

Respondent No: 301

Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 17, 2023 12:45:46 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 17, 2023 12:45:46 pm

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Q1. First and last name	not answered
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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Hello, My family and I are residents of the Badger Canyon area in Benton City, Washington. We moved to this area for its natural beauty and the breath taking views of the Horse Heaven Hills. There are also many wonderful bird species in this area. Wind Turbines are not a natural part of any environment. If the proposed wind turbines are built across the Horse Heaven Hills, what was once a beautiful natural landscape, will turn into an industrial eyesore. Not to mention the animal impact. It has been proven that in its lifetime, a single wind turbine can kill hundreds of birds and bats. Not just local birds, but also migrating birds. If rural communities are to preserve the natural aesthetics of an area, and preserve bird and bat populations to keep the environment in balance, wind turbines must not be built. If wind turbines must be built, they should be built away from human populations, to preserve the natural ecology of those areas as much as possible. Imagine if 500' tall oil drilling rigs were to be built in this location. It would be obscene. Why then would any energy corporation push 500' tall wind turbines on a local community? We love our environment as much as anyone, and desire more green energy. But green energy must not come at such a cost to any community. We hope you can take these comments into consideration. Please reach out to me if you would like a longer statement, or a public reading of the statement. Respectfully, Grant Nelson grant250@live.com 425-890-1144

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 302 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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Responded At: Jan 17, 2023 14:50:13 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 17, 2023 14:50:13 pm

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Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No
Q4. Share any comment I support the development of the Horse Heaven Clear whenever feasible to address climate change	an Energy project. We need to develop non-carbon sources of energy
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Q8. What is the title of your video? not answered



Respondent No: 303 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I am opposed to the Horse Heaven Hills Wind Turbine Project. I believe it will have a negative impact on birds, ground wildlife, and human residents in the area. I also have concerns about the impact that getting the raw materials necessary for the batteries and the construction of the turbines themselves will have in other parts of the world. Also, there is no good plan in place for how to deal with turbines and batteries years later after they are useless.

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 304 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

We need a hearing A other complaint is they have not done adverse testing on each proposed wind turbine, they have not even given exact location of each turbine. We need testing as to the affects on people health, noise and dust studies or killing wild birds, animals and environment! Lights, noise, dust and killing protected animals! Birds antelope breeding grounds. Latest is the deaths of Whales off the east coast! No noise studies were done to protect the whales, birds or people. Here it is not only flashing lights increased, land temperature, pollution of the land as each unit requires 80 gallons of oil to be changed out every 3 months that is known to leak into the soil, massive water needs in a dessert. The fact that the fiberglass blades are not recyclable and massive blades have to be buried in landfills. Each unit only lasts 20 yrs and costs almost 1 million dollars to replace. New infrastructure has to be laid to transport this massively expensive power to where it is needed. This is all charged to the taxpayer either federal or local! --

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Respondent No: 305 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 17, 2023 15:33:53 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 17, 2023 15:33:53 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No
Q4. Share any comment Please support clean energy projects in Washington. T	hank you!
Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 306 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 17, 2023 23:38:00 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 17, 2023 23:38:00 pm

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Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I support the completion of this project and find, with maybe two or three exceptions, the arguments against this project to be irrelevant. Most of the proponents of these arguments see this project as a threat to their current and future significant financial profits. So they have formed organizations with names that hide their greed in order to lobby against this project.

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 307 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 09:13:55 am **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 09:13:55 am

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Q1. First and last name	not answered
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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I am submitting my comments in regard to the Visual Aspects, Light and Glare mitigation measures in the DEIS. VIS-1 states to relocate turbines located within the foreground distance zone (0 to 0.5 miles) of non-participating residences to avoid completely dominating views from these highly sensitive viewing locations. Comment: I would like an analysis performed of the possibility of locating the project further south in unincorporated Benton County beyond the current southern border of the project to eliminate all potential for the turbines to be viewable by all non-participating residences. SF-1 Needs further definition of some of the terms used. Specify the attempts made by the applicant to avoid...flicker at nearby residences. Also, define what would constitute "last resort" for the wind turbines to be stopped to avoid perceptible shadow flicker. SF-2 Needs clarification of what actions will be taken to address the complaints/concerns received on the Hot Line. Also, the line of communication should be available for at least one year following the erection of each turbine. LIG-1 Should require the installation of lights atop the turbines that only blink when aircraft approach and not constantly. N-2 Should define daytime hours to between 7 a.m. and 8 p.m. versus 10 p.m. and the loudest activities to Monday through Friday versus Saturday. N-3 Should monitor noise during nighttime to starting at 8 p.m. versus 10 p.m. Thank you.

