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Mr. Cliff Johnson, Senior Planner
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SUBJECT: Draft Environmental Impact Report - Humboldt Wind Energy Project

Dear Mr. Johnson:

We are the owners of a 200-acre ranch located 12 miles southwest of Scotia, California (APNs: 211-023-01, 211-024-01, 211-461-02 and 211-462-02). Our ranch (Harrow Prairie Ranch) is adjacent to the project alignment of the proposed Humboldt Wind Energy Project. Two of the proposed wind turbine locations are within 650 feet and 1,500 feet from our ranch house and as close as 250 feet from one of the barns.

The Notice of Preparation of EIR for Humboldt Wind Energy, **Population and Housing**, states “*there is no housing on the Project site or in the immediate vicinity.*” Please refer to the attached map which indicates the location of our ranch house and its proximity to the proposed wind turbine sites. These wind turbines would have a direct negative impact on our property (noise, aesthetics and proximity to dwelling and other buildings) and would interfere with operations of our ranch.

We are requesting that the two wind turbines located within close proximity of our property be removed from the proposed development.

Sincerely,

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