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Mark and Mary Lee Klebsch

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Dear Mr. and Ms. Kelbsch,

Thank you for your letter regarding the North Bend Wind siting permit application, docket EL21-018, filed with the Public Utilities Commission.

I appreciate hearing your perspective as landowners in this proposed project area, and ones living near the Triple H project, docket EL19-007. As you shared, you have witnessed the wildlife habits, road issues, sounds, and taxes associated with such a project. There are many variables to be considered with a project of this scope.

Enclosed you will find the Siting Guide posted in the dockets and on the commission's website home page. This helps explain the processing of a siting docket such as this. Your letter and this reply will be posted under Comments and Responses in the online dockets.

Sincerely,

Chris Nelson