

1 money and it's all a myth that --

2 CHAIRMAN FIEGEN: Thank you.

3 MS. MEYER: -- there's going to be money for
4 jobs, schools, roads or anything else. Thank you.

5 CHAIRMAN FIEGEN: And then you can submit your
6 written statement actually to the Commission in a
7 filing, and you can talk to our staff because I know
8 that the three Commissioners and the staff and the
9 advisers will certainly read that.

10 MS. MEYER: Thank you.

11 CHAIRMAN FIEGEN: Thank you.

12 MS. PAZOUR: Thank you, Commissioners, for
13 coming here, and Prevailing Winds. My name is Kelly
14 Pazour. My home is at 29668 402 North Avenue,
15 Wagner.

16 I was raised in Charles Mix County. I am
17 the third generation. I have four children who are
18 typically at home at my place. My biggest concern
19 is I have a ten-year-old daughter who lost her
20 hearing due to the cancer that she incurred. She
21 now uses a Baha. The Baha sits on her bad ear and
22 vibrates to her good ear so she can hear.

23 I'm asking the PUC to help with my way of
24 life, my family, by identifying -- denying the
25 Prevailing Winds project. Since 2014, I have looked

1 and done research about Beethoven Winds. My
2 concerns are the impact of the infrasound issues
3 that the turbines -- that the turbines give off.

4 I also take my daughter every six months
5 to Mayo. They've also helped me to look into
6 abstracts that could help us. I am asking the PUC
7 to have a 3-mile setback to help us.

8 My question is, the infrasound is very
9 different from the decibels, and my concern is with
10 S-Power, Prevailing Winds, and all these companies
11 that talk about decibels and the way that they
12 measure the impact.

13 For example, the infrasound has no
14 relation to the sounds of a refrigerator. Medical
15 industry has diagnosed health issues with the flight
16 to fight. How do we know if the decibels or the
17 infrasounds are the culprits?

18 I assure -- can I assure my family that
19 the sounds from the turbines will not impact my
20 daughter, her hearing aid and her health? I request
21 the PUC to do the right thing by denying Prevailing
22 Winds their permit to overall protect my family and
23 my neighbors and my way of life.

24 In a 3-mile radius of my place, I figured
25 there is going to be about 18 turbines. My question

1 is: How much of an impact is that going to have on
2 our family?

3 CHAIRMAN FIEGEN: Thank you.

4 MR. ADAM: Good evening Commissioners and
5 staff. My name is Dave Adam, A-D-A-M. I'm from
6 Clark, South Dakota.

7 These meetings are starting to be a pretty
8 regular event these days with big wind really trying
9 to take advantage of the production tax credit.

10 So even though big wind tonight says
11 they'll install the ADLS system, I believe you, the
12 Public Utility Commission needs to mandate that all
13 wind projects that you are approving have the
14 Aircraft Detection Lighting System installed on them
15 and do what the State of North Dakota did and
16 require that all wind projects, no matter if they're
17 under 100-megawatts, that have already been built,
18 have the ADLS system installed on them as well.

19 I will turn in the State of North Dakota
20 law after I'm done here for you to look at.

21 Also, I've been working with some of the
22 state representatives for getting this placed into
23 law here in our state during the next legislative
24 session.

25 The second item I would like to mention is