frank frankkliewer.com
EFSEC mi Comments
Horse Heaven Hills Wind Farm and Solar Project
Monday, June 5, 2023 4:05:20 PM

Dear EFSEC Director, Sonia Bumpus and EFSEC members and staff,

Thank you for your work in directing a very controversial and critical issue that will determine the future of a very important area of Washington State and the quality of life for many local residents of the Tri-Cities.

As a former Planning, Building and Economic Development official of a large jurisdiction, I understand the difficulties you are facing in directing the outcome of the Horse Heaven Hills project. Please allow as much community input as possible to frame the many complex concerns this project creates. The citizens of our Tri-Cities area need to be heard completely and the **Tri-Cities CARES** group (made up of people involved in this project from the beginning) is providing an essential forum for your better understanding of the critical risks we are facing, and **needs to be part of the ongoing discussion**.

Meanwhile, the vital science behind Green Energy is changing rapidly, so great care needs to be observed as decisions are made that will greatly impact the details of our lives in this area. More study and more information from more people is what our Democracy is all about in creating the best outcomes.

Thank you again for your time and work,

Frank Kliewer

Cell: 206.794.9900 Horse Heaven Hills, Benton County

From:	Laura Wilson
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Support for Tri-Cities CARES (TCC)
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 4:15:13 PM

TO: Sonia Bumpus, EFSEC Director CC: Judy at <u>goosie1515@aol.com</u>

RE: Tri-Cities CARES (TCC)

We support the work of Tri-Cities CARES (TCC) for us Tri-Cities citizens and residents in the Horse Heaven Wind Project. We encourage their continued work as adjudicators in this project.

We oppose the expensive, inefficient, wind turbines that are as tall as the Space Needle. If any wind turbines are installed, they should be the much smaller, less expensive, and quieter tulipshaped wind machines.

Sincerely,

William and Laura Wilson 1025 Sunstone Ct Richland WA 99352 509-627-7181 wilsonL@cwu.edu

From:	art kelly
To:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Ajudication - Tri-Cities CARES
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 4:17:32 PM

5 June 2023

Dear Sonia Bumpus/EFSEC:

I whole heartedly recommend that the Tri-Cities CARES organization act on my behalf as the intervenor to the Horse Heaven Hills Windmill (turbine) project in the adjudication process. They truly represent my concerns in opposition to this project. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Art Kelly Richland, Washington

Barbara Mannion
EFSEC mi Comments
Windmills on Horse Heaven
Monday, June 5, 2023 4:47:54 PM

Dear EFSEC:

I strongly support and ask that you will join our efforts as a resident of the Tri-Cities to preserve our Horse Heaven Hills. It is my express wish that wildlife, aesthetics and our way of life is honored and do not wish to see any more windmills on our hills. The windmills are not only an ugly sight, they contribute to killing massive numbers of birds and pollute with noise and lights.

I have added my voice to Tri-Cities CARES as they have been doing an exceptional job of representing local communities in the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process. I want to confirm my support for their intervention in the process.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Barbara L. Mannion

From:	Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC)
То:	gene@gamefarmhay.com
Cc:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	RE: Tri-Cities CARES efforts represents ME
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 5:27:26 PM

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Kind regards, EFSEC

From: gene@gamefarmhay.com <gene@gamefarmhay.com>
Sent: Monday, June 5, 2023 5:26 PM
To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: Tri-Cities CARES efforts represents ME

External Email

Tri-Cities CARES efforts represents ME. I am a resident of Benton County. The work they are doing representing our region in stopping or mitigating the impacts of the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process is needed to cover all aspects of representation. I want to confirm my support for their intervention in the process.

Gene Mercer

From:	Jim Newell
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Support for the CARES team
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 6:11:27 PM

We live in Badger Canyon and will be directly affected by the proposed wind farm. The CARES team has our full support and represents our voice in opposing this project. Not only will the project affect our viewscape, light and noise pollution, it will have a negative effect with the numbers of bird strikes and have a direct impact on wildlife.

Sincerely, Jim and Jeri Newell 55219 E 95 PR SE Benton City, WA 99320

From:	gene@gamefarmhay.com
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Tri-Cities CARES efforts represents ME
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 6:40:33 PM

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Gene Mercer

From:	Judy
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Tri-Cities CARES - Intervenor During Adjudication Process for HHH
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 7:06:11 PM

Dear EFSEC & Director, Sonia Bumpus,

I appreciate everything that Tri-Cities CARES has done thus far in representing our community during the adjudication process as an Intervenor. Limiting Tri-Cities CARES participation is an insult and is in direct conflict with SEPA and the 2021 State Energy Strategy commitments to public participation. These issues, wildlife, aesthetics, human and domestic animal health, safety, quality of life, lack of local control, etc., that Tri-Cities CARES is focusing on are extremely important to me and many others in this community! Tri-Cities CARES has my full support to continue representing me and the community in which I live as an Intervenor. Thank you.

