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April 22, 2016

Ms. Barcy F. McNeal
c/o Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 E. Broad St., 11th Floor
Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

Re: OPSB Case No. 16-0725-EL-BGA
Hardin Wind LLC
Proof of Publication

Dear Ms. McNeal:

Please find enclosed a copy of an affidavit of publication and newspaper tear sheet indicating that a "Notice of Amendment to Major Utility Facility" was published in both the *Bellefontaine Examiner* and the *Kenton Times* on April 12, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Scott M. Guttman".

Scott M. Guttman

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cc: All parties of record

Enclosures

Proof of Publication

The State of Ohio, Hardin County, ss:

Personally Appeared Before Me, a Notary

Public in and for said County, Jeff Barnes
a representative of **The Kenton Times**, a news
paper printed and in general circulation in the
County and State aforesaid, who, after being
sworn, deposeth and saith that the Advertisement,
a true copy of which is hereunto annexed, was

published in the said paper for one (1)
consecutive week from and after the 12th day
of April 2016.

Jeff Barnes
Jeff Barnes, Publisher
Subscribed and sworn to me, this 15th

day of April 2016.

Julia E. Stager
Notary Public, Hardin County, Ohio
My commission expires June 23, 2016

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LEGAL NOTICE
NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO
MAJOR UTILITY FACILITY

Hardin Wind LLC has made a filing with the Ohio Power Siting Board in Case No. 16-0725-EL-BGA seeking a second amendment to its certificate of environmental compatibility and public need issued on March 17, 2014 in Case No. 13-1177-EL-BGN to construct the Scioto Ridge Wind Farm, a wind powered electric generation facility to be located in Hardin and Logan Counties. The purpose of the new filing is to amend the certificate of environmental compatibility and public need to allow utilization of the 2.5 megawatt version of the Gamesa G114 Turbine model which was previously approved for the project at 2.0 megawatts. More information may be obtained by writing to the offices of the Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 E. Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215 or calling the Ohio Power Siting Board at 1-866-270-6772. A copy of the filing is available at the Ohio Power Siting Board's main office at 180 E. Broad Street, 11th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215, the Knowlton Logan County District Library at 220 N. Main St., Beltsdelaine, Ohio 43311 and the Mary Lou Johnson-Hardin County District Library at 325 E. Columbus St., Kenton, Ohio 43326, or online at the Power Siting Board's website at: <http://dis.puc.state.oh.us> and type in Case No. 16-0725. Affected persons may file comments or motions to intervene in this matter with the Board. Such comments or motions should be addressed to the Ohio Power Siting Board, 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793 and city Case No. 16-0725-EL-BGA.

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State of Ohio
Logan County, Ohio

Jon B. Hubbard

being duly sworn, says that he is the representative of the publisher of the Bellefontaine Examiner a newspaper printed and of general circulation in the said county, and that the annexed

advertisement was published
in said paper

APRIL 12, 2016



Sworn to and subscribed before me A NOTARY PUBLIC

ON this 12TH day of APRIL 2016



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Summary: Proof of Pub for Hardin Wind's Second Amendment to its Certificate electronically filed by Mr. Scott M Guttman on behalf of Hardin Wind LLC