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Deuel Area Development, Inc.



SUBJECT: Docket EL19-027

Dear Commissioners Hansen, Hanson and Fiegen –

Greetings from Deuel County! I am the Executive Director of Deuel Area Development, Inc. in Clear Lake SD. My job as director is varied, one aspect and why I'm writing this letter today is in regards to Crowned Ridge II (Docket EL19-027). All of our local economies will benefit. This project could bring in 250 construction jobs, 12 full-time operations jobs and tens of millions in new tax revenue and landowner payments.

I would urge you to support Crowned Ridge II, just as you have supported other wind energy projects in South Dakota. Our region and our state *will benefit* from welcoming wind energy projects like Crowned Ridge II.

Thank you for your consideration.

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