Judy Guse

104902 E Tripple Vista Dr

Kennewick, WA 99338

Sonia,

I support Tri-Cities CARES and consider them the representative entity who is advocating for me and a growing number of people in the communities in the Horse Heaven Hills adjudication process. Let this message serve as confirmation of my support for their intervention in the process.

Thank you,

David Cole

West Richland, WA

On Mon, Jun 5, 2023 at 12:50 PM Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <<u>sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov</u>> wrote:

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Kind regards,

EFSEC

From: David Cole <<u>txboynwa@gmail.com</u>> Sent: Saturday, June 3, 2023 7:35 PM **To:** Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <<u>sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov</u>> **Subject:** I Support Tri-Cities CARES

External Email

Sonia,

I support Tri-Cities CARES and consider them the representative entity who is advocating for me and a growing number of people in the communities in the Horse Heaven Hills adjudication process. Let this message serve as confirmation of my support for their intervention in the process.

Thank you,

David Cole

West Richland, WA

From:	<u>art kelly</u>
To:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Tri-Cities CARES
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 7:39:36 PM

5 June 2023

Dear Sonia Bumpus/EFSEC:

I whole heartedly recommend that the Tri-Cities CARES organization act on my behalf as the intervenor to the Horse Heaven Hills Windmill (turbine) project in the adjudication process. They truly represent my concerns in opposition to this project. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Art Kelly Richland, Washington

From:	Barbara Thompson
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Tri-Cities, WA CARES
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 7:50:22 PM

Dear Director Sonia Bumpus,

Tri-Cities CARES has been doing an exceptional job of representing local communities in the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process. We want to confirm our support for their intervention in the process.

Thank You Dan and Barbara Thompson Benton City, WA

Sent from Outlook

From:	Eugene Guse
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Support Tri-Cities CARES as Intervenor - HHH
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 7:56:31 PM

Dear EFSEC & Director, Sonia Bumpus,

Tri-Cities CARES has been doing an excellent job of representing me and our local communities in the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process. I am pleased with the job Tri-Cities CARES is doing as an intervenor and want to confirm my support for their continued work in this process and not under the Benton County umbrella whose sole issue is land use. My concern is for wildlife, aesthetics, human and domestic animal health, safety, quality of life, lack of local control, diminished property values, etc., which are the focused issues of Tri-Cities CARES. Tri-Cities CARES has my full support in representing me as an intervenor during the adjudication process.

Gene Guse

104902 E Tripple Vista Dr

Kennewick, WA 99338

From:	taffy@gamefarmhay.com
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Tri-Cities CARES efforts represents ME!
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 8:06:53 PM

Tri-Cities CARES efforts represents ME. I am a resident of Benton County. The work they are doing representing our region in stopping or mitigating the impacts of the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process is needed to cover all aspects of representation. I want to confirm my support for their intervention in the process.

Theresa Mercer

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Kind regards, EFSEC

From: Cynthia Ives <cynthia.ives14@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 5, 2023 6:00 PM
To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: I stand with Tri-Cities CARES

External Email

Good afternoon Ms. Bumpus,

I am writing to show my support for the Tri-Cities CARES group, standing against the push to bring a the massive Horse Heaven Wind Project to my area. This group has my family's interests in mind.

The e-mail is confirmation of my support for their role in the process.

Thank you for your time,

Cynthia Ives Resident of Benton County, WA

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Kind regards, EFSEC

From: Clark S <clarkwa7@msn.com>
Sent: Monday, June 5, 2023 6:15:36 PM
To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov>
Cc: Clark S <clarkwa7@msn.com>; VICKEY STOLLE <vic13905@hotmail.com>
Subject: Horse Heaven Hills Wind Farm Proposal

External Email

To: Sonis Bumpus, Director, EFSEC,

My name is Clark Stolle and I am a long time resident of Kennewick. I have been a member of the City of Kennewick Planning Commission, Assistant Director of Benton County Planning Department, Director of Land Stewardship at Hanford, a regional land use planner and a City Planner for Roseburg, Oregon. I have sufficient knowledge and experience to provide a strong recommendation to Tri-Cities CARES. They represent citizens like myself and are doing an exceptional job with representing the local communities in the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process. My wife and I want to confirm our support for their intervention in the process. They are our voice in a project that is fraught with significant adverse issues. Thank you for.

