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OPSB Local Public Hearing on Emerson Creek Wind Farm

**Case number:** [18-1607-EL-BGN](#)

**Project:** Emerson Creek Wind Farm

**Applicant:** Firelands Wind, LLC

**Date:** Wednesday, March 18, 2020

**Place:** Bellevue Veterans of Foreign Wars

6104 US-20

Bellevue, OH

Dear Ladies and Sirs:

I would like to provide testimony in support of the Emerson Creek Wind Farm with three points.

First, the wind farm will support a rural community with much needed funding. These payments will go to school districts, rural governments, their EMS units, and land owners. Few other companies offering the financial benefit of Emerson Creek Wind Farm are looking to relocate in that community. In specific dollar amounts, some \$36 million alone will go to school systems and millions more to the other entities mentioned.

Second: The advent of electric cars will require more electric generation and ideally it should be done as cleanly as possible. In addition, it is possible to envision the all-electric farm in the next decade.

And lastly, I want to be a customer of this clean power. Presently, I am buying wind generated power from out-of-state, so my power-buying dollars go there. The Emerson Creek Wind Farm will let me know I am supporting Ohio farmers as they support me.

I trust you will make the right decision and approve of the construction of the Emerson Creek Wind Farm.

Sincerely,  
Paul Dvorak  
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