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Message
To whom it may concern:

I am contacting you about Doc# EL16-022. I'd like to voice my support for the permit that would permit the construction of the Prevailing Winds wind energy project.

I believe wind energy in South Dakota could be one of the strongest assets that we have in the future, as other energy resources are diminished across the world.

Growing up I was always fascinated with the wind energy projects located in Minnesota. I later attended school at Black Hills State University and was able to further my understanding of renewable energy resources through my industrial technology major. Based on those studies I truly believe that wind energy is the best source of power, causing the least amount of environmental impact of any of our known energy resources.

When I had the opportunity to invest in the development of wind energy, I felt it was my duty as an educated resident of South Dakota to be part of that endeavor. I think the future of wind energy in South Dakota could be amazing and propel our state one day into being a top clean energy provider within the US.

I hope that you will take this letter into consideration in determining the decision whether to grant the permit listed above. Our state has great potential - let's not let this opportunity slip through our fingers.

Thank you so much,
Kestrel Schnabel