

June 2, 2010

Thomas S. Burack, Chairman
NH Site Evaluation Committee
29 Hazen Dr.
Concord, NH 03302-0095

Att: Jane Murray

Re: Application of Groton Wind, LLC
SEC Docket No. 2010-01

Dear Commissioner Burack:

I hereby apply for intervener status in the above referenced matter for the following reasons:

1. I am convinced that my rights, duties, privileges, immunities and other substantial interests will be adversely affected by this project and I am convinced that no one will be properly looking out for my interests and welfare. I live and work on Route 25 in Rumney and will be less than 1 mile from the wind turbines proposed for Fletcher Mountain. As someone who is therefore at home nearly 24/7, I am deeply concerned with possible noise pollution and adverse health effects that this large scale industrial wind project could well produce. That there are concerns should be apparent to anyone who has done any research in this area.
2. The wind industry has consistently underestimated the sound levels of their projects in the past and consistently placed projects too close to human habitation. The result has been human suffering and loss of quality of life.
3. As a property owner in Rumney since 1987, I am worried about negative effect of the proposed project on the of value of my property. As someone who depends on tourism to the area for part of my income, I am concerned that the proposed wind project will have an adverse effect tourism and therefore my livelihood . Because of the blasting that would be done during construction, I am concerned about the effect that this could have on my well water. I am also concerned about the danger of fire posed by turbines from lightening strikes and from overheating during operation. But most of all I fear having to sacrifice the quality of my life and the enjoyment of my property if this proposed wind project is allowed to be built.
4. The interests of justice and the orderly and prompt conduct of the proceedings will not be impaired by allowing this intervention.

Sincerely,

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