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Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

**Re: Heartland Wind, LLC,
Case No. 09-1066-EL-BGN**

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

I am enclosing for filing in the above-referenced matter, pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code (O.A.C.) Rule 4906-5-09, the proofs of publication attesting to the publication of the notice of an informational meeting. The notice was published in the following newspapers:

<u>Newspaper</u>	<u>Publication Date</u>
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<i>Paulding County Progress</i> , Paulding County	November 9, 2009
<i>Van Wert Times Bulletin</i> , Van Wert County	November 9, 2009

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Sally W. Bloomfield

Enclosures

Cc: Jay Agranoff (w/Enclosures)
Jeff Jones (w/Enclosures)

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Joan Bellmann

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November A.D. 2009

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Notice of Public Informational Meeting for Proposed Major Utility Facility (Wind Farm)



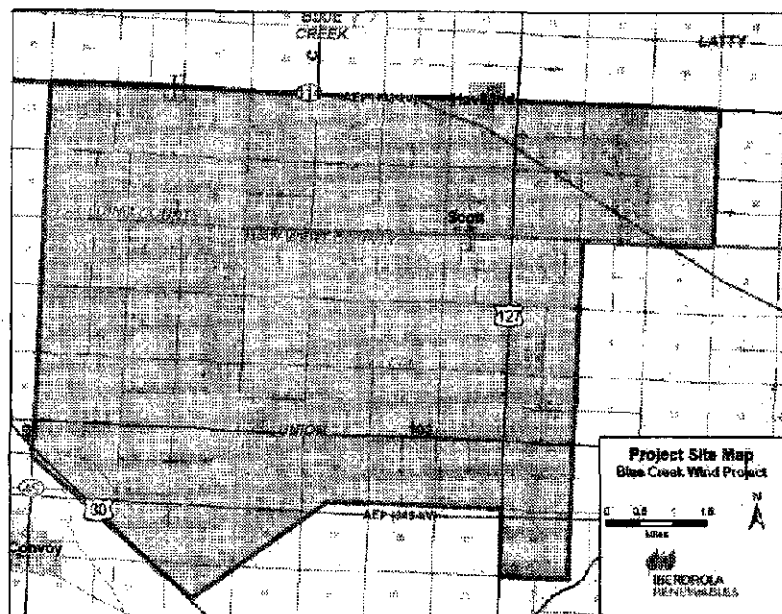
**IBERDROLA
RENEWABLES**

Heartland Wind, LLC, whose sole member and manager is Iberdrola Renewables, Inc. Schedules November 19, 2009 Public Meeting to Outline Plans for the Blue Creek Wind Farm in Van Wert County and Paulding County.

Heartland Wind, LLC invites residents of Van Wert County and Paulding County, and other interested members of the public, to attend a public informational meeting regarding company plans to build the Blue Creek Wind Farm, which will result in a total generating capacity of up to 350 megawatts (MW). This project could produce one of the first operational wind farms in Ohio and help the State further its goal of building a portfolio of renewable energy projects.

The Blue Creek Wind Farm will spread across portions of three (3) townships in Van Wert County (Tully, Union and Hoaglin), and two (2) townships in Paulding County (Blue Creek and Latty). The project will likely consist of up to 175 wind turbines of 2.0 MW rating each, and other infrastructure associated with the turbines (i.e. access roads, electrical collector lines, substations, a construction staging area, and an operations and maintenance facility). Each 2.0 MW wind turbine can generate the equivalent of 2,700 horsepower from the wind and power 500 or more homes. Construction of the wind farm could begin in fall 2010, with projected operation of the first phase in late 2011 and projected operation of the second phase in late 2012.

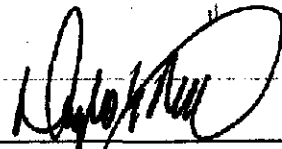
The public meeting will take place from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., on Thursday, November 19, 2009 at the Wayne Trace Junior/Senior High School Cafeteria, which is located at 4915 U.S. Route 127, Haviland, Ohio. Company representatives will present an overview of the project and will be available to respond to inquiries. If you have questions, you may call the local office in Van Wert at 567-259-3063.



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Douglas E. Nutter, Publisher

Sworn to before and subscribed in my presence this 12th day of November A.D. 2009.



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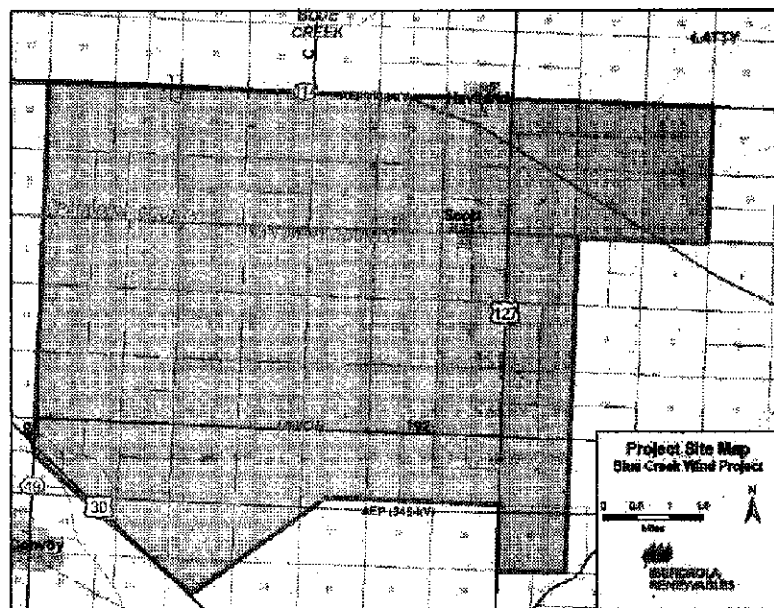


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Patricia Decker
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