

The following resolution was adopted by the Morgan County Commission on August 22, 2008.

**MORGAN COUNTY COMMISSION  
RESOLUTION IN OPPOSITION TO PATH**

*Whereas, American Electric Power (AEP) and Allegheny Energy have proposed the construction of a new high-voltage transmission line from southwestern West Virginia to central Maryland; and*

*Whereas, said project is known as the Potomac-Appalachian Transmission Highline or better known as PATH; and*

*Whereas, AEP and Allegheny Energy are currently studying the area between southwest West Virginia and central Maryland to determine possible routes for the new transmission; and*

*Whereas, several of the routes being considered by AEP and Allegheny Energy are located within the boundaries of Morgan County, West Virginia; and*

*Whereas, the construction of the new transmission line in Morgan County would be of no direct benefit to Morgan County or its citizens; and*

*Whereas, the construction of the new transmission line in Morgan County could have a detrimental impact on Morgan County, its citizens, and our environment.*

*Now therefore, be it resolved that the Morgan County Commission opposes any part of the Potomac-Appalachian Transmission Highline being constructed within the boundaries of Morgan County, West Virginia.*

**This resolution was signed by:  
Commission President Glen Stotler  
Commissioner Thomas Swaim  
Commissioner Brenda J. Hutchinson**