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Joe Schykerynec Written Comments

Additional submitted attachment is included below.

Good evening,

My name is Joe Schykerynec, I am a North State Resident. I believe the North State has some of the hardest working people anywhere. People that want to work and earn a living wage and take care of their family.

The North State needs more opportunities to help its residents earn a way into the middle class. To many Shasta county construction workers need to travel, sometimes hours away from home, just to earn enough money to survive. I do. I have worked in Sacramento for the last two years.

The Fountain Wind Project will provide the opportunities for its residents to earn a living wage, to have excellent health care and retirement benefits. This project will have pre-apprentice and apprenticeship standards that create those opportunities for people that want to get educated while earning a paycheck. This will create opportunities for our youth graduating high school. College is great, but it isn't for everybody. The Military is great, but it isn't for everybody. For those individuals that want to get to work and learn on the jobsite from the highest trained workers that there are, getting a skilled and trained education, that is what this project will provide.

The Fountain Wind Project provides many other benefits. The local economy will greatly benefit by the income and tax dollars earned here, and that money will stay here. This project will create a reliable energy grid that will help prevent power outages. The Fountain Wind Project will invest 300 million dollars into Shasta County, the most since the Shasta Dam Project.

For the sake of time, I will leave my comments brief. For the reasons I stated, I support the Fountain Wind Project.

Thank you