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Dear Madam Chairperson and South Dakota Public Utility Commissioners;

SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

RE: EL17-028 CROCKER WIND FARM APPLICATION

I am writing to share my support of the Crocker Wind Farm, a Geronimo Energy wind farm development.

I was unable to attend the September 13, 2017 South Dakota Public Commission Hearing in Clark, SD.

- I support Crocker Wind Farm because it will provide **economic benefits to the local economy**, tax base, schools, local residents and county and towns.
- I support Crocker Wind Farm because it will provide numerous benefits for the local and broader environment, including water consumption savings and carbon dioxide emissions reductions.
- I support Crocker Wind Farm because its developer, Geronimo Energy, is a responsible and thorough developer.

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Sincerely,	
Mentler Well	
Signature	
Heather Wells	
Printed Name	
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Additional comments of support below:	
Clack County can de	finitely use the money,