August 22, 2014

**Ohio Dept. of Natural Resourses** 

James Zehrlinger, Director

2045 Morse Road, Bldg. D-3

Columbus, OH 43229

Re: Greenwich Windpark Docket # 13-990-EL-BGN

Dear Mr. Zehrlinger,

I grew up and am the co-owner of a farm and land in Greenwich Township, Greenwich, OH. Our family has owned, enjoyed, and taken pride in our Family Farm on Nineveh Road for nearly 100 years. We love the quiet countryside and the beauty God has given us there.

I am deeply concerned about the changes that would occur with the proposed windpark being built there. The lights, sound, and sight of these giant machines will definitely spoil the natural beauty that we currently enjoy. I feel not enough is known about what may happened to these windmills in the future as they fall into disrepair or are abandoned. The property values of our land will decrease. I feel the concerns out weigh the benefits.

I have driven through parts of Indiana and Illinois where miles of these machines are located. I have spoken to people who live there, and their insight was very discouraging.

I oppose the building of this windpark in Greenwich Township and hope that you will vote against it at the meeting Monday, August 25, 2014.

Thank You,

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