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Dear Matt

I am wondering how the developer, Icebreaker/Fred Olsen Renewables, can even begin to think they have satisfied the MOU requirements: how all of a sudden, since January, I think, they now say they have done studies for two years? It is completely out of any sense of reality.

It is really important to note as in the previous letter to you and Chairman Haque, that radar alone is very deficient....it cannot determine species. It also picks up scatter. To determine bat habitat, say for the Indiana Bat, endangered, it would take years. This hasty assertion that "no habitat, no bats," has played out variously around North America, with people like Susan Richardson, a citizen scientist, creating detailed maps showing the habitat, and photos of the bats, three species endangered, right near or in the proposed project.

We sincerely hope the brakes will be on for a long time until they can logically and seriously do impact studies. No point in talking about post construction studies: it will be too little, too late, like Wolfe Island.

Once again, there are several outstanding deficiencies they have failed to address. As ABC and BSBO have pointed out, this needs to be escalated to a FULL Environmental Impact Assessment.

Kind regards,

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