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Dear Senators, SB234

As my family happens to live in a area where 6 possible Industrial Wind projects are proposed I would like a voice , on whether or not this type of industry would be a good thing for our community. For the State to just push these projects into populated areas with out your constituents having a vote is completely wrong . Anyone in their right mind knows these turbines near peoples homes will effect the value of the homes in the project area . For the state to devalue our properties that we have worked our whole llife for by putting industry on adjacent property with in 1200' of family homes is totally insane . You need to take a small private plane over Palding and Van Wert counties as I have done at around 3000' , and you will see the difference in how many homes are in these rural settings compared to Huron , Crawford , Sandusky , Seneca counties . Please do this before you vote for or against this Bill. I will offer to take you over these counties free of charge so you can see the major difference of how the populated rural areas are . I have flown around the projects in Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, as well . There is no comparison of these rural areas that have wind turbines to our area . Please check it out .

We have attended many County Commissioner , Township and OPSB meetings and it very much appears that we have no say as to whether these projects get built among our rural homes . You were elected to serve the people , so give us a say in these matters . If the people want these projects it will reflect that at the local level . The state and local goverments are supposed to PROTECT the residents from this exact type of devaluation of our properties. Also anything less on setbacks allowed than the manufacturer's recommended safe distance is a CRIME .

Please allow us , the citizens of the effected areas to control our own zoning . It is only right .

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