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Dear Commissioners -

I do support the Dewel Harvest Wind Farm. I have lived in Dewel County almost my entire life, both in town & on a farm. We raised seven children here, and four remain working & living in this county. My husband passed away last year. Our land taxes go up every year. Federal taxes jumped greatly even though there is only one social security check coming in now. Local school wants to build another gym despite declining enrollment. I don't think they will put a wind tower on my property but I would gladly take one. I would hope county income to decrease taxes.

As I grew up I remember as a child all the negative comments & attempts to stop the big power lines that went through about a mile south of my parents farm - was going to kill the grass - harm the cattle - and so on just as negative comments are written now. None of that happened. I have not seen written a negative comment from those who already have towers in southern part of County.

Sincerely,
Shirley Schaffer

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