

Citizens Against the Kemptown Electric Substation

November 2, 2010

Neighbors:

C.A.K.E.S. is having a public general meeting on Monday, 11/8, at 7:00 PM at St. Ignatius Church at the corner of Fingerboard Road (Rt. 80) and Prices Distillery Road (4103 Prices Distillery Road), Ijamsville. This is a very important meeting for all neighbors, for we will review where we are in the proceedings at the County level and at the State Public Service Commission. Updated information on PATH and particularly the substation will be discussed. Importantly, we will review what testimony the Board of Appeals will be considering and how public testimony is vitally important. Your questions will be answered.

You may have learned that the next Board of (Zoning) Appeals Hearing has been rescheduled from Thursday 11/18 to Saturday 11/13. Yes, the same day as our Basket Bingo fund raiser, and yes the Basket Bingo will be held as originally scheduled. Pam Singleton, as Chair, has done a wonderful job of planning so that we can testify before the Board on the 13th. If you plan to attend or volunteer at the Basket Bingo, please try to testify or be at the Hearing first.

The Board of Appeals Hearing is now scheduled on Saturday, 11/13 starting at 9:00 AM to Noon, break for lunch, then 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM, break for dinner, then 7:00 PM to 11:00 PM, if all that time is needed. It is extremely important that as many of you as possible attend as much of the hearings that you possibly can. The number of the members of the public that attend definitely does have a direct influence on the Board members. Personal public testimony is also very important, and how the substation or lines can affect you personally, is powerful testimony. The C.A.K.E.S. general meeting on Monday, 11/8 will give everyone guidance on topics which are very important in the Board's decision process.

We the C.A.K.E.S. Board of Directors and Officers urge each of you to attend the general meeting Monday 11/8 and the Board of Appeals hearing 11/13. It is our future, our health and our property values that are at stake.

Dick Ishler
President
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