

**Testimony of Robert Manz  
Seneca County, Ohio  
In support of SB-52  
Ohio Senate Energy and Public Utilities Committee  
March 9, 2021**

Chairman Peterson, Vice Chair Schuring, ranking member Williams, members of the committee, I write as a proponent of SB-52.

The current language in the Ohio Revised Code gives no consideration to community priorities in regards to the siting of industrial wind and solar facilities. These projects are of immense proportions and bring sweeping changes to the entire area.

I urge you to pass SB-52 and give back to local citizens the right to determine the future of their own communities.

It's the right thing to do.

Respectfully,

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