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Pursuant to your notice of the above case which is attached for reference, Western Pocahontas Properties is filing a formal protest of the proposed route.

A phone call was made to Carol at Consumer Services in order to intervene and lodge our objection and we were instructed that we need to file this written objection/intervention.

As an alternative to the proposed unacceptable route, we have attached a map showing our surface ownership along the Garrett Area Transmission Project, the original proposal and our preferred route (Green).

In addition to being a shorter and straighter route, the alternative we offer involves fewer property owners and does not devalue one of the more attractive commercial/residential properties we own on the south side of Rt. 80 serving both Knott and Floyd Counties (Sportsplex Area).

We have repeatedly voiced our concern to Kentucky Power representatives about the proposed line location and hoped something could be resolved before it reached this phase. Unfortunately, at this point, intervention appears to be our only recourse.

We ask that our intervention be allowed and we welcome additional conversation with Kentucky Power to help resolve what we believe is a very solvable issue.

Please acknowledge receipt of this email and let us know what we need to do to accomplish resolution.

Thanks for your time.

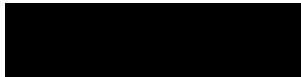
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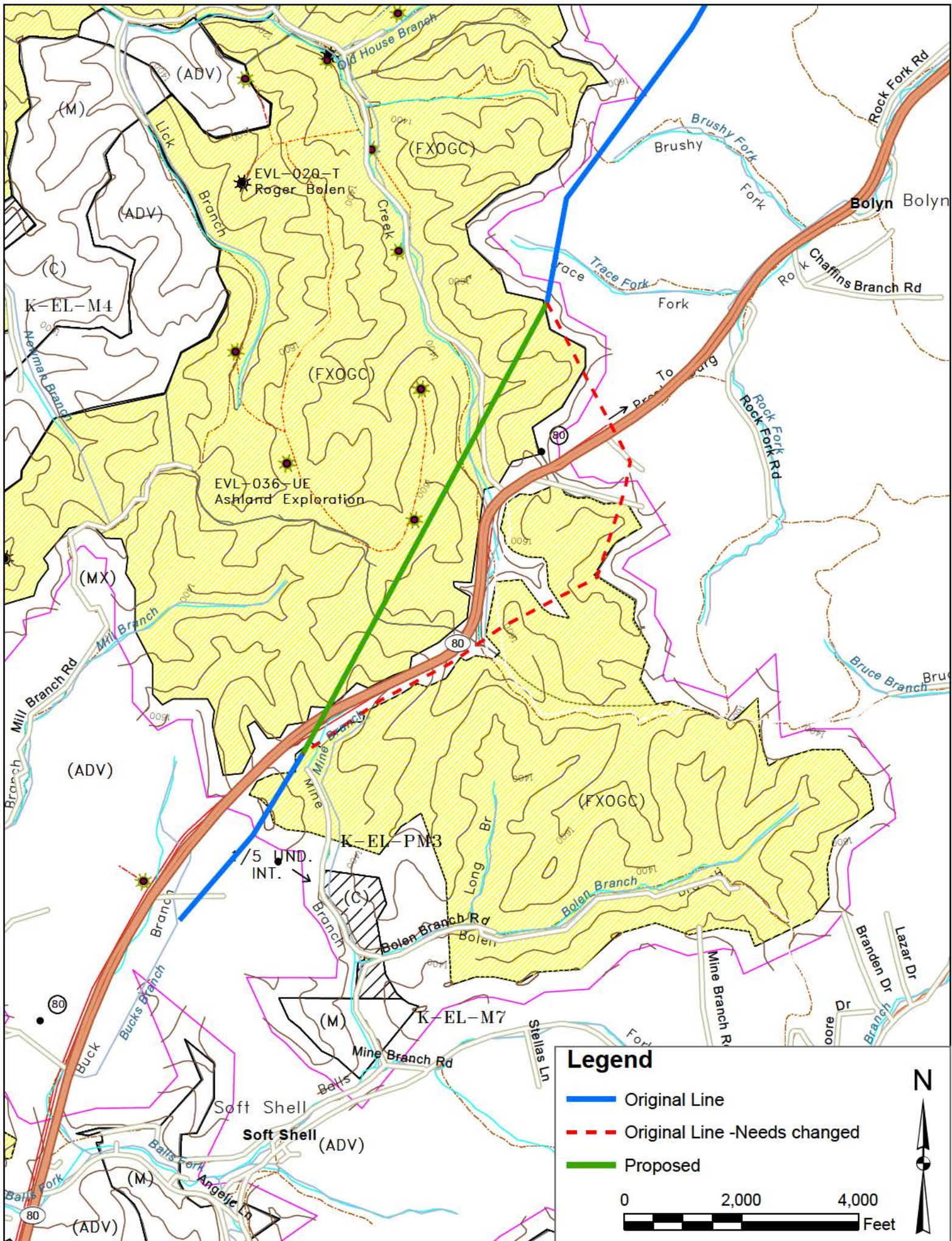
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TO PSC

