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18-1607-EL-BGN⁹

March 18, 2019

The Ohio Power Siting Board
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Re: 18-1607-EL-BGN: Emerson Creek Wind Farm, Erie and Huron counties

My name is Dale Gasteier and I live in Erie County. I am opposed to the Emerson Creek wind project. Our area is poorly suited for these turbines due to the fact that we are in a karst region. My home currently sits on top of the largest sink hole by area in the State of Ohio. Please see the map that I have enclosed.

I am asking you not to approve this project to protect everyone in this area.

Sincerely,



Dale Gasteier

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Sincerely,

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Signature 

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Date 2-13-19

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Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

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Signature 

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Date 2-13-2019

Phone 216-385-3281

To Whom it May Concern:

I've lived in this area for 48 years and I've been following the Emerson Creek Wind project (Docket No. **18-1607-EL-BGN, Emerson Creek**) for quite some time. I've participated in public discussions and directly interacted with the developer, Apex Clean Energy.

Apex has been accessible and responsive to questions and feedback. Overall, they have been very engaged with members of the community and are committed to protecting our legacy. As I've talked to my fellow residents, I see broad support for Emerson Creek Wind. I recognize there are some in the county who do not want wind projects. Fortunately, no one is telling them they must put a turbine on their property.

The economic, community, infrastructure and health benefits that would result from this project are hardly debatable. For these reasons I urge you to support Emerson Creek Wind.

Sincerely,

Printed Name DUSTIN D STRAUSBAUGH

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Sincerely,

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Signature *Richard Kelly* Email _____

Date 21 FEB 2019 Phone 4140-915-3293

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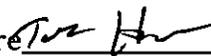
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