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Subject: Letter of support for the Sonoita 69kV line
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Dear Commissioners:

Please find attached four letters of support for the Sonoita 69kV line.

Can you please docket them on the ACC website under the following two case numbers?

E-01575A-09-0453
E-01575A-08-0328

Thank you.

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Jack Blair
SSVEC
P O Box 820
Willcox, AZ 85644

Dec 24, 2009
RE: Substation

Dear Mr Blair:

Your data about the substation mentions "38 opponents" at the August ACC meeting. How about this?

- 1) List the names of those who purchased their land after your signs advising an easement existed along certain properties.
- 2) List the names of those 38 who do not own land in the affected area
- 3) List the names of those 38 who do not even live in the Sonoita-Elgin-Patagonia area.
- 4) List the names of those who are not SSVEC Coop members.

At your next ACC meeting submit these names to the Board to show a group of mostly uninvolved people are holding up this second line - in effect holding 98% of our area hostage. Since I purchased my property in 1974 I have seen a huge influx of people building in my area. It is ridiculous to expect lines built decades ago to handle all the electronics now in homes.

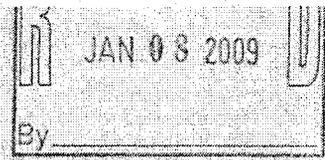
Sue Hey

Sue Hey
267 Papago Springs Rd
Sonoita, AZ 85637

P.S. I have now received TWO of these mailings. One is plenty. Two makes you appear not very organized (001463 & 000122)

PSS- A PREVIOUS OWNER OF MY PROPERTY
GAVE SSVEC ^{ACCESS} TO PUT POLES AND LINES
ON WHAT IS NOW MY LAND. I'M
GLAD TO HAVE THE ELECTRICITY TODAY.

POCO TORO RANCH
SAN RAFAEL VALLEY



P.O. Box 201
Patagonia, AZ 85624

MARGIE BUYER
(520) 394-2021

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SWEC:

Lisa,

Thank you for your letter of 12-14-09 -
I am sorry you are having so much trouble
getting a new power line here. We
need it and want it and I am all
for it. FYI

Sincerely
Margie Buyer

75292

Jan. 10, 2010

SSVEC

P.O. Box 820

Willcox, AZ 85644

Re: 69kV transmission line for the Elgin/Sonoita area

To whom it may concern:

Please feel free to use this letter or not for whatever means you deem necessary.

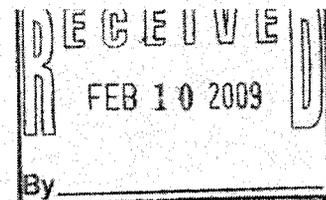
Speaking as a long time resident of the area (60 years) for myself and over 100 years for my family, I feel as though this is a much needed improvement. I still remember when I came out here to stay with my grandparents and having at that time carbide lights, a kerosene refrigerator and only a fireplace to heat the whole house. Next was a kohler plant powered by propane (really an improvement). Then finally came real electric power and you could have a freezer and an electric refrigerator. Though there have been numerous power outages throughout the years and some of them quite lengthy, it was something we could live with. But since the growth of the area in recent years the outages have increased even with improved circuit overload protection installed, the last being 23 Dec. 2009 when the power was out for nearly 5 hours and the temperature at 29°. I am sure had the new 69kV line been in place the down time would have much shorter. We, like a lot of residents have probably led to the additional load to the existing line. Four years ago we remodeled our home and converted to a total electric home, mainly due to the huge increase in the price of propane and the growing unavailability of firewood to heat our home.

We welcome the improvement to the existing carrying capacity and ability to rely on more than one transmission line. Most of the opponents to the construction of this line have recently moved into the area or are speculators who have no interest other than to be able inflate the value of their property and are not directly affected by the outages or length of time of the outages. It's about time that the NIMBY stopped trying to control quality or comfort of life in areas in which they do not live and energy alternatives will not relieve the overload problem on the existing line.

James F. Maloney .

Elgin, AZ


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January 30, 2010

Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative, INC
Attn: Creden Huber
PO Box 820
Willcox, Arizona 85644-0820

Dear Creden,

Larsen Baker, LLC, management and ownership of, Coronado Cochise Venture and Coronado Land Group, LLC's is in full support of the Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperatives (SSVEC) need to build a new substation and transmission line in the Sonoita, Elgin and Patagonia region.

The reassurance of the third party, independent consulting company affirms the need for such additional infrastructure. I am assured that every alternative has been considered by both Navigant Consulting and SSVEC, and the proposed plan is the most cost effective and responsible. Electricity is a utility service that people take for granted until it is unavailable. Reviewing the power outage report and understand the growing demand of this utility, we fully support your efforts to provide quality service at a reasonable price.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact our office at: (520) 296-0200.

Sincerely,

Steve Russell



On-Site Development Coordinator
Coronado Cochise Venture
Coronado Land Group, LLC's
c/o Larsen Baker, LLC
Steve@larsenbaker.com

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