

EAST KENTUCKY POWER COOPERATIVE, INC.
CASE NO. 2024-00310
THIRD REQUEST FOR INFORMATION RESPONSE

JOINT INTERVENOR'S REQUEST DATED FEBRUARY 6, 2025

REQUEST 11

RESPONSIBLE PARTY: Nick Comer

Request 11. Please refer to EKPC's response to Staff 1-22.

- a. Please provide an updated response.
- b. Has EKPC hosted or planned any public meetings at the time of response regarding the proposed project?
 - i. Provide any information regarding any such meeting, such as how it was publicized, how invitations were extended to any who requested, attendee list, presentation from the Company, and any feedback received.
 - ii. If no, why not?

Original Response 11.

a. EKPC continues to share information and seek feedback for the project with adjacent property owners in the area and has provided initial information about the project, including potential impacts and planned mitigation strategies associated with the construction and future operation of the facility. As EKPC continues the development of the project, these identified mitigation strategies will be included into the design and overall project execution (construction) plan.

b. EKPC hosted a public meeting in Liberty, Ky. on Dec. 11, 2024, regarding the proposed Liberty Station project. At that meeting, project staff were available to answer questions and gather feedback. The meeting was advertised in the Dec. 4, 2024, edition of the Casey County News. See attachment *J13.11 - Newspaper Tearsheet.pdf*.

In addition, EKPC mailed invitations to 32 owners of property in the vicinity of the proposed Liberty Station property. See attachment *J13.11 - Invitation Letter.pdf*.

More than 50 people attended the meeting. See attachment *J13.11 - Sign-in Sheet.pdf*.

There were no formal presentations at the meeting. Rather, staff were present to answer questions and gather feedback. See attachment *J13.11 - Meeting Displays.pdf*.

A summary of feedback received at and following the meeting is attached as *J13.11 - Summary of all Public Comments.pdf*.

Supplemental Response 11b. EKPC's original response included a summary of the public comments received at and following the December 11, 2024 public meeting in Liberty Kentucky - *J13.11 - Summary of all Public Comments.pdf*. The summary provided inadvertent omitted email contacts from Kim Russell who owns property in the vicinity of the proposed Liberty Station. Ms. Russell conveyed that her property has been in her family for many years and she is opposed to the project. Ms. Russell indicated that she is concerned about environmental and health impacts; and she is concerned it will negatively, affect property values for surrounding farms.