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RE: Kittitas Valley Wind Power Project

Dear Darrel,

I write to follow up on our meeting of Friday, February 3, 2006, regarding the on-going procedure related to the KVVWPP application. I understand that your office is preparing draft Findings and Conclusions which, in keeping with general county procedure reiterated by Commissioner Huston at the opening of hearings in this matter, Horizon will receive a copy of at the same time they are transmitted to the planning commission. Horizon will attend the February 13, 2006, planning commission session given my understanding that the meeting will be staffed with the Findings on a laptop so that revisions can be made as necessary with an eye toward adopting them that night.

Horizon looks forward to appearing before the BOCC once they schedule their continued hearing to address the planning commission's recommendation and Findings of Facts, which I understand to be the scope of the testimony at the continued hearing. As we complete this process, please let us know if at any time we are not meeting the county's expectations that materials be promptly submitted. Likewise, I trust that we will receive staff materials contemporaneously with delivery of the same to the decision-makers.

I plan to attend the BOCC's meeting tomorrow when it will receive your update on the planning commission's deliberations, so if I have misconstrued anything from our 2/3/2006 meeting, please feel free bring it up with me.

Very truly yours,


Erin L. Anderson

cc: Chris Taylor
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