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Respondent No: 308 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

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The proposed Wind Turbine project will have a major impact on our communities. It appears to be larger than Kennewick, Pasco, Richland, West Richland and Benton City. This will have a major negative impact on our cities. The development will over ride the scenic beauty of our area, and will threaten various species that live in the area.

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Respondent No: 309 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I am concerned with the long lasting impact on our views which will be impacted by the massive wind turbines to be placed adjacent to our cities. The attached demonstrates what the view from Southridge in Kennewick.

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Respondent No: 310 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

The proposed horse heaven wind farm project will devastate the view shed of the entire TriCities area as well as have major impacts to wildlife. The EIS is a masterful tome that no one will, or can read without being paid to so. The only real benefit of this EIS was to employ dozens of people for a couple of years to cut and past a bunch of boilerplate B.S. I know. I used to be one of them. They do a fine job of admitting there will be lasting impacts to wildlife and plant communities. I've worked in the field of habitat restoration and can tell you it is impossible to restore native plant communities in our desert environment. You can try to plant a half dozen or so species but you can never restore a complete native community. There are no seeds available for 90% of the grasses and forbs that live on those ridge tops. As for impacts to wildlife, they try to say impacts will be minimal and no more impacting than another wind farm east of the TriCities. They don't mention the cumulative effects of all these wind farms. This wind farm is in the main fly way for sand hill cranes and all waterfowl flying between the Umatilla wildlife refuge and the Columbia river in the TriCities, and the Columbia basin. It will have major impacts to the migratory silver hair and hoary bats, whose populations are already in decline. There are some mitigation measures that can be employed to reduce impacts to bats, such as curtailing operations when the wind is less than 6 mph. I did not find any mention of this in the Tome. If allowed to go forth, this should be a required minimum mitigation measure. Most greedy wind farm projects don't employ any bat mitigation measures because it might cost them a nickel or two. There will also be impacts to all the local raptors. This is one of the last places in the state that has ferruginous hawks. These people claim there will be minimal impact. If you take out the last one, that is not minimal impact. What are you going to say when some of these species become extinct? Sorry about that? That doesn't cut it! Finally, the impact to the viewshed of the TriCities will be monumental, as admitted in the tome. If this project was proposed for the west side of the state within the viewshed of 200,000 people it would never get off the ground. Please do not allow this project to go forward.

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Respondent No: 311

Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I have lived around windmill power generating farms and Solar stations for fifty years in California and Washington. I have an Engineering background and have noticed that the windmills are both detrimental to the enviornment and to the animals and people who live in the project areas. The migratory patterns have been changed due to the wind farm near Finley, WA. After talking with people at WFWL they have produced documents outlining the damage done to endangered animals. My house looks right down HW395 and all that I will see is the large ugly turbines and the flashing red lights. These turbines are the most uneconomical pieces of equipment as they are jigh maintenance and are a contaminater of the soil and only operate about 30 percent of the time. In our area we don't need additioal power as we have excess nuclear and hydro power. The ugly wind farm willruin the scrub step which has been protected at the Hanford Site. There will be soil. Contamination and dust storms and occasional dust storms that will cause health problems for those who live in the shadow of the project area. And on a foggy dusty or snowy day, an airliner will eventully hit one of these high windmills I am apposed to the wind / solar project and wish the government would take out all the wind farms that have been built in the columbia river gorge.

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 312

Login: ggraves13

Email: gayle.graves@gmail.com

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 13:41:42 pm

Jan 18, 2023 21:16:10 pm

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Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

he project is driven by political agendas without scientific data to support this project. It is detrimental to the shrub steppe, federally and state protected birds, it will raise local temperatures by 4 degrees annually (per Harvard and other studies world wide) effecting our food supply nationally and locally, Tricitiy agriculture and economically and it will effect the local wine economy. Our federal tax dollars will be sent to overseas investors where in their own countries are dismantling existing turbine farms or banning them all together because of the environmental devastation and no-energy benefit. The buyers of the tax credits will benefit corporately at the tax payers cost. The setting is in the middle of the Pacific Flyway with studies supporting the devastation of our own and global bird population. The Lewis and Clark Trail, federally protected, will be negatively impacted. The dry wheat land during construction will create another "down winder" effect on the local population by stirring up the herbicides and pesticides used in dry farming. On the scientific and transparent communication side the information provided has been not forthcoming on the data, the time lines, the public communication. Example Scout Energy has not provided an "accurate map" of the turbines implementation. Just a map with with turbines planted here and there. Over 100,000 of our Tricity population from Kiona Benton City, Badger Canyon, Kennewick and Finley live within 6 miles of the wind farm. The largest and closest to people effecting their health during construction and after implementation. Regarding employment this is a beginning and end project with out of state employees that are transient going from one job to another. Leaving a few maintenance people rotating in and out of territories assigned them. This has been misleading information regarding employment in our Tricity area. In conclusion this is a tax subsidy inspired project that will devastate the wild life in our area, raise temperatures that will demolish our contribution to our nations food supply and ruin our local economy. It will raise pricies on food and energy. Not create energy or jobs. And commit an unmentionable blow to the environment and wild life locally and globally. I have submitted an on-line petition of 1, 126 (as of this date 1/18) from local and international people that support local control of their environment and are against the devastation of turbine wind farms and against this specific project. I will be mailing the document as well.

