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I am Dennis Fultz, a landowner/farmer in the Plum Creek Wind Farm. The wind rights and tower payments that land owners receive are very helpful in the difficult financial times that we are facing.

I was a member of the founding farmers who developed the 50mw wind farm near Jeffers MN about 20 years ago. It is now owned by Xcel.

Geronimo acquired the wind rights from the landowners to establish the footprint of Plum Creek Wind Farm in 2017. It has excellent wind resource, the footprint land use is row crop agriculture making it easy to harvest the wind, and it has strong community support.

The site permit was filed in 2018.

Much has changed in wind turbine engineering in the past 7 years. Towers have become taller allowing for longer blades reaching higher, generators are larger, and the capacity factor/output has increased.

I ask you to allow National Grid to amend the site permit application to build with different turbine models of their choosing. I realize that amending the site permit application will extend the project completion date but the delay will be "worth the wait"

Thank you, Dennis Fultz