Subject: FW:

Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:15:49 AM

For case #16-1871-EL-BGN

----Original Message-----

From: slemin@cox.net [mailto:slemin@cox.net]

Sent: Saturday, April 8, 2017 5:22 AM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov>

Subject:

Dear Sirs,

I am writing to urge your office to support the Icebreaker Project. Our country and planet need more renewable energy sources. The time is now to create more clean energy and put Ohioans back to work. Lets get this project t Rolling!

Yours Truly Orin L Lemin 440 465 3337

Subject: FW: 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:14:49 AM

----Original Message-----

From: Christopher Clink [mailto:christopherclink@rocketmail.com]

Sent: Friday, April 7, 2017 5:44 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov>

Cc: Dennis Meaney <DMeaney@ibew38.org>
Subject: 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower

Dear Ohio Power Siting Board,

Hello I'm writing this letter to express how vitally important I feel the offshore wind power project is to Cleveland and Ohio. Specifically to the construction and manufacturing industries in my area. I am a 19 year member of IBEW electricians local #38 out of Cleveland. I've seen a lot of changes in our industry in the time I've been working construction. The transfer to renewables is one change I think will benefit the city, state, and country. Aside from the thousands and thousands of jobs this industry will create, I feel it's a responsible direction we can and should pursue for our environment.

On a recent trip to Rondeau Bay Provincial Park in Canada, I drove along the north coast of Lake Erie. I was blown away by how many turbines dot the land. Easily over 100. With the right backing and support I feel that Cleveland and Ohio can be a leader and hub of new and emerging technology in the wind power field while also providing enormous amounts of man hours to the middle class.

I strongly urge you to support this project for the many benefits this endeavor offers. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Christopher Clink

Subject: FW: 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:15:28 AM

From: Kelly Wallace [mailto:kellywallace44@yahoo.com]

Sent: Friday, April 7, 2017 10:18 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov> **Subject:** 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower

I am an IBEW Local 38 electrician writing in support of the Icebreaker Wind Farm project.

As a lifelong resident of northeast Ohio, I recognize the benefits Lake Erie provides this area. This windfarm project would greatly increase the lake's economic impact on our region. The opportunity to create jobs while providing clean renewal energy should be given serious consideration.

Again, please approve the Icebreaker Wind project application.

Thank you Kelly Wallace

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

Subject: FW: Icebreaker Wind Project

Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:13:49 AM

----Original Message-----

From: David Rutti [mailto:drutti@sbcglobal.net]

Sent: Friday, April 7, 2017 4:28 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov>

Cc: dmeaney@ibew.org

Subject: Icebreaker Wind Project

I am sending this email in support of the Icebreaker Wind Project. Not only would this project create many jobs, it would bring positive exposure to Cleveland and the Great Lakes region. Please support this project. Thanks, David

Rutti IBEW 38 member

Sent from my iPhone

Subject: FW: Icebreaker Wind Project

Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:15:16 AM

For case #16-1871-EL-BGN

From: Mary Carosielli [mailto:macntac@att.net]

Sent: Friday, April 7, 2017 6:19 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov>; Dennis Meaney <dmeaney@ibew38.org>

Subject: Icebreaker Wind Project

To whom it may concern,

I am in favor of the Icebreaker project, as this project will increase job opportunities in our area.

Thank You, Tom Carosielli Local 38

Subject: FW: Lake Erie Wind Power Project

Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:16:14 AM

Attachments: <u>Windpower2.pdf</u>

For case # 16-1871-EL-BGN

From: John D Hriczik [mailto:j.hriczik@csuohio.edu]

Sent: Saturday, April 8, 2017 11:22 AM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov>

Cc: dmeany@ibew38.cog

Subject: Lake Erie Wind Power Project

 From:
 Puco ContactOPSB

 To:
 Puco Docketing

 Subject:
 FW: Wind Power

Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:14:36 AM

For case #16-1871-EL-BGN

From: Timothy Convery [mailto:tconvery@ameritech.net]