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Respondent No: 313 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Q8. What is the title of your video?

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Q2. Email address	not answered	
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No	
Q4. Share any comment The dramatic negative effect on the existing sweeping desert views needs to be taken into acount.		
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Respondent No: 314

Login: Kathy Dechter

Email: ktdechter@gmail.com

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 14:39:32 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 22:36:25 pm

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Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I am writing to protest Scout Energies' building a plethora of wind turbines along the Horse Heaven Hills. Of course they will be unsightly (read ugly—ala HG Wells' science fiction novels). Far worse, they will pose a potential deathtrap to our wildlife, especially birds. The only entity who will benefit is Scout Energy. Do NOT let this happen! Kathy Dechter

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Email: n/a

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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Laura Smith, 300 E. Whidbey Ave., Apt. A3, Oak Harbor, WA 98277 I am writing to express my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center and the role it will play in helping Washington achieve the ambitious decarbonization goals we set for ourselves with the passage of the Clean Energy Transformation Act (CETA) in 2019. I believe strongly in impact mitigation and value EFSEC's process, but know that Washington's ability to realize a carbon-free future will depend on permitting large-scale clean energy projects in a timely manner just like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. This is a good project with appropriately identified mitigation measures, and backed by an experienced team that will produce up to 1,150 MW of renewable energy through a combination of wind, solar, and battery storage technology. With the passage of CETA, Washington established itself as a leader in the fight to curb global emissions. The state now has a responsibility to ensure the clean energy transition can be achieved in the necessary timeframe to facilitate fossil plant retirement, and in doing we can set an example for the rest of the nation to follow. Thank you for your consideration.

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Respondent No: 316 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Shawn Torrence, 28563A hwy 97 okanogan wa, 98840 I am writing to express my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center and the role it will play in helping Washington achieve the ambitious decarbonization goals we set for ourselves with the passage of the Clean Energy Transformation Act (CETA) in 2019. I believe strongly in impact mitigation and value EFSEC's process, but know that Washington's ability to realize a carbon-free future will depend on permitting large-scale clean energy projects in a timely manner just like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. This is a good project with appropriately identified mitigation measures, and backed by an experienced team that will produce up to 1,150 MW of renewable energy through a combination of wind, solar, and battery storage technology. With the passage of CETA, Washington established itself as a leader in the fight to curb global emissions. The state now has a responsibility to ensure the clean energy transition can be achieved in the necessary timeframe to facilitate fossil plant retirement, and in doing we can set an example for the rest of the nation to follow. Thank you for your consideration.

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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

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Loralie Welch, 1008 E Walton Ave, 99207 I am writing to express my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center and the role it will play in helping Washington achieve the ambitious decarbonization goals we set for ourselves with the passage of the Clean Energy Transformation Act (CETA) in 2019. I believe strongly in impact mitigation and value EFSEC's process, but know that Washington's ability to realize a carbon-free future will depend on permitting large-scale clean energy projects in a timely manner just like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. This is a good project with appropriately identified mitigation measures, and backed by an experienced team that will produce up to 1,150 MW of renewable energy through a combination of wind, solar, and battery storage technology. With the passage of CETA, Washington established itself as a leader in the fight to curb global emissions. The state now has a responsibility to ensure the clean energy transition can be achieved in the necessary timeframe to facilitate fossil plant retirement, and in doing we can set an example for the rest of the nation to follow. Thank you for your consideration.

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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

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Susan Haywood, 1311 S 54th St, 98408 I support the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center because I support a greener and cleaner future for Washington State. A large-scale clean energy project like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will help Washington reach a carbon-free future and even position our state as a leader for renewable energy. By greenlighting projects like this, Washington can be a change leader, both regionally and nationally, with home-grown power supply solutions. This project will not just help the state as a whole – it will also benefit the local economy by providing over 900 construction jobs and 56 full-time jobs, while generating tax revenue to support public services for the Tri-Cities community. I write you to express my wholehearted support for this project because the benefits, locally and globally, are what we need to sustain a greener future. The state has a responsibility to foster positive environmental impacts, and the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center can be a key step to making a real difference for the climate. Thank you for considering a greener, cleaner future.

