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October 25, 2017

Ms. Barcy F. McNeal, Secretary Ohio Power Siting Board Docketing Division 180 East Broad Street, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor Columbus, OH 43215

### Re: Case No. 13-197-EL-BGN, 16-1687-EL-BGA, and 17-1099-EL-BGA Trishe Wind Ohio, LLC Notification of Compliance with Condition 9 of the Supplement—Federal & State Permits

Dear Ms. McNeal:

Trishe Wind Ohio, LLC ("Applicant") is certified to construct a wind-powered electric generation facility in Paulding County, Ohio ("Project"), in accordance with the December 16, 2013 Opinion, Order, and Certificate ("Certificate") issued by the Ohio Power Siting Board ("OPSB"). The Certificate is subject to the 40 conditions set forth in the December 16, 2013 Order, as well as the 26 conditions set forth in the October 1, 2013 Supplement to the original application ("Supplement").

Condition 9 of the Supplement requires applicant to obtain and comply with any permits or authorizations required by federal or state laws and regulations. The Applicant is providing this letter to notify the OPSB that it has obtained the necessary permits from the Ohio Department of Transportation related to Radi, which are attached hereto.

We are available, at your convenience, to answer any questions you may have.

Respectfully submitted,

<u>/s/ William V. Vorys</u> William V. Vorys (0093479) Christine M.T. Pirik (0029759) Terrence O'Donnell (0074213) Dickinson Wright PLLC 150 East Gay Street, Suite 2400 Columbus, Ohio 43215 Phone: (614) 591-5461 Email: <u>wvorys@dickinsonwright.com</u> <u>cpirik@dickinsonwright.com</u> todonnell@dickinsonwright.com

Attorneys for Trishe Wind Ohio, LLC

Enclosure

	Permit	Number: R1691_17		
		County: Paulding		
		Route: <u>114</u>		
		Section: 9.0		
	Acce	ess Catagory:		
	STATE OF OHIO			
	DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION			
	PERMIT			
	nd restrictions printed, written below and on the reverse side	hereof, or attached,		
	Alvin Klopfenstein & Sons Inc & Trishe Wind Ohio LLC			
Address:	2981 Road 107	_		
City, St Zip:	Haviland, OH 45851			
Phone:	419-771-6535			
inecessary in the manner described	15.01 and 5515.02 of the Ohio Revised Code and permission or attached at the location indicated. This permit does not recal permits, approvals, or authorizations required by law that	lieve the applicant from		
To: Trishe Wind Ohio will constru will be as per the aerial view restored to original or better o	ct a temporary turning radi for wind turbine generator part hau olans submitted. Temporary radi shall be removed after work conditions.	iling trucks. The turning radi is completed and the R/W		
Location: Along Sr 114 in Pauldin	g County at the intersection of CO RD 87 & SR 114 on the no	rth east corner		
To the extend applicable, this permit shall be in the possession of employees on site at all times who are in charge of the work and shall be shown, upon request, to any employee of the Ohio Department of Transportation.				
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Duane Hackworth, Utilities	Relocation Tech Ph	one 419-999-6843		
Note: MOT as per OMUTCD guid	elines. Orange barrels are to block the turning radi when not i	n use.		
This permit shall be void if the work to this permit, and if the work is not	c described herein does not comply with the conditions, terms t completed by: Monday.	, and requirements applicable April 23, 2018		
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Performance Bond Required?	No Company			
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### General Provisions Applicable to All Permits (Sections 5515.01 and 5515.02 of O.R.C.)

[1] This permit is not a substitute for satisfying the rights or obligations of any other party who may have an interest in the underlying fee interest.

[2] The granting of this permit does not convey to the permittee or to the property served any rights, title, or interest in state highway rights of way or in the design or operation of the state highway; or in any way abridge the right of the Director of the Department of Transportation in his jurisdiction over state highways. If, in the process of any future work or for the benefit of the traveling public, it becomes necessary, in the opinion of the Director of Transportation to order the removal, reconstruction, relocation, or repair of any of the fixtures, or work performed under this permit, said removal, reconstruction, relocation, or repair shall be wholly at the expense of the owners thereof or the permitee and be made as directed by the Director of Transportation. Such changes in the state highway design or operation, necessary for improved safety and operation or for the benefit of the traveling public, shall not require a permit modification since the permit confers no private rights to the permittee over the control of the state highway.