Clark Stolle

Sent from my T-Mobile 5G Device

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Kind regards, EFSEC

From: Monica Randall <randallmonica@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, June 5, 2023 6:23:35 PM
To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: TriCities Care regarding HHH Wind Farm

External Email

My family is in support of the Tri-Cities CARES efforts in representing us, a resident of the Tri-Cities region. This wind farm, the Horse Heaven Wind Project, will negatively affect our region and is located way too close to the population. I believe the TC Cares organization has and will continue to represent us well.

I/we want to confirm my/our support for their intervention in the process.

Thank you,

Paul & Monica Randall Kennewick, WA

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Kind regards, EFSEC

From: Lowell Cooper <cooperlc@verizon.net>
Sent: Monday, June 5, 2023 6:26:39 PM
To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: Tri-Cities CARES

External Email

This is to confirm that my wife and I wish to support Tri-Cities CARES as our representative in the Horse Heaven Wind Project decisioning process.

Regards,

Lowell & Rae Cooper

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Kind regards, EFSEC

From: VICKEY STOLLE <vic13905@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 5, 2023 6:44:39 PM
To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: Horse Heaven Hills Wind Project

External Email

To: Sonis Bumpus, Director, EFSEC,

My name is Vickey Stolle and I want to go on record confirming that Tri-Cities CARES does indeed represent myself and a significant number of people from our area who will be greatly impacted by this project.

Since we have never been allowed an in person meeting with your committee, you probably don't have an awareness of the number of people who would have attended in-person meetings. Tri-Cities CARES has worked tirelessly and they are our voice in a project that is fraught with significant adverse issues.

Vickey Stolle Kennewick, W

From:	<u>J L Banning</u>
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Tri Cities CARES support
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 8:42:19 PM

Hello,

I have been a resident of Tri-Cities, WA (Benton County/South Kennewick) for 25 years and am sending an email of support for the Tri Cities CARES (TCC) organization. I fully endorse TCC as representing my family's interests as residents of the Tri-Cities. I further support their representation to intervene regarding the proposed Horse Heaven Hills Solar/Wind Farm project.

The Tri-Cities would be negatively impacted by the construction of such a large scale solar & wind farm so close to so many residential homes as well as the negative impact on wildlife and migratory patterns of many bird species. I completely trust TCC to represent us as residents of the Tri-Cities in their continued efforts of opposition to this project.

Thank you for your consideration, Jackie Banning joobann12@gmail.com --Sent from Gmail Mobile --Sent from Gmail Mobile

From:	LA
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Fwd: Support for Tri-Cities CARES
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 9:43:18 PM

----- Forwarded message ------From: LA <<u>anderson.linnea@gmail.com</u>> Date: Sun, Jun 4, 2023, 7:41 AM Subject: Support for Tri-Cities CARES To: <<u>sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov</u>>

I continue to support Tri-Cities CARES efforts in representing myself as a resident of the Tri-Cities region. I want Tri-Cities CARES to continue their support in representing myself, and my fellow community members of the Tri-Cities, in the Horse Heaven Hills Wind project. They have my best interest in mind as a TC resident. I want to confirm my support for their continued intervention in this project.

Thank you.

Linnea Kohler

From:	Janet Davis
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Intervention by Tri-Cities CARES has my support
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 9:46:30 PM

Hello. The purpose of my email is to document that I am totally thankful that Tri-Cities CARES is representing me in the adjudication process of the Horse Heaven Wind Project. Their intervention on my behalf has my full support.

Sincerely, Janet Davis 253 Scouler Ct Richland WA 99352

From:	Bob Davis
To:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Tri-Cities CARES represents me
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 9:51:02 PM

I want to let you know that Tri-Cities CARES is doing an extraordinary job of representing my interests in the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process. They have my complete support for their intervention in the process.

Robert Davis Richland, WA resident

From:	Gene & Ruby Torrey
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Wind Turbine - Tri-Cities CARES representation
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 9:55:44 PM

Sonia Bumpus

Thank you for listening to the many of us Tri City residents about the possibility of the massive number of wind turbines proposed for our area.

We believe that Tri-Cities CARES has representing our residents concerns very well. Tri-Cities CARES has been doing a wonderful job of representing the concerns of most residents.