Notice Of Proposed Construction Of Electric Transmission Lin

This is to notify you that Kentucky Power Company intends to file with the Public Service Commission of Kentucky an application seeking a certificate of public convenience and necessity in connection with its plans to build the Garrett Area 138-kilovolt (kV) Transmission Line in Knott County and Floyd County, Kentucky. The proposed 138-kV transmission line will be approximately 15 miles. The Garrett Area 138-kV Transmission Line and associated construction described below are known as the "Garrett Area Transmission Line Project" (or the "Project").

This notice is being provided to you because the records of the Knott County Property Valuation Administrator or the Floyd County Property Valuation Administrator indicate the proposed transmission line may cross property you own.

1. The Project is expected to involve the following work:

(a) the construction of approximately 15 miles of new 138-kV transmission line from the vicinity of the Hays Branch 138-kV Substation in Floyd County, Kentucky to the Soft Shell 138-kV Substation in Knott County, Kentucky. Approximately 1.4 miles of the new 138-kV transmission line will be a double circuit line from the new Eastern 138-kV Substation to a new tap structure in the vicinity of existing structure K137-4 on the Hays Branch – Morgan Fork 138-kV transmission line;

(b) the construction of the new Eastern 138-kV Substation south of the existing 138 kV Hays Branch Substation in Floyd County, Kentucky;

(c) the expansion and conversion of the existing Garrett 46-kV Substation located in Floyd County, Kentucky to a 138-kV Substation;

(d) the upgrade of Kentucky Power's existing Hays Branch 138-kV Substation, McKinney 46-kV McKinney Substation, both of which are in Floyd County, Kentucky, and the Soft Shell 138-kV Substation, which is located in Knott County, Kentucky. Removal work also will be performed at the Beaver Creek 138/69/46 kV Substation located in Floyd County;

(e) the performance of work at Kentucky Power's Snag Fork delivery point at the East Kentucky Power Cooperative, Inc. Salt Lick 138-kV Substation in Floyd County, Kentucky;

(f) the retirement of approximately 25 miles of the 46-kV Beaver Creek – McKinney #1 46-KV circuit, along with the retirement of the Spring Fork Tap and the Shepherd and Lackey Switching Stations; and

(g) the retirement of the Spring Fork 46-kV Transmission Station and the associated 46-kV transmission line. Both are located in Breathitt County, Kentucky.

Kentucky Power also will construct in Breathitt County, Kentucky ordinary extensions of distribution lines in connection with the retirement of the station and transmission line.

2. Enclosed is a map showing the route of the proposed transmission line.

3. The Public Service Commission of Kentucky will process Kentucky Power's application in Case No. 2021-00346. The address and telephone number of the Executive

Director of the Public Service Commission of Kentucky are:

Executive Director
Public Service Commission of Kentucky
211 Sower Boulevard
P. O. Box 615
Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615
(502) 564-3940

Kentucky Power anticipates filing its application with the Public Service Commission of Kentucky on or after October 25, 2021. The application when filed may be viewed on the Commission's website under Case No. 2021-00346 at <https://psc.ky.gov/Case/SearchCases/2021>.

4. You have the right to submit a timely written request for intervention in Case No. 2021-00346. The motion must be submitted to the Public Service Commission, 211 Sower Boulevard, P. O. Box 615, Frankfort, Kentucky 40602-0615, and must establish the grounds for your request to intervene, including your status and the nature of your interest in the proceeding. Please see 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(11) for further information regarding the requirements and procedure for requesting intervention. 807 KAR 5:001, Section 4(11) may be accessed here:

