## **TOWNSHIP OF MONTVILLE**

RESOLUTION OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MONTVILLE DEMANDING THAT PSE&G NOT BE PERMITTED TO CONSTRUCT A NEW 500 KV TRANSMISSION LINE THROUGH NORTHERN NEW JERSEY UNTIL ALL TECHNOLOGICAL, ENVIRONMENTAL, HEALTH AND FINANCIAL ISSUES ARE PROPERLY ADDRESSED

WHEREAS, Public Service Electric and Gas (PSE&G) has proposed to construct a new 500 kV transmission line through Northern New Jersey, and

WHEREAS, on July, 15, 2008 PSE&G made a formal presentation to the Montville Township Committee and public to present the project and address our concerns, and

WHEREAS, PSE&G made a commitment to Montville Township officials and citizenry to provide formal responses to the technological, environmental, health and financial questions and issues raised at the public presentation, and

WHEREAS, PSE&G has not yet provided the responses to the questions and issues raised at the July 15, 2008 meeting, and

WHEREAS, the Township Committee of the Township of Montville has enlisted the support of our United States Congressional Representative, Rodney Frelinghuysen, our New Jersey State Senator Joseph Pennacchio, the New Jersey Assembly Minority Speaker Alex DeCroce, and our Assemblyman Jay Webber, all of whom have expressed their concerns with the lack of adequate forums for public input on the PSE&G project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Township Committee of the Township of Montville does hereby endorse the actions and requests of United States Congressional Representative, Rodney Frelinghuysen, New Jersey State Senator Joseph Pennacchio, New Jersey Assembly Minority Speaker Alex DeCroce, and Assemblyman Jay Webber.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Montville Township Committee demand that the PSE&G project to route a new 500 kV transmission line through northern New Jersey not be approved to proceed until such time as the technological, environmental, health and financial issues and questions raised have been adequately addressed.

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Gertrude Atkinson, Township Clerk	

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I, Gertrude H. Atkinson, Township Clerk of the Township of Montville, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that this is a true and exact copy of a Resolution adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Montville at a meeting held on September 23, 2008.