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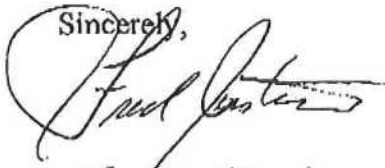
Planning Commission
c/o Gary Nychyk (garyn@co.wasco.or.us)
Wasco County
2705 East 2nd Street
The Dalles, OR 97058

Dear Commissioners:

I own land in Wasco County that is subject to a wind lease with Iberdrola Renewables Inc. Wasco County is proposing to amend its current land use zoning ordinance in a way that will restrict and limit wind energy development on my land. I encourage the Planning Commission to reconsider the setbacks proposed as a part of the ordinance amendment and reduce the setback from Shaniko and other incorporated towns. The county is proposing a one mile setback. I believe that the appropriate setback is 3,520 feet, which is consistent with setbacks adopted in prior Energy Facility Siting Council site certificates for larger wind projects, or something even less restrictive.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,



Fred Justesen