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Steven Bonnichsen

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Dear Mr. Bonnichsen,

Thank you for sharing your comments and concerns about the North Bend Wind project.

As you likely know, the commission received a siting permit application for this proposed project from developer ENGIE North America, on June 23, 2021. At the request of ENGIE and by approval and order of the commission, dated March 8, 2022, the docket's deadline for decision has been indefinitely extended.

Your letter and this response will be filed under Comments and Responses in the EL21-018 commission docket.

Sincerely,

Chris Nelson Mehon