I confirm my support for the intervention of Tri-Cities CARES as do my family and friends.

Sincerely Gene Torrey 1814 S. Jefferson Pl. Kennewick, WA 99338

I want to inform you that I give my full support to Tri-Cities CARES efforts in representing me as a resident of the Tri-Cities region in opposition to the Horse Heaven Hills wind turbine installation project. Their outstanding work in representing us and in presenting our position to the project has my solid backing.

Samuel J Dechter Richland, WA 99352

509-627-0950

From:	Gianna Caprio
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Fwd: Tri-Cities CARES
Date:	Monday, June 5, 2023 11:19:13 PM

I support the Tri-Cities CARES efforts that represent me as a resident of the Tri-Cities region. I want to confirm my support for their intervention in the process.

Gianna

------ Forwarded message ------From: **Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC)** <<u>sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov</u>> Date: Mon, Jun 5, 2023 at 12:52 PM Subject: RE: Tri-Cities CARES To: Gianna Caprio <<u>giannalcaprio@gmail.com</u>> CC: EFSEC mi Comments <<u>Comments@efsec.wa.gov</u>>

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Kind regards,

EFSEC

From: Gianna Caprio <<u>giannalcaprio@gmail.com</u>> Sent: Saturday, June 3, 2023 4:58 PM To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <<u>sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov</u>> Subject: Tri-Cities CARES I support the Tri-Cities CARES efforts that represent me as a resident of the Tri-Cities region. I want to confirm my support for their intervention in the process.

Gianna Caprio

From:	SCRIMSHER Michael (Framatome)
To:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Horse Heaven Wind Farm
Date:	Tuesday, June 6, 2023 6:35:06 AM
Attachments:	image001.png

Dear EFSEC:

Tri-Cities CARES (TCC) with the support of the "Save Our Horse Heaven Hills" group was approved as an intervenor in the Horse Heaven Wind project adjudication process.

The Tri-Cities CARES organization has been doing and continues to an exceptional job of representing our local Tri city area communities in the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process.

We want to confirm my/our support for their intervention in the process.

Please confirm receipt and applicability to this project.

Best Regards

Michael & Wendy Scrimsher O = 509-375-8238 C = 509-392-9722 <u>Michael.Scrimsher@framatome.com</u>

framatome

Blessed are those who can give without remembering and receive without forgetting.

From:	Geneva Carroll
To:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Horse Heaven Hills Wind Turbine Issue
Date:	Tuesday, June 6, 2023 8:03:51 AM

Dear Ms. Bumpus,

I am writing to you today to let you know what a wonderful service Tri-Cities CARES provides to the residents of Kennewick, Richland, Pasco and West Richland. We love and enjoy our beautiful Horse Heaven Hills area and are dismayed that outsiders want to come here to disrupt our way of life.

I am pleased at how Tri-Cities CARES has been representing the individuals living in this beautiful area. I am glad they are representing me and ask that you allow them to continue their important job.

Thank you,

Geneva Carroll West Richland, Washington

From:	liz swanson
То:	Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC)
Cc:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Re: Tri city Cares speaks for me
Date:	Tuesday, June 6, 2023 8:26:07 AM

Thank you, I will do that.

On Mon, Jun 5, 2023, 12:38 PM Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <<u>sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov</u>> wrote:

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Kind regards,

EFSEC

From: liz swanson <<u>lizswanson855@gmail.com</u>> Sent: Sunday, June 4, 2023 12:51 PM To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <<u>sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov</u>> Subject: Tri city Cares speaks for me

External Email

I have been so gratified by the organized response put together by TCC. They absolutely do represent me and our broader community needs and desires. We do not want to make a huge mistake with these turbines on the Horse Heaven Hills. The impacts are far greater than the

governor and those in favor seem to think. Thank you so much for considering TCC's arguments.

Elizabeth Swanson

From:	skip6944@aol.com
To:	EFSEC mi Comments
Cc:	goosie1515@aol.com
Subject:	Oppose wind turbines on the Horse Heaven Hills
Date:	Tuesday, June 6, 2023 8:28:27 AM

I am in support of the work of Tri-Cities CARES (TCC), and I oppose any wind turbines on the Horse Heaven Hills! Wind energy is NOT eco-friendly and it is too expensive! To build a wind turbine is about the same as drilling an oil well. For a wind turbine to produce energy equivalent to 1 barrel of oil costs about \$200 plus batteries and PAO synthetic oil. An oil well can produce 10 barrels of oil per hour costing about 50¢ to run the pump. Wind turbines endanger wildlife, and currently with $\pm7\%$ of the nation being supplied with wind energy, already 500,000 birds are killed each year from wind turbine blade collisions— endangered hawks, falcons, owls, geese, ducks and eagles. Those deaths will only continue to increase with more harmful turbines.