[3] The District Deputy Director acts for and on behalf of the Director in issuing and carrying out the provisions of all permits. The District Deputy Director has full authority to ensure that all provisions of the permit are met and to reject any materials, design, and workmanship that do not meet applicable Department standards. The District Deputy Director, at his/her discretion, may require a performance bond or certified check as a prerequisite to the issuance of a permit.

[4] Failure on the part of the permittee to comply fully with the provisions and conditions of the permit will be cause for suspension, revocation, or annulment of the permit thereby rendering the permit illegal and subject to appropriate Departmental action. By accepting the permit, the permittee agrees to comply with all conditions, terms, and restrictions printed or written on or attached to the permit. If the permittee performs any work contrary to the conditions of the permit or to the instructions of the District Deputy Director and, after due notice, fails to correct the problem, the Department of Transportation may, with or without notice, correct such work and the permittee shall reimburse the Department for the costs.

[5] The permittee shall indemnify and hold harmless the State of Ohio, Department of Transportation, its officers, representatives and assigns, from any and all loss, liability, damages, litigation costs, and claims for injury or death to any person, property, or business caused by or resulting from any act, omission, event, consequence, or occurrence, negligent or otherwise of the permittee, his employees, or assigns as a result of the issuance of this permit.

[6] All work authorized under the permit shall be performed to the Department's satisfaction, and the entire expense shall be borne by the permittee. No work shall be performed until the permittee has contacted the Department's appointed representative named on the permit and received instructions. The Department's representative may inspect all work covered by the permit, or the Department reserves the right, during the time any or all of the work is being performed, to appoint an inspector over the work who shall represent the interest of the State on the work and any compensation arranged for shall be paid wholly by the permit holder. Work not in compliance shall be halted and the District Deputy Director shall be notified of the cause. The permittee shall be notified of the Department's action and its causes, and given an opportunity to correct the problem.

[7] Failure to complete all work within the time specified on the permit shall void the permit, thereby making the permit illegal and subject to appropriate Departmental action. The permittee may request an extension in writing from the District Office, explaining why the extension is necessary and when the work is expected to be completed.

[8] All work infringing on the pavement or shoulders shall comply with applicable standards and requirements regarding traffic control devices. Failure to comply will be cause for revocation or suspension of the permit. Any closure of lanes or shoulders shall be described in terms of location, duration, time of day, etc. Such work shall not begin until all traffic control devices are in place.

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[10] Upon completion of the work, the permittee shall leave the highway clean of all rubbish, excess materials, temporary structures and equipment, and all parts of the highway shall be left in a condition acceptable to the Department. Upon satisfactory completion of the work authorized by the permit, the Department's appointed representative shall complete the Permit Inspection Certificate, Form No. MR 678 certifying that the permittee has complied with the terms of the permit.

[11] Except as herein authorized, no excavation shall be made or obstacle placed within the limits of the highway so as to interfere with the travel over the road.

[12] All pole lines are to be built in accordance with Rule 4901:3-1-08 of Ohio Administrative Code promulgated and enforced by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

[13] The permittee shall comply with the Air Pollution requirements of Rule 3745-17-08 of the Ohio Administrative Code promulgated and enforced by the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency.

[14] The permittee certifies that he or she is fully authorized to sign this permit. This permit shall apply to and be binding upon the permittee and his/her successors in interest. No change in ownership of the underlying property or of the facility owned by permittee shall in any way alter the permittee's obligations under this permit.

[15] The permittee(s) for herself/himself/themselves/itself, her/his/their/its personal representatives, and her/his/their/its successors in interest and assigns, as a part of the consideration hereof, do/does hereby covenant and agree that:

- No person on the grounds of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability shall be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in the use of the above described property.
- (2) In the construction of any improvements on, over, or under the above described property and the furnishing of services thereon, no person on the grounds of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability shall be excluded from the participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination.
- (3) The above described property shall be used in a manner that at all times is in compliance with all other requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, U.S. DOT, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, Part 21, Nondiscrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the U.S. DOT – Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, and as said Regulations may be amended.
- (4) In the event that this instrument grants a lease, license, or permit and any of the above nondiscrimination covenants is breached, then the State of Ohio, Department of Transportation, shall have the unfettered right to terminate the lease, license or permit and to re-enter and repossess the above-described property and hold the same as if said lease, license or permit had never been made or issued.
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	STATE OF OHIO			
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City, St Zip:	Haviland, OH 45851			
Phone:	419-575-2610			
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