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Beverly Wakefield Written Comments

Additional submitted attachment is included below.

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The California Energy Commission welcomes public comment on the proposed Fountain Wind Project.

If you would like to make a comment on the record, but are unable to stay for the public comment period or your name is not called before you have to leave the event you may write your comment on this paper and hand it in to CEC staff to docket into the CEC docket for this project. Please note that all comments will become part of the public record with access via search engine.

Name and any affiliation: Beverly Wakefield MPH RD. Resident near FW Project

Circle one: support/oppose

Comments:

I oppose this project (Fountain Wind). Wind power can only be used as it comes available → as energy is produced it must be used or stored (fields & batteries to store energy generated) or be lost.

Does any energy produced go to Arizona or does it stay in California? Benefits from energy produced will not go to locals!

It appears that Connect Gen. has already started building the footprints for these wind turbines. Fly over & check if this is true. (Witness of 3 footprints) Criminal to begin construction when this project is not approved yet.

Wind energy is sporadic, not consistent, Wind blows mostly 10pm - 6am in fall and spring mostly.

Wind blows up to 40-80 mph. Difficult to fight in fire - wind and smoke! No fly zone!

Round Mt. has several fires, all put out by Aerial planes using Retardants.

Large Blades cause shadow effect on my property. Sound effects affect sleep cycles.

Nature & Beauty of Area obvious destruction once 2 acre pads, roads (multiple), water pallation, etc. are made. (for each turbine) Wildlife seen on our property - ~40 different animals 30 plus Birds. Migrating specifically over turbine area Beverly Wakefield witness to these things proposed.

A
Large
Carbon
Footprint.

My greatest argument is
life of our community.

If fires can't be stopped,
due to lack of careful planning,

Our community suffers
at expense of outside profits.
(or gain \$ for out of USA ^{Connect} owners.)