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Wind farm

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A **wind farm** or **wind park** is a group of wind turbines in the same location used to produce energy. A large wind farm may consist of several hundred individual wind turbines and cover an extended area of hundreds of square miles, but the land between the turbines may be used for agricultural or other purposes. A wind farm can also be located offshore.

I have signed oil leases, collected the option money and never got any oil wells.

I didn't think turbines would ever be built but if they build them I'll get more from Everpower than I can from farming that field and they occupy less than two acres each.

How much are you who oppose wind turbines willing to pay me to not have a turbine in my field so it will not block your view of the sunset or destroy the communities agricultural tradition?

You say it's not about money, tell that to my banker. He only accept money for payments. The sunset and agricultural tradition is of little value to the Liberty National Bank!

This writer was told by The McDonald Township Trustees that McDonald Township will get \$1500 per year from each turbine in McDonald Township and Hardin County will get \$3000 per year.

Fight The Wind's map shows 86 turbines for McDonald Township, resulting in a payment of \$129,000 per year to McDonald Township.

What will Fight The Wind do for McDonald Township that will give the township \$129,000 per year?

What does Fight The Wind plan to do to replace the \$135,000 per year that Everpower has planned to pay me?

If Scioto Ridge Wind Farm is stopped it will cost me \$135,000 per year and won't cost Fight The Wind anything.

If Scioto Ridge Wind Farm is built it will pay me \$135,000 per year and won't cost Fight The Wind anything.

I thought when I purchased the land that I got to decide what to do with it and now Fight The Wind is deciding and doesn't have anything invested or at risk!

The wind turbine doesn't smell, does not draw flies, is not a health hazard, does not make as much noise as my farm tractors, does not generate waste and is powered with the next free wind.

I Support Wind Farms!

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Dear Ohio Power Siting Board:

I support the Scioto Ridge Wind Farm. This will place more than \$2.7 million annually into the local economy.

I am one of the landowners of the area and believe this is an opportunity that benefit our farming operation as well as our local schools of Hardin and Logan counties.

This project will add clean and cost effective energy for Ohio. It is my understanding that this project will also create over 150 new jobs during construction.

Please call me with any questions or the project manager for Ever Power, Jason Dugger, 937-604-8820.

Sincerely

Gene Grady

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Dear OPSB,

I am writing to support the Scioto Ridge Wind Farm and its ability to make a positive impact on our local economy. The past few years have taken a toll on our local economy and local businesses. The Scioto Ridge Wind Farm will boost our regional economy allowing residents to have a higher quality of life in Hardin and Logan Counties.

The Scioto Ridge Wind Farm is sited on farmland which is leased from other private landowners like myself. Just one wind turbine creates enough energy to power 600-750 homes each year which is a great opportunity for me to get involved in promoting clean, reliable energy.

Not only will this project harness the clean power of the wind, but the construction and operation of these turbines will also create approximately 150 new local jobs during construction as well as infusing millions of dollars into the region, furthering the positive impact. The annual tax payments of \$2.7 million in tax revenue for public services include money which will go directly to the local schools. This is money that the schools need to provide a sound education for our children.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions. I hope you will take time to learn more about this project. Jason Dagger, project manager with EverPower has been a helpful source of information about this project and I encourage you to contact him with any questions at 937-604-8820.

Sincerely,

Amy R. Ferguson

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As an educator, in a public school, I do not see how we can deny the \$2.7 million in tax revenue that would go back to the community.