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SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Dear Madam Chairperson and South Dakota Public Utility Commissioners;

RE: EL17-028 CROCKER WIND FARM APPLICATION

I am writing you as a community member to share my support of the Crocker Wind Farm, a Geronimo Energy wind farm development located in Clark County, South Dakota.

- 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.**

Sincerely,

*Brad Finstad*

Signature

*Brad Finstad*

Printed Name

*10-10-17*

Date

[Redacted Address]

*Bradley SD 57217*

Address

[Redacted Phone Number]

Phone Number

Additional comments of support below:

*The towers would help us with our farm payments and expenses.*

I attended the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission Hearing on Wednesday September 13, 2017 at the Clark Community Elementary School gymnasium. I did not speak because the numerous supporters had covered the topics I wished to comment.