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To whom it may concern

This letter I am writing is in reference to House Bill 401 and Senate Bill 234. (Reneke Referendum). I am a 3<sup>rd</sup> generation property owner in Huron County, Ohio. The address that my family has owned since 1880 is located at 4191 State Route 547, Monroeville, Ohio 44847.

The property perimeter is also lined with the signs "NO WIND TURBINES IN HURON COUNTY". Since the get go I have been opposed to Wind Turbines in our area. By now we all know the "Pro's and Cons" of the systems. This letter is not in reference to them.

This is about my property, my family, my past family generation and my family future generation feelings on this. My entire family old and new is opposed to Big Business Wind Farms.

I myself have lived on our family farm for over forty years and have raised a family there. My employment takes me into the city of Cleveland Ohio everyday and a compute of over 60 miles each way. I work over 10 hours plus a day and with most of us the stress of the work day, traffic and all our other issues that go with life is sometimes overwhelming. So, what keeps me going is my return trip home to my farm and my peace and surroundings of my farm property in Rural America. Myself and family are the type of people that spend countless hours outside in all seasons. We are a family that lives with God and thank him every day for his creation. We are one of those family that actually takes time to watch the most surreal sunsets you will ever see. Thousands of them!!! Since the first word of the Wind Project coming into our area, I just feel nauseous of thinking these monster towers will be in my "Vista" for the rest of my life. I cannot get them out of my head as I continue to think of them as the Twin Towers of New York. (One of the saddest day in American History) Also, can you guarantee my family will not have health issues? Another thought that I cannot get out of my head. I am getting close to a retirement age and have not been commuting to work every day of my life to now return to the New Huron County Rural America Skyscrapers.

Many years ago Monroeville Ohio along with the local college installed a large ground solar system with a huge impact for the college students on leaning and physically laboring them in. There was little or no resistance to this project. It has been a wonderful "green" project for Ohio. I bring this up to make everyone stop and think how different project can work for all.

I want to thank you for your time and reading my letter. Please stop this. There are other green avenue's.

Sincerely,



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