Kind regards,

L S Stephens 1949 Forest Ave Richland WA 99354-2155 509.946.0949 skip6944@aol.com

From:	EFSEC (EFSEC)
To:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	FW: TCC speaks for me
Date:	Tuesday, June 6, 2023 8:43:02 AM

From: liz swanson lizswanson855@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 6, 2023 8:27 AM
To: EFSEC (EFSEC) <efsec@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: TCC speaks for me

External Email

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Elizabeth Swanson

From:	Kayla Sidwell
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Fwd: Tri-Cities CARES Support
Date:	Tuesday, June 6, 2023 9:05:35 AM

We support Tri-Cities CARES efforts in representing us as a local resident and strongly oppose the Horse Heaven Hills Wind Project proposal.

Josh & Kayla Sidwell

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC)" <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov> Date: June 5, 2023 at 12:42:24 PM PDT To: Kayla Sidwell <kla_rae@hotmail.com> Cc: EFSEC mi Comments <Comments@efsec.wa.gov> Subject: RE: Tri-Cities CARES Support

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Kind regards, EFSEC

-----Original Message-----From: Kayla Sidwell <kla_rae@hotmail.com> Sent: Sunday, June 4, 2023 8:10 AM To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov> Subject: Tri-Cities CARES Support

External Email

We support Tri-Cities CARES efforts in representing us as a local resident and strongly oppose the Horse Heaven Hills Wind Project proposal.

Josh & Kayla Sidwell

Kayla Sidwell

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Kind regards, EFSEC

From: jean vanni <kyakannie@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 6, 2023 12:29:56 AM
To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: Horse heaven wind project

External Email

Dear Sonia, I want you to know that I'm in support of and believe TCC does represent the interests of residents of the TriCities in stopping or mitigating the adverse affects of this project (the HorseHeaven Hills Wind Farm project). I do not support this project! I do hope you'll take my comment under consideration and support TCC as an intervener. Thank you for your time. Have a wonderful day. Sincerely Jean Vanni

Sent from my iPhone

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Kind regards, EFSEC

From: Terry Johnson <tlj@johnsonpatio.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 6, 2023 8:58:10 AM
To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: Tri-Cities CARES Support

External Email

Sonia,

I'm writing to let you know that, in regards of the Horse Heavens Hills wind energy project, I consider Tri-Cities CARES to represent my interests. Please treat them as an 'intervenor' on my behalf.

An acknowledgement of this email would be appreciated.

Best Regards, Terry L. Johnson 607 Muriel St. Richland, WA 99352 509-551-6781

Sent from my iPad

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Kind regards, EFSEC

From: Karena Morris <KM_Morris@frontier.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 6, 2023 9:56:00 AM
To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: support for Tri-Cities Cares

External Email

Dear Ms. Bumpus,

I would like to let you know that Tri-Cities CARES has been doing an exceptional job of representing local communities in the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process. I want to confirm to you and your agency that I support everything they are doing in their intervention in this process.

Respectfully,

Karena Morris

Pasco, WA

From:	Cindy McKay
To:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Tri-Cities CARES
Date:	Tuesday, June 6, 2023 11:01:58 AM

Goodmorning,

My name is Bill McKay and I am the Mayor of Kennewick, a business owner in Kennewick and most of my kids and grandkids live in the City of Kennewick. The CARES organization has done an outstanding job of representing the large majority views of the people who live in Kennewick. There is no question in my mind that if this wind farm project were to go to the voters it would lose with 75 to 80% voting against it. The reasons for the citizens' opposition to this project are endless.

We appreciate you recognizing the CARES group as an intervenor, they represent a very large majority of the residents of Kennewick.

Respectfully. Bill McKay City of Kennewick Mayor Thank you for contacting the Washington Energy Facility Site Evaluation

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Kind regards, EFSEC

From: Dawn McKinney <dklmckinney@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 5, 2023 8:33:05 PM
To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: Letter of support of Tri Cities Cares

External Email

I want to confirm my support of Tri-Cities CARES to represent me, along with the local communities, in the intervention of the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process. Thank you, Dawn McKinney Richland, Wa

Sent from my iPhone

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Kind regards, EFSEC

From: Cheri Eisen <caninemail@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, June 5, 2023 4:36:31 PM
To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: Horse Heaven Hills/TC cares

External Email

To Sonia Bumpus,

For a long time now, Tri City Cares has been working diligently in their effort to represent me as a resident of the Tri-Cities region.

