

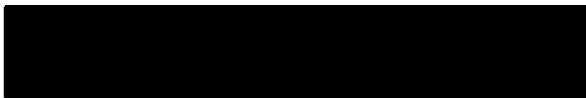
My name is Steve Schaefer.

I am a land owner in the Dakota Range Wind Project. I have been hearing about wind development in this area for the past ten years, and Apex is the first one to follow through.

In our area we have a lot of rocky pasture land, very few people, and a lot of wind. It is an ideal area to have a wind project. We all want our electricity, and this creates clean and renewable electricity. This project would bring money to the landowners, counties, townships, and schools.

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[REDACTED]. We want this project built!

**Therefore, I would like to request the commission approve the permit for the Dakota Range Wind Project. Thank you.**



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