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RE: Hyde County Wind Tower Project

project Docket # EL 20-013

## To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter in complete support of the Hyde County Wind Tower Project!! Our family has supported renewable wind energy for years, why not use all the wind we have in Hyde County for our benefit!

We are very excited we are finally going to get wind towers on our land. The crews that have been working on this project are very professional and appreciative of our friendly, quiet community. They have been a boost to our local economy just when we needed it.

The income from the wind towers is an income that we can count on in these years of uncertainty. The added revenue from the project for our county and school has been and will be a wonderful bonus. They have already supported local fund raising projects too.(fire department etc.)

Sincerely,

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