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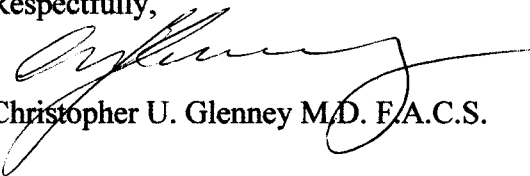
Dear Chairman Burak,

I would like to take this opportunity to express my extreme concern about the proposed wind tower park in the Millsfield region of Coos County, N.H.. To be honest, I just recently learned of it as I have heard virtually nothing about it in the media. As one who has hunted, fished and lived in the area for over 27 years I can only look upon this project with extreme trepidation. The certain damage to the old growth forests, environment and watershed will be extensive. The benefit to this area economically and esthetically will be minimal and at the expense of other more viable and beneficial industries such as biomass energy production, and tourism. Since the mills in Berlin and Groveton have closed and been cut back, for the first time we see very real increases in recreational utilization of the area in the forms of hunting, fishing, guiding, swimming, boating, hiking, camping, snow-mobiling, skiing, canoeing, kayaking, white water rafting, as well as bird, wildlife and foliage tours. Certainly, a wind tower farm as is being proposed can do nothing but detract from the wild and pristine beauty of our home land and the experiences of all those who come to visit and enjoy the last vestiges of forests that have been irreversibly destroyed to our South. Where will an every increasing North East population to our South go to experience the truly unaltered and unforgettable forested lands that have been lost forever where they are now living. Certainly there are plenty of places available for such a wind farm in vast areas that have already been defiled. Such a project and undertaking can do nothing but detract from the enjoyment and experience that the entire North East experiences when they come North to witness and experience the Great North Woods.

Chairman Burak, In the absence of any other redeeming qualities that this project might have other than cheaper energy for populations living outside of Coos county and who certainly have infinitely more suitable sites for such an endeavor, I implore and beseech you to do what ever you can to defeat this project.

Thank you for your time and your consideration in this matter. If I can be of any assistance please don't hesitate to ask.

Respectfully,



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