Sent: Friday, April 7, 2017 5:22 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov>

Cc: Dennis Meaney < DMeaney = IBEW38.org@mail214.atl61.mcsv.net>

Subject: Wind Power

Subject: FW:

Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:13:18 AM

Case # 16-1871-EL-BGN

From: T Kulla [mailto:ozzman.t@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, April 7, 2017 2:45 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov>

Subject:

Wind turbine project I am in favor of this project

Subject: FW:

Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:13:28 AM

From: luke51493@aol.com [mailto:luke51493@aol.com]

Sent: Friday, April 7, 2017 2:50 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov>; dmeaney@ibew38.org

Subject:

Being from Northeast Ohio I'm in favor of Icebreaker Wind for the job opportunities that this project will create. This project would be of greater help to the area and the future as the offspring of jobs created let alone the tax base would benefit the are tenfold.

Raplh Lucarelli

 Subject:
 FW: Case Record: 16-1871-EL-BGN

 Date:
 Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:12:49 AM

From: Larry's eMail [mailto:larry.fulton@lefcoworthington.com]

Sent: Friday, April 7, 2017 2:44 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov>

Subject: Case Record: 16-1871-EL-BGN

Ohio Power Siting Board -

As an owner of a manufacturing company in northeast Ohio I am particularly interested in the success of this region. From education to politics to business and economics, NE Ohio is a community that bonds together through relationships and commitments that matter. Its the commitments in business that many companies find positive when developing projects in the region. There are so many companies who support your initiative of developing a wind farm in Lake Erie. Personally, I believe in the concept of lake-based turbines and the clean energy that they create. Not only will clean energy be created, but jobs and business opportunities will positively impact our region. I hope that you will make the decision to invest in this region by constructing the wind farm in Lake Erie.

Regards,

Larry Fulton

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Subject: FW: Icbreaker Windpower Project

Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:13:40 AM

-----Original Message-----

From: Dave Winfield [mailto:davwin85@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, April 7, 2017 3:27 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov>

Cc: dmeaney@ibew38.org

Subject: Icbreaker Windpower Project

I am in favor of the Icebreaker Wind Project for the job opportunities that this project will create.

Take care Dave Winfield

Subject: FW: Icebreaker Wind power support letter from James F. Franko

Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:12:29 AM

Attachments: <u>Icebreaker Windpower Project James F. Franko support letter..pdf</u>

From: Jimmy Franko [mailto:JFranko@zenithsystems.com]

Sent: Friday, April 7, 2017 2:31 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov>

Cc: Dennis Meaney (DMeaney@ibew38.org) <DMeaney@ibew38.org> **Subject:** Icebreaker Wind power support letter from James F. Franko

To The Members of the Ohio Power Sitting Board Please see my attached communication in support of the Ice Breaker Wind Project Thank you

James F. Franko IBEW Local 38 Member Cleveland, Ohio

Subject: FW: 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Wind power Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:17:53 AM

----Original Message-----

From: thomas ludwich [mailto:tomscomp@core.com]

Sent: Sunday, April 9, 2017 8:23 AM

Subject: 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Wind power

Members of the OPSB.

I am retiree with IBEW Local 38.

I support Icebreaker Wind application and urge you to support its approval.

We all need clean renewable energy.

Thank you

Thomas Ludwick

Subject: FW: 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:18:14 AM

From: John Herold [mailto:john@toberbuilding.com]

Sent: Sunday, April 9, 2017 9:06 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov>

Cc: dmeaney@ibew38.org

Subject: 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower

Dear Members of the Ohio Power Sitting Board,

As a thirty nine year member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 38 in Cleveland, Ohio I have seen many changes, both positive and negative take place in Northeast Ohio. I feel that Icebreaker Wind will be one of the most positive changes in my life time!

