

July 30, 2021

Ms. Lynn Jarvis  
Chief Clerk  
North Carolina Utilities Commission  
430 N. Salisbury Street  
Raleigh, NC 27603

Re: Timbermill Wind, LLC's (Timbermill) Certificate of Environmental  
Compatibility and Public Convenience Application and Hearing

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Dear Ms. Jarvis:

On behalf of my wife, Belinda Flynn, and myself, we herewith submit, via electronic filing with the Commission, additional public comments regarding Docket No. EMP-118, Sub 1. In support of our PETITION FOR INVESTIGATION AND RULEMAKING OF TIMBERMILL WIND, LLC'S CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AND PUBLIC CONVENIENCE appearing in Docket No. E-118, Sub 1.

Timbermill Wind, LLC's (Timbermill) environmental comments within their application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience appear out of sync with the environment surrounding the proposed turbine site in Chowan County. My property abuts a leased Timbermill property site on Paradise Road.

As testimony, several years ago I took a dead snake and threw it to the edge of my property. Hours later I saw a mature eagle land, take the snake and fly off. The application says eagles nest are no closer than one mile from the turbine site, which may or may not be true.

In any event, this spring I observed a pair of young eagles in one of the leased Turbine properties near my home tearing at its prey in the field.

Also, since my family moved to Edenton, I've watch the waterfowl, tundra swans and snow geese migrate to and through the area. Once the Amazon Wind Facility went online, the thousands and thousands of migrating birds I viewed each

winter were reduced to hundreds. This is also a fate that bat populations may experience as well.

Timbermill Wind, LLC is not compatible with many avian and bat environments occurring within the proposed Timbermill location in spite of their own studies certifying the one mile nesting distance. Their Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Convenience application should be rejected.

If you should have any questions concerning this filing, please let me know.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

/s/ Patrick Flynn