THE OHIO POWER SITING BOARD

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PAULDING WIND FARM LLC FOR A CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AND PUBLIC NEED TO CONSTRUCT A WIND-POWERED ELECTRIC GENERATION FACILITY IN PAULDING COUNTY, OHIO.

CASE NO. 18-91-EL-BGN

ENTRY

Entered in the Journal on December 10, 2018

- $\{\P 1\}$ Paulding Wind Farm IV LLC (Paulding Wind or Applicant) is a person as defined in R.C. 4906.01.
- {¶ 2} R.C. 4906.04 provides that no person shall construct a major utility facility in the state without obtaining a certificate for the facility from the Ohio Power Siting Board (Board).
- {¶ 3} On July 2, 2018, as amended on July 27, 2018, and August 14, 2018, Paulding Wind filed an application with the Board for a certificate of environmental compatibility and public need to construct a wind-powered electric generation facility.
- {¶ 4} Pursuant to the Entry of September 18, 2018, as amended on September 21, 2018, a procedural schedule was established in this matter. Consistent with this procedural schedule, the local public hearing was held on December 4, 2018, in Paulding, Ohio. The evidentiary hearing is scheduled to take place on December 14, 2018.
- {¶ 5} On December 7, 2018, Paulding Wind filed a motion for extension of the testimony filing deadlines. Specifically, the Applicant requests that the dates for submitting the Applicant's testimony in this proceeding be extended from December 7, 2018 to December 11, 2018. In support of its motion, Paulding Wind submits that the parties have been in discussion regarding a proposed stipulation in this matter. In light of the fact that any stipulation entered into by the parties is to be filed by December 11, 2018, Paulding

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Wind avers that its requested extension is appropriate in order that the testimony can appropriately reflect the status of the parties' efforts regarding the settlement of this matter.

{¶ 6} Paulding Wind represents that it has consulted with the other parties in this

case and there is no opposition to its motion.

 $\{\P 7\}$ The motion for the extension of the testimony filing deadline is reasonable

and should be granted. In all other respects, the previously established schedule in this

matter remains in effect.

 $\{\P 8\}$ It is, therefore,

{¶ 9} ORDERED, That the motion for the extension of the testimony filing deadline

be granted in accordance with paragraph 7. It is, further,

¶ 10} ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served upon all parties and interested

persons of record.

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/s/ Jay S. Agranoff

By: Jay S. Agranoff

Administrative Law Judge

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Summary: Administrative Law Judge Entry granting the motion for extension electronically filed by Ms. Mary E Fischer on behalf of Jay S. Agranoff, Administrative Law Judge, Ohio Power Siting Board