As a IBEW Local 38 member, I received training and guidance in my early years that afforded me ability to work all over the East Coast and the Midwest as a young Journeyman. The knowledge I gained working around the country then gave me the confidence to go to work overseas as an electrician, a foreman and as an Electrical Superintendent on two U. S. Embassy Projects in Dar es Salaam, Tanzania and Tbilisi, Georgia. I have returned to my home town of Cleveland, Ohio and I feel it will wonderful for Cleveland and all of Northeast Ohio to be a part of this great project! The quality of the workers and craftsmanship Northeast Ohio will be able to supply to make this project happen will be first class!

This project will have far reaching positive effects on my family, my friends and those of so many others here. My children and their grandchildren will reap economic, environmental and health benefits from the clean renewable energy created by the Icebreaker Wind project.

It is so exciting to think that Icebreaker Wind will be the first freshwater offshore wind farm in North America and only the 2nd off shore wind farm in the United States. What a blessing it will be for North East Ohio to be at the forefront of the clean renewable off shore wind industry and to be able to benefit as thousands of good quality jobs are created! On top of that Icebreaker Wind will be a model for future offshore wind projects throughout the Great Lakes.

I whole heartedly support the approval of Icebreaker Wind's application and urge you to approve their application. Thank you for your time!

Respectfully,

John Herold, Project Superintendent



3351 Brecksville Road, Richfield, OH 44286

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Subject: FW: 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower

Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:18:02 AM

From: Michael Bremmer [mailto:bremmer038@gmail.com]

Sent: Sunday, April 9, 2017 5:44 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov> **Subject:** 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower

RE:16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower

Dear Members of the OPSB,

I am an electrician and member of The International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local 38.I enthusiastically support the Icebreaker Wind project and urge you to approve its application. Being the first fresh water off shore wind farm in North America many hurdles have been presented and solved. The first hurdle was to find a way to withstand significant foundation icing conditions. The development of a mono-bucket foundation enables a safe structure that will be constructed in a environmentally safe way. No lakebed preperation or pile driving will be used. This will keep all structural foundations secure along with protecting native wildlife. With the US army corp balancing favorable impacts with the detrimental impacts and making solid environmental decisions, I feel secure the environment will be safe.

Northeast Ohio has a unique opportunity to be a leader in wimdfarming. Being the first entity to acquire submerged land lease options in the Great Lakes can move this project forward rapidly. The economical impact, both in jobs and tax revenue, will help an area in the Midwest that can use jobs rebound. These jobs will be in construction as well as manufacturing and production.

It's important, clean energy will reduce pollution and make northeast Ohio healthier and a better place to live.

I support the approval of Icebreakers Wind's application and urge you to support its approval.

Sincerely,

Michael Bremmer 3342 Sliding Rock Trail Brunswick, Ohio 44212

Subject: FW: 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:17:42 AM

From: Thomas Herdman [mailto:tommyherdman@hotmail.com]

Sent: Saturday, April 8, 2017 10:58 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov> **Subject:** 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower

Thomas J. Herdman 4180 Good Road Seville, Ohio, 44273 330-391-0546

tommyherdman@hotmail.com

April 8, 2017

Ohio Power Siting Board, OPSB 180 E. Broad Street Columbus, Ohio, 43215 Dear Ohio Power Siting Board, OPSB:

I am a lifetime Resident of Northeast Ohio, and a 33-year member of the Electricians Union Local 38, IBEW, Cleveland Ohio.

Ohio has the chance to become the lead in Alternative Energy technology with the Icebreaker Wind Power Project. This would be an enormous boost to Northeast Ohio and the entire Great Lakes Regional economy. This project has the opportunity to create direct employment throughout the entire area, which includes everything from project coordination, support, and construction, to long term system management and maintenance for many years to come. The Icebreaker Wind Project would also create jobs that support the entire program logistically at every level and every venue throughout our communities...employment and opportunities which the people and area communities that surround Northeast Ohio desperately need....jobs that will support the area families, community businesses, provide energy independence, and area pride for years to come.