They do their due diligence to represent our local communities in the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process.

I want to confirm my complete support for their intervention in this process.

Cheri E.

Sent from my iPhone

From:	Ob Server
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Cc:	goosie1515@aol.com
Subject:	Horse Heaven Hills Wind/Solar "project"-Tri-Cities CARES represents me to EFSEC
Date:	Tuesday, June 6, 2023 1:14:31 PM

Dear EFSEC:

6/6/23

Tri-Cities CARES has been doing a great job of representing local communities in the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process. I confirm my support for Tri-Cities CARES' intervention in the process.

Please enter on the EFSEC public record that I support Tri-Cities CARES efforts in representing me as a resident of the Tri-cities region and expect EFSEC to treat Tri-Cities CARES as representing me.

I will, of course be following these proceedings and putting in my 2 cents on the Horse Heaven Wind & Solar fiasco being forced on Tri-Cities inhabitants that do not want the project because of the environmental, scenic, geological, & property value damage it will do to the area as well as the damage it will do to our electrical grid system as the power is not needed and power balancing will have to be done to assure the grid stays operational. Further, the project is not cost effective without huge taxpaver subsidies (i.e., a mis-use of taxpayer funds). And the use of child labor by the CCP to extract the rare earths (i.e., hazardous materials) used in the wind & solar materials & support materials as well as the decontamination and decommissioning aspect & assured funding of such is not addressed. And the contamination & preservation of good farm land is not addressed along with the lack of access to water for the project. These issues make the H3 Wind/Solar "project" inappropriate for the Tri-Cities region.

Thank you for adding my name to the list that Tri-Cities Cares represents.

J. Polehn jpolehn1@yahoo.com

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Cheri E.

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aol.com
turbines in the Horse Heaven Wind Project
e 6, 2023 3:30:43 PM

I am a home-owner who has lived in Richland, Washington, for 45 years. I am against expensive and inefficient wind turbines. Count me as one of the many Tri-Cities residents who support the work of the Tri-Cities CARES (TCC) organization working to prevent wind turbines in the Horse Heaven Wind Project. Where would all of the refined oil come that would be needed every year for every turbine if a wind farm were created? Aren't we supposed to be reducing our fossil fuel footprint? We're already running out of special landfill spaces that would be needed for those gigantic fiber composite blades after every turbine's 20-year lifetime. And guess what else? They're already running out of these special landfill spaces for blades that have already exceeded their usefulness. All that money would be poured down the drain to pay for tons of iron ore, concrete and non-recyclable plastic, equipment, installation, service, maintenance and eventual removal after 20 years. WHAT A WASTE!

Sincerely,

C J Udell 1949 Forest Ave Richland WA 99354-2155 509-308-1949 <u>skip6944@gmail.com</u>

From:	<u>steve fabian</u>
To:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	tricity cares support
Date:	Tuesday, June 6, 2023 10:56:52 PM

Hi, Steve Fabian of 905 Smith Ave. Richland here. I am in favor of the horse heaven hills wind project being scrapped, and support the work of Tri-City Cares. I have donated to them to help get my wishes known. Please know that this project is not favored by many Tricitians, for a variety of reasons. Thanks, Steve Fabian, Richland

From:	<u>Ob Server</u>
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Cc:	<u>Judy</u>
Subject:	2nd send> Re: Horse Heaven Hills Wind/Solar "project"-Tri-Cities CARES represents me to EFSEC
Date:	Tuesday, June 6, 2023 11:48:46 PM

Dear EFSEC:

6/6/23

Tri-Cities CARES has been doing a great job of representing local communities in the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process. I confirm my support for Tri-Cities CARES' intervention in the process.

Please enter on the EFSEC public record that I support Tri-Cities CARES efforts in representing me as a resident of the Tri-cities region and expect EFSEC to treat Tri-Cities CARES as representing me.

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Thank you for adding my name to the list that Tri-Cities Cares represents. If you would, please confirm via email that EFSEC has received this email with my comments.

J. Polehn jpolehn1@yahoo.com

On Tuesday, June 6, 2023 at 06:35:30 PM PDT, Judy <goosie1515@aol.com> wrote:

Don't mind at all; in fact most people either Cc or Bcc me. It's a good way to keep record on our side so they don't tell us that nobody commented on approving TC CARES as representing the Tri-Cities. You did use the other email address, right? That doesn't show on my end.

