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Ms. Barcy McNeal Administration/Docketing Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street, 11th Floor Columbus, OH 43215-3793

> Re: Hardin Wind Energy LLC OPSB Case No. 14-1030-EL-BGA

Dear Ms. McNeal:

On June 5, 2014, Hardin Wind Energy LLC ("Hardin" or "Applicant") submitted an Application for a Second Amendment to its Certificate to Install and Operate a Wind-Powered Electric Generation Facility in Hardin County, Ohio ("Second Amendment") in the above-captioned proceeding.

This Second Amendment is being requested for two primary reasons. First, the Applicant proposes to build the project using one or more new turbine models. The new models are more efficient and cost-effective. Second, the Applicant is proposing modifications to the project layout that will increase turbine spacing and enable it to satisfy setback and noise requirements regardless of the model of turbine installed.

Figure 05-01 of the Second Amendment is a map of the project layout as proposed by the Second Amendment. This map shows a proposed turbine, "Turbine #74" (it is the easternmost proposed turbine). **The Applicant respectfully informs the Board that it is withdrawing proposed Turbine** #74 from its Second Amendment. Attachment A to this letter is a copy of the project layout map without Turbine #74.

The withdrawal of Turbine #74 will have no further impact to the Second Amendment other than reducing the number of turbine locations proposed—from 121 to 120—and the subsequent reduction in the land area impacted with the removal of this turbine.

Sincerely,

Dylan F. Borchers

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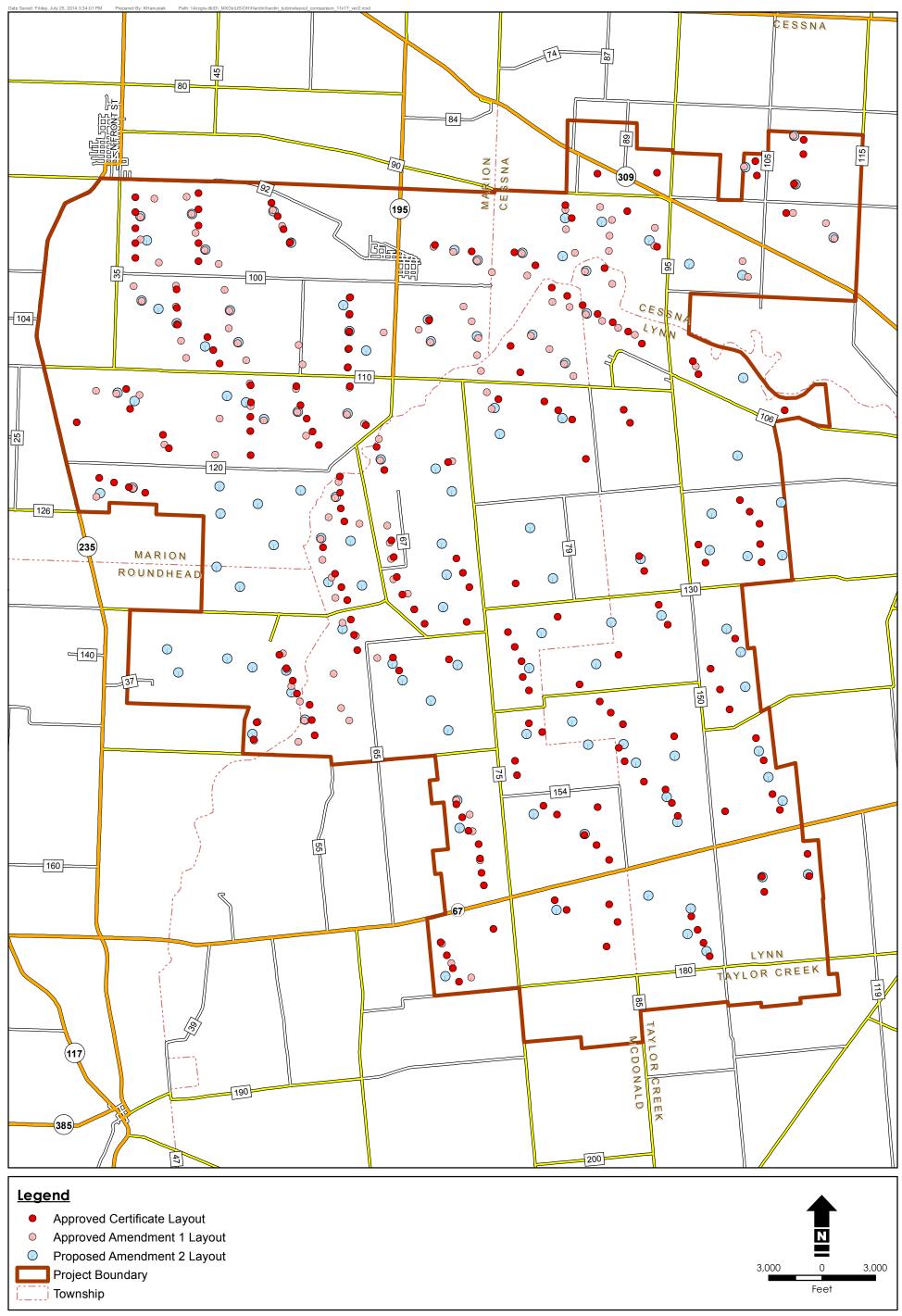
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DFB Attachments

cc: Don Rostofer

Chris Pirik

Parties of Record



Hardin Layout Comparison Map

Hardin Wind Energy Center, Hardin County, Ohio

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Summary: Notification of the removal of Turbine #74 from the Second Amendment electronically filed by Teresa Orahood on behalf of Dylan Borchers