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Lori Cerny

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Dear Ms. Cerny:

This in in response to your letter regarding the proposed Prevailing Winds, LLC facility, PUC docket EL16-022.

As a member of landowner family affected by the proposed facility, you will want to become familiar with the docket. Filings received by the commission will be posted in the online docket. You can access it by going to www.puc.sd.gov and clicking on Commission Actions, Commission Dockets, Electric Dockets, 2016 Dockets, and scrolling down to EL16-022. Your letter and this response will be posted under Comments and Responses in the docket.

I am enclosing a copy of our Siting Guide which is available on the home page of our website as this provides information on the processing of siting dockets such as this. It will be distributed at the public input hearing scheduled for 6:30 PM on Wednesday, Aug. 24, 2016 at the school in Avon. More information on this hearing is available, in the docket.

Thank you for sharing your concerns about the proposed project with my fellow commissioners and me.

Sincerely.

Chairman Chris Nelson