Judy

In a message dated 6/6/2023 1:58:15 PM Pacific Standard Time, jpolehn1@yahoo.com writes:

You're most welcome, Judy! Hope you don't mind me cc'g you on my email to efsec. By doing so, I'm assuring a backup to my communications to efsec so it doesn't get "lost in their mail". ;-) (My "trust of the gov't" has gone down the waste bin.) Hope you have a great day. Jeanie

On Tuesday, June 6, 2023 at 01:47:06 PM PDT, Judy <goosie1515@aol.com> wrote:

Thanks again, Jeanie!

Judy

In a message dated 6/6/2023 1:14:28 PM Pacific Standard Time, jpolehn1@yahoo.com writes:

Dear EFSEC: 6/6/23

Tri-Cities CARES has been doing a great job of representing local communities in the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process. I confirm my support for Tri-Cities CARES' intervention in the process.

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Thank you for adding my name to the list that Tri-Cities Cares represents.

J. Polehn jpolehn1@yahoo.com

From:	Bob Johnson
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Acceptance Of Tri-Cities CARES" Representation
Date:	Wednesday, June 7, 2023 9:58:19 AM
Importance:	High

Director Bumpus: Please know I fully and totally support Tri-Cities CARES efforts in representing me as a resident of the Tri-Cities region.

With regards to the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process, I firmly believe Tri-Cities CARES has been doing an outstanding and accurate job of presenting the facts and truth while representing the citizens of the Tri-Cities area.

Therefore, I want to confirm my support for their intervention in the process.

I do not enjoy writing what I'm going to say hereinafter, but I can't be silent on this matter. I find it sad and infuriating that a few "outsiders" are arrogant enough to think they can work to shove (force) a project like the HHH windfarm down our throats when the majority of the Tri-

Cities citizens do NOT want this expensive, resource wasteful, eye sore spoiling the beauty of where we live, and devaluing the value of some people's largest asset – their homes - which is a provable fact!

Plus, if the "pro" HHH windfarm people could just get intellectually honest, and accept the facts for what they are, they would see that this project is not feasible, and the lack of value/benefits don't merit any further consideration of it! Scout Energy is the main one who benefits from this

at the expense of the entire public.

We need energy, and lots of it, if we want to be carbon free (which the experts doubt we can fully achieve); however, windfarms are NOT the answer. The correct answers exist but must be implemented to get us where we need to be.

I hope you and the EFSEC see and accept the truth that windfarms aren't the path we should be on. The EFSEC and Mr. Inslee do not have the right to ruin our lives and waste our money -yes, **our** money – on this and other windfarm projects!!

Regards,

Robert A Johnson

bob@thejohnsongroup.us

Tri-City resident for 51 years

From:	Jeffery Banning
То:	EFSEC mi Comments
Cc:	Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC)
Subject:	Tri Cities CARES Representing Community
Date:	Wednesday, June 7, 2023 7:58:12 PM

As a 25 year resident of Kennewick, WA, I fully support the Tri Cities CARES organization representing myself, my family and the citizens of Benton County, WA opposing the poorly sited and unwanted Horse Heaven Hills Wind and Solar Farm.

The Tri-Cities would be negatively impacted by the construction of such a large scale solar & wind farm so close to so many residential homes as well as the negative impact on wildlife and migratory patterns of many bird species. I completely trust TCC to represent us as residents of the Tri-Cities in their continued efforts of opposition to this project.

Thank you, Jeff Banning <u>ibann64@gmail.com</u>

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Ms Bumpus,

I just wanted to let you know that I STRONGLY support the work of Tri-Cities CARES efforts to represent the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process. Please make note of my support and full confidence in them to take care of our wishes for all our local residents!!!

Thank you,

Lori Judkins

From:	<u>art kelly</u>
To:	Lori Judkins
Cc:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Re: Save Our Horse Heaven Hills
Date:	Wednesday, June 7, 2023 9:28:29 PM

Thank you for your support!

On Wed, Jun 7, 2023 at 8:44 PM Lori Judkins <<u>lhipraisegod@comcast.net</u>> wrote: Ms Bumpus,

I just wanted to let you know that I STRONGLY support the work of Tri-Cities CARES efforts to represent the Horse Heaven Wind Project adjudication process. Please make note of my support and full confidence in them to take care of our wishes for all our local residents!!!

