to Siting Board Staffs Second Set of Data Requests
08/18/26	Sommer L. Sheely Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLC Notice of Compliance - Proof of Publication
08/14/26	SITING BOARD STAFF'S SECOND REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO LYNN BARK ENERGY CENTER, LLC
07/30/26	Sommer L. Sheely Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLC Verification of Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLCs Responses to Boards First Set of Data Requests - Christina Martens
07/28/26	Sommer L. Sheely Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLC Lynn Bark Transmission Line Motion for Confidential Treatment

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07/28/26	Sommer L. Sheely Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLC Lynn Bark Response to Staffs First Data Request dated July 13, 2026
07/13/26	SITING BOARD STAFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR INFORMATION TO LYNN BARK ENERGY, LLC
06/30/26	Order Entered: 1. The statutory deadline for the processing of this matter is 120 days from the application filing date. 2. The procedural schedule set forth in the Appendix to this Order shall be followed for this proceeding. 3. Lynn Bark Energy shall respond to all requests for information propounded by Siting Board Staff, whether identified on the procedural schedule or otherwise, as provided in those requests. 4. Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:110, Section 3(4), any party filing a paper with the Siting Board shall file an electronic copy in accordance with the electronic filing procedures set forth in 807 KAR 5:001, Section 8. Electronic documents shall be in portable document format (PDF), shall be searchable, and shall be appropriately bookmarked. The Siting Board directs the parties to the Commission's July 22, 2021 Order in Case No. 2020-00085 regarding filings with the Siting Board. 5. As set forth in 807 KAR 5:110, Section 4, a person requesting to become a party to the proceeding before the Siting Board is required to demonstrate (1) that he or she has a special interest in the proceeding; or (2) that his or her participation in the proceeding will assist the Siting Board in reaching its decision and would not unduly interrupt the proceeding.6. An evidentiary hearing in this matter shall be held September 24 2026, at 10 a.m. Eastern Daylight Time, in the Richard Raff Hearing Room at the offices of the Public Service Commission at 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky.
06/18/26	No deficiency letter
06/16/26	Sommer L. Sheely Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLC Application for Construction Certificate for Nonregulated Transmission Line in Martin County, Kentucky
06/12/26	Acknowledgement Letter of Application Fees
05/07/26	Notice of Intent No Deficiency Letter
05/06/26	Sommer L. Sheely Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLC Notice of Intent for Non-Regulated Transmission Line
04/15/26	Acknowledge Receipt of Filing
04/15/26	Lynn Bark Energy Center, LLC Notice of Intent to File an Application for a Certificate of Construction for a Nonregulated Transmission Line Using Electronic Filing Procedures

Total Number of Cases: 1