In my opinion, I support the approval of the Icebreaker Wind's Project and urge you to approve the application. Northeast Ohio needs more projects like this.

Sincerely,

Thomas J. Herdman

Subject: FW: 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:17:27 AM

----Original Message-----

From: Robert Bell [mailto:rbell1595@yahoo.com]

Sent: Saturday, April 8, 2017 9:08 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov> Subject: 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower

Dear members of the OPSB,

I am writing you to show my support for the Icebreaker Wind Project. I am a local electrician and resident in Cuyahoga county. Not only do I support this project for the many jobs it will create, but I think Northeast Ohio needs this kind of technological innovation to keep us moving in a positive direction. Clean energy is very important and I would be proud to see this type of power generation in our area.

Sincerely, Robert Bell
Sent from my iPhone

Subject: FW: 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:18:35 AM

From: terry messer [mailto:mlsctwin@live.com]

Sent: Monday, April 10, 2017 9:05 PM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov> **Subject:** 16-1871-EL-BGN Icebreaker Windpower

Dear Members of the OPSB,

I have been a Local 38 International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Journeyman union member for twenty-one years and have proudly lived and worked in Cleveland, Ohio for my entire life.

Along with many of my union brothers, I have successfully completed the Wind Turbine Competent Climber and Rescuer certification. With all of my knowledge, I fully support the Icebreaker Wind Project for many reasons, including its productive role in economic growth and the many beneficial effects it would bring to our environment. In Northeast Ohio, we already have manufacturing and labor to support such a project, so we are ready, waiting and prepared for this work. With your approval, our entire state, for generations to come, will benefit from clean energy and take a leading role in alleviating climate change by being the first freshwater, off-shore wind farm in North America. It is my hope that the completion of the Icebreaker Windpower project in Northeast Ohio would prompt similar projects in our state, promoting wind development and creating jobs.

I strongly urge you to support and approve this application.

Sincerely,

Terry L. Messer

 From:
 Puco ContactOPSB

 To:
 Puco Docketing

Subject: FW: Lake Erie Renewable

Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 10:18:49 AM

For case # 16-1871-EL-BGN

From: ContactThePUCO@puc.state.oh.us [mailto:ContactThePUCO@puc.state.oh.us]

Sent: Tuesday, April 11, 2017 9:03 AM

To: Puco ContactOPSB <contactopsb@puco.ohio.gov>

Subject: Lake Erie Renewable

From: webmaster@puc.state.oh.us
To: PUCO ContactThePUCO

Subject: PUCO CONTACT FORM: 112181

Received: 4/10/2017 5:42:06 PM

Message:

WEB ID: 112181 AT:04-10-2017 at 05:42 PM

Related Case Number: 16-1871

TYPE: Comment

NAME: Ms. Georgette Stockman CONTACT SENDER ? No

MAILING ADDRESS:

(NO CITY?), Ohio (NO ZIP??)

USA

PHONE INFORMATION:

Home: (no home phone provided?)

Alternative: (no alternative phone provided?)

Fax: (no fax number provided?)

E-MAIL: (no e-mail address provided)

INDUSTRY:Electric

ACCOUNT INFORMATION:

(no utility company name provided?)

(no account name provided?)

(no service address provided?)

(no service phone number provided?)

(no account number provided?)

COMMENT DESCRIPTION:

This comment is in regards to the proposed wind turbine project in Lake Erie. Although I live inland in New York state, I am one of the 11 million people whose drinking water is drawn from Lake Erie. Wind turbines are industrial. It is my understanding that they use gallons of oil to lubricate the mechanism and the oil is periodically changed, therefore there is a potential for contamination of Lake Erie water. There are other ways to effectively access renewable energy without threatening the Great Lakes by installing turbines in Lake Erie.

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