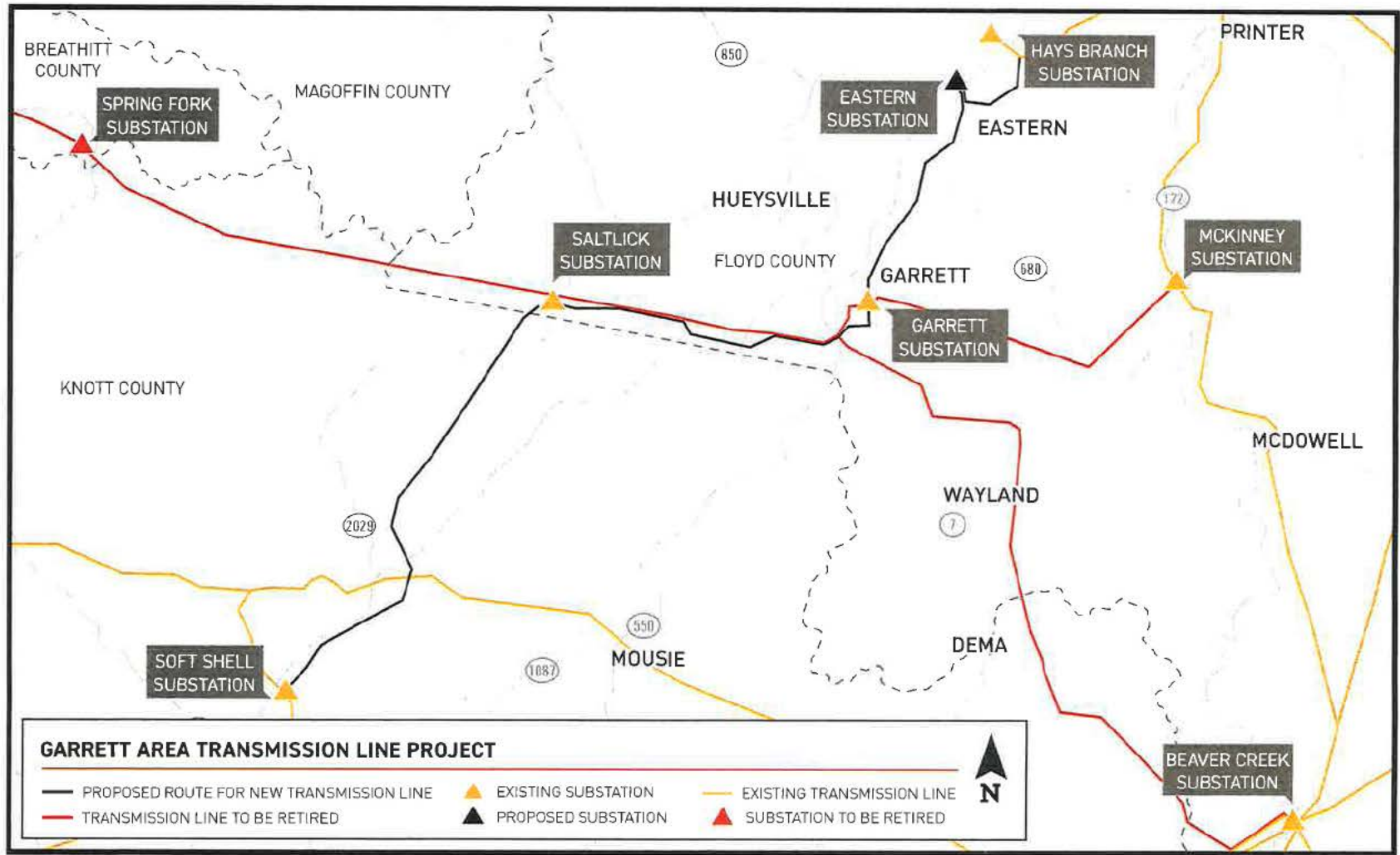
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<http://www.lrc.state.ky.us/kar/807/005/001.htm>. If no request for intervention is received within 30 days of the filing of the application the Commission may take final action on the application

5. You also have the right to request a local public hearing regarding the application the proposed 138-kV transmission line. The requirements for requesting a local public hearing are set forth in 807 KAR 5:120, Section 3. 807 KAR 5:120, Section 3 may be accessed here: <http://www.lrc.state.ky.us/kar/807/005/120.htm>.

6. Written comments may also be filed at the above address, or by sending an e-mail to the Commission's public information officer at psc.info@ky.gov. The comments should reference Case No. 2021-00346.

7. Project updates and further information may also be found on the Company's website:

KentuckyPower.com/Garrett.