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Honorable Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20426

Dear Secretary Reese:



The Board of Supervisors of Salem Township is writing to express our strong support for Eastern Gas Transmission & Storage, Inc. (EGTS) and its Appalachian Reliability Project. We commend EGTS for its ongoing commitment to meeting the growing energy demands of the region in a safe, reliable, and responsible manner.

The Appalachian Reliability Project represents an important investment in strengthening energy infrastructure and ensuring sufficient capacity to serve communities across our region.

Salem Township is proud to be home to the historic Oakford Station, where a portion of the proposed improvements will occur. Members of the Board have visited the facility on multiple occasions, most recently this year, and we have consistently been impressed by its operations and by the professionalism of EGTS's staff. The company has demonstrated a strong commitment to community engagement, maintaining open lines of communication with both the Township Board and our Emergency Services.

The Board of Supervisors believes this project will provide significant benefits to our community and the region as a whole. We respectfully encourage the Commission to approve the application and recognize the project's merits in addressing long-term energy needs.

Sincerely,


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