From: PUC

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Subject: EL19-003, EL19-007, EL19-012

Mr. Simon,

Thank you for your message regarding wind energy development and the benefits you perceive and shared. As you likely know, the PUC has three pending wind siting permit requests. These are being reviewed by staff and commissioners, and no final decision has been issued yet.

Your message and my response will be posted under Comments and Responses in these dockets: EL19-003, EL19-007, and EL19-012.

In the future, please send messages regarding open dockets before the commission to PUC@state.sd.us. Here is a link to the commission's Siting Guidelines that explains the proper communications with commissioners on open dockets such as these: http://puc.sd.gov/commission/dockets/electric/2019/el19-003/el19-003sitinghandout.pdf.

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