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To All:

Below is an email I sent to my fellow residents in Windham who oppose the Iberdrola Wind Project. As you will see, I attempt to spell out the lack of common sense in allowing this project to occur. I do not believe that it will pass the vote which is supposed to happen this fall where Iberdrola states they will abandon the project if residents vote it down, but I would still like to think that you, our representatives, still have some common sense and can see that there are so many wrongs in this project.

Here is what I recently said below in *italic black* as a reply to my friends letter she intends to also send and would like you to read as well. Naturally, I welcome a response and encourage professional intelligent debate if you have any alternate comments.

*I think the scientific end is well spelled out but the big money can potentially trump our findings with other scientific evidence to the contrary. I believe that we need to add a common sense angle that has recently seemed to get overlooked amongst the technical factor and of course the \$1M kickback money.*

*Any of us who live here or have spent time outdoors here knows the sound of "nothing", those moments when literally nothing can be heard. Growing up in and around big cities this is even more special, and one who has not witnessed this unique quietness should before they pass judgment on their decision to allow the install 20 turbines in Windham and another 8 in Grafton. The point I believe we need to make is that the introduction of any artificial sound other than the natural sound emitted by the mountain is going to cause some sort of disturbance. Common sense says NOT to install these huge pieces of machinery in such a quiet area surrounded by residents.*

*Add to this the destruction of the woods and visual impact on residents who settled here for the serene setting and vistas. Once again, where is the common sense in the placement of industrial size machinery smack dab in the middle of a nearly pristine forest.*

*The lifespan of one of these is also around 20 years from what I recall. Again, create all this impact for a 20 year lifecycle. Not common sense to me.*

*The common sense angle needs to be wrapped into the scientific and technical wording so it carries enhanced meaning. The human environment will no longer exist as we now know it and never be the same if this project happens. Animals, plants and the forest at large will*

*be gone too. That common sense element needs to be implemented as lately it seems to get lost in the arguments on decibels, megawatts, infrasound, thumping, rumbling, frequency and the myriad of other scientific terms.*

*I agree that the scientific noise level may prove to be the deciding factor in this battle of Turbines but we still need to remind our politicians that the humans, animals and forest were here first.....and common sense says the Turbines don't fit in!*

*I will reiterate this to the PSB and as always copy my representative politicians.....*

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