

Good evening Commissioners,

7-12-18

My name is Dave Adam – ADAM and I am from Clark, SD and these meetings are starting to be a pretty regular event these days with BIG WIND really trying to take advantage of the production tax credit.

*Even though Big Wind is saying they might install the ADLS SYSTEM*  
So, the 1<sup>st</sup> thing I want to mention is that, you the Public Utility Commission need <sup>to</sup> mandate that all of the wind projects that you are approving need to have the Aircraft Detection Lighting System installed on them and do what the state of North Dakota did and require that all wind projects, no matter if they are under 100 mega watts - that have already been built, have this ADLS system installed on them as well.

I will turn in that North Dakota law after I am done here for you to look at.

Also, I have been working with some of our state Representatives for getting this placed into law here in our state during the next legislative session.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> item I would like to mention, is that if BIG WIND gets there way – which seems to be happening, do you realize that from Deuel County all the way up to Grant County there could be up to 1000 towers built in the next 5 years? Now these are not the 2 to 300' towers that are in Highmore and over in Toronto and other parts of the state. These are towers that between 5 & 600' tall.

Just think of that, 1000 almost 600' towers in a about a 50 mile area - when will it stop in this area and in Hughes & Hyde Counties and

*it will stop*

throughout the rest of the state? Are state isn't even benefiting from the little bit of electricity these things produce. <sup>ONE MORE THING, left waverly</sup> <sup>MENTIONED ABOUT ALL THIS SUPPOSED ENERGY THAT IS PRODUCED. How Much</sup> of the Electricity will BENEFIT ~~the~~ This town of Avon?

And that brings me to my finally point. Health, with these big monster towers – have you the Commissioners seen or studied any of the health affects from these size of towers that BIG WIND is wanting to put 1000' from a residence? Just think about that – a 586' tower and it will be placed 1000' from a residence – how are you going to feel when one of these people that are here tonight have to move because they are not able to live that close to a tower because of health reasons – you pick the health reason: sleep deprivation, migraines, intestinal problems, vertigo, and I pray that there is never a child with Downs syndrome that would have to live by one of these monsters – they cannot handle it.

You need to have these setbacks changed drastically, maybe you – the Commissioners that are approving all of these projects should put wind projects in at least a one year moratorium and do some serious studies and come up with what is safe for the citizens of this state that you are making decisions for.

Thank you for your time,

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# Trespass Zoning

Participating wind lease/easement holders, steal land use and safety from non-participants.  
Non-participants receive ZERO compensation.