Thank you,

Lori Judkins

EFSEC (EFSEC)
EFSEC mi Comments
FW: COMMENTS Regarding Tri-Cities CARES
Thursday, June 8, 2023 7:19:52 AM

From: John Christensen <cjcfarms@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, June 8, 2023 7:19:29 AM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada)
To: EFSEC (EFSEC) <efsec@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: COMMENTS Regarding Tri-Cities CARES

External Email

As a resident of the Tri-Cities for 76 years I fully support the Tri-Cities CARES group in their mission to oppose the construction of the proposed Horse Heaven wind farm

From:	Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC)
То:	Jim Money
Cc:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	Re: Horse Heaven Hills Project
Date:	Thursday, June 8, 2023 10:36:04 AM

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From: Jim Money <moneyengr@charter.net>
Sent: Tuesday, June 6, 2023 1:25:37 PM
To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: Horse Heaven Hills Project

External Email

Hi Sonia,

I wanted to let you know that Tri-Cities CARES is doing a wonderful job at representing the Tri-City area in the Horse Heaven Hills Wind Project. All of the people I have mentioned this project to have responded with a resounding "NO". We don't want this project in our Horse Heaven Hills!

I want to also confirm my support to Tri-Cities CARES in their efforts to move this project out of our area!

Thank you, James Money & Debra Money Kennewick, WA



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From:	Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC)
То:	B.E. Beldin
Cc:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	RE: Horse Heaven Wind Project
Date:	Thursday, June 8, 2023 10:36:35 AM

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Kind regards, EFSEC

From: B.E. Beldin <grandflic@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 6, 2023 1:05 PM
To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: Horse Heaven Wind Project

External Email

I'm a homeowner in the Tri-Cities area (Richland) adjacent to the area under consideration for installation of a combination wind turbine and solar energy project. I strongly object to its siting in the proposed areas surrounding the Tri-Cities for the following reasons:

1. First and foremost these technologies will not provide energy beneficial to the Tri-Cities area.

2. Construction will create traffic in rural areas on roadways not designed for heavy equipment or high volume traffic, and will increase already unacceptable levels of traffic congestion on local roadways, feeder roads, and main arteries.

3. The components of the wind turbines are not recyclable and thereby violate the "green energy" concept.

4. The components of the wind turbines require chemical lubricants that will leak and contaminate the surrounding soil.

5. The wind turbines are unsightly; they ruin the beautiful skyline/horizon, and the blinking red lights are distractive.

6. The wind turbines are noisy, which will significantly impact adjacent residential areas.

7. The wind turbines are dangerous to birds.

Bernard E. Beldin 469 Winesap Court, Richland, WA Thank you for contacting the **Washington Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council (EFSEC)**, if you are attempting to provide comments or input on an energy project this is the incorrect email address. To ensure your comment is received and added to the appropriate **EFSEC** project record, please send your comments to <u>comments@efsec.wa.gov</u>.

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From: Pat Hollick <pat@sunsetgardenstricities.com>
Sent: Tuesday, June 6, 2023 1:41 PM
To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov>
Subject: Tri-Cities Cares

External Email

Hello,

Concerning Tri-Cities Cares group, I think they're doing a wonderful job protecting this community as they properly vet and defend the Horse Heaven Hills against the harmful wind project that has been proposed.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

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Patrick C. Hollick

General Manager

P: 509-943-0803| E: pat@sunsetgardenstricities.com Facebook | Instagram | Blog

My office hours are Mon-Fri from 8:00am to 5:00pm if you have an urgent message after these hours please contact the main number to the office 509-943-0803 or the main email address at <u>info@sunsetgardenstricities.com</u>

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From:	Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC)
То:	Mikey Salisbury
Cc:	EFSEC mi Comments
Subject:	RE: Tricities Care
Date:	Thursday, June 8, 2023 10:37:19 AM

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-----Original Message-----From: Mikey Salisbury <csiderfan2@gmail.com> Sent: Tuesday, June 6, 2023 1:45 PM To: Bumpus, Sonia (EFSEC) <sonia.bumpus@efsec.wa.gov> Subject: Tricities Care

External Email

I am proud to be represented by Tricities Care in regards to the horrible Horse Heaven wind project. Wind and solar represent less than 1% of the total supply in our area. It is not a constant source of electricity and is an environmental nightmare. Plus the windmills destroy the landscape. Between hydroelectric and nuclear at over 80% of the total supply in our area with no CO2 emissions how could you even consider installing inefficient windmills and solar panels. We are truly blessed to have hydro and nuclear. Install these eyesores in Seattle and Portland not in our backyard.

Mike