

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Application of Grain Belt Express )  
Clean Line LLC for a Certificate of Convenience and )  
Necessity Authorizing it to Construct, Own, Operate, ) **File No. EA-2016-0358**  
Control, Manage and Maintain a High Voltage, Direct )  
Current Transmission Line and an Associated Converter )  
Station Providing an Interconnection on the Maywood - )  
Montgomery 345kV Transmission Line )

**ORDER REGARDING LOCAL PUBLIC HEARING EXHIBITS**

Issue Date: January 26, 2017

Effective Date: January 26, 2017

The Commission conducted local public hearings on December 7, 8, 13, and 14, 2016. During the eight local public hearings, a total of 68 exhibits were received from witnesses, subject to any objections from the parties submitted no later than five business days after the exhibits were filed in the Commission’s electronic filing and information system. The Commission received timely objections to 36 exhibits, and will rule on those objections.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The Commission makes the following rulings on objections to exhibits introduced at a local public hearing:

Exhibit 4	Overruled
Exhibit 5	Overruled
Exhibit 6	Overruled
Exhibit 7	Overruled
Exhibit 8	Overruled
Exhibit 9	Overruled
Exhibit 14	Overruled
Exhibit 15	Overruled
Exhibit 16	Overruled
Exhibit 17	Overruled
Exhibit 18	Sustained
Exhibit 22	Overruled
Exhibit 25	Sustained
Exhibit 26	Sustained
Exhibit 27	Sustained
Exhibit 28	Sustained
Exhibit 29	Sustained
Exhibit 30	Sustained
Exhibit 31	Sustained
Exhibit 32	Overruled
Exhibit 33	Sustained
Exhibit 35	Overruled
Exhibit 38	Sustained
Exhibit 44	Overruled
Exhibit 47	Overruled
Exhibit 49	Sustained
Exhibit 50	Sustained
Exhibit 54	Sustained
Exhibit 59	Sustained
Exhibit 62	Sustained
Exhibit 63	Sustained
Exhibit 64	Sustained
Exhibit 65	Sustained
Exhibit 66	Sustained
Exhibit 67	Sustained
Exhibit 68	Sustained

2. All exhibits to which no objection was made and exhibits to which an objection was overruled are received into the record.

3. This order shall be effective when issued.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

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Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Michael Bushmann, Senior Regulatory  
Law Judge, by delegation of authority  
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 26<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2017.

**STATE OF MISSOURI**

**OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 26<sup>th</sup> day of January 2017.



  
Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**January 26, 2017**

**File/Case No. EA-2016-0358**

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**Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).**

**Sincerely,**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "M" and "W".

**Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary**

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