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Respondent No: 319
Login: Anonymous

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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

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Roger McMullan, 77 s Washington st, 98104 I am writing to express my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center because I believe that it would be a strong and reliable source of renewable power for Washington State. With the passage of the Clean Energy Transformation Act (CETA) in 2019, Washington has made a commitment to reach a 100% clean electricity supply. Projects like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center that boast wind, solar, and battery storage capabilities will be necessary investments to reach those CETA goals. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will help Washington set an example for the rest of the nation to follow. Washington residents know that our summers are getting progressively hotter, extreme weather events are becoming more common, and forest fires are creeping into the fall months. Many dismiss this change as 'the new normal'. But this is far from Washington's normal. We must take proactive steps to protect this remarkable place we call home. Washington needs a large-scale clean energy resource to promote a greener future and head off the disastrous effects of climate change. I strongly value the ability to voice my support for these important projects, and I ask you to please consider my comment in making your decision.

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Email: n/a

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Lonnie Quitter, 24170 NE ST RT 3, apt 1, 98528 I am writing to express my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center because I believe that it would be a strong and reliable source of renewable power for Washington State. With the passage of the Clean Energy Transformation Act (CETA) in 2019, Washington has made a commitment to reach a 100% clean electricity supply. Projects like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center that boast wind, solar, and battery storage capabilities will be necessary investments to reach those CETA goals. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will help Washington set an example for the rest of the nation to follow. Washington residents know that our summers are getting progressively hotter, extreme weather events are becoming more common, and forest fires are creeping into the fall months. Many dismiss this change as 'the new normal'. But this is far from Washington's normal. We must take proactive steps to protect this remarkable place we call home. Washington needs a large-scale clean energy resource to promote a greener future and head off the disastrous effects of climate change. I strongly value the ability to voice my support for these important projects, and I ask you to please consider my comment in making your decision.

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Respondent No: 321 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

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Kelly LaCombe, 212 west street, 98826 This letter is to inform EFSEC of my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. This project would play a key role in helping us meet our state's goal to diminish our reliance on fossil fuels and make a transition to renewable, carbon-free energy. Washington is home to some of the country's leading solar, wind, and hydroelectric facilities. And we should not stop there—I strongly believe this project will act as a pivotal step to achieve our aggressive carbon reduction targets by expanding our clean energy production. Washington has taken an important step forward in the fight against greenhouse gas emissions by passing the Clean Energy Transformation Act. But the challenge ahead is significant. To achieve the objective of phasing out coal-fired power plants, it is our responsibility to respond to the urgency of the climate crisis in the short time we have left. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center project can help Washington secure a greener future. I appreciate the opportunity to share my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center.

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Respondent No: 322 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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Alisa Prinos, 1510 5th place Kirkland, WA, 98033 This letter is to inform EFSEC of my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. This project would play a key role in helping us meet our state's goal to diminish our reliance on fossil fuels and make a transition to renewable, carbon-free energy. Washington is home to some of the country's leading solar, wind, and hydroelectric facilities. And we should not stop there—I strongly believe this project will act as a pivotal step to achieve our aggressive carbon reduction targets by expanding our clean energy production. Washington has taken an important step forward in the fight against greenhouse gas emissions by passing the Clean Energy Transformation Act. But the challenge ahead is significant. To achieve the objective of phasing out coal-fired power plants, it is our responsibility to respond to the urgency of the climate crisis in the short time we have left. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center project can help Washington secure a greener future. I appreciate the opportunity to share my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center.

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Respondent No: 323 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 17:03:42 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 17:03:42 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Susie May, 22023 se wax rd - 0757, 98038 This letter is to inform EFSEC of my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. This project would play a key role in helping us meet our state's goal to diminish our reliance on fossil fuels and make a transition to renewable, carbon-free energy. Washington is home to some of the country's leading solar, wind, and hydroelectric facilities. And we should not stop there—I strongly believe this project will act as a pivotal step to achieve our aggressive carbon reduction targets by expanding our clean energy production. Washington has taken an important step forward in the fight against greenhouse gas emissions by passing the Clean Energy Transformation Act. But the challenge ahead is significant. To achieve the objective of phasing out coal-fired power plants, it is our responsibility to respond to the urgency of the climate crisis in the short time we have left. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center project can help Washington secure a greener future. I appreciate the opportunity to share my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center.

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Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 324 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 17:10:07 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 17:10:07 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

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Kalena Horie, 206 S Tweedt Street, 99336 This letter is to inform EFSEC of my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. This project would play a key role in helping us meet our state's goal to diminish our reliance on fossil fuels and make a transition to renewable, carbon-free energy. Washington is home to some of the country's leading solar, wind, and hydroelectric facilities. And we should not stop there—I strongly believe this project will act as a pivotal step to achieve our aggressive carbon reduction targets by expanding our clean energy production. Washington has taken an important step forward in the fight against greenhouse gas emissions by passing the Clean Energy Transformation Act. But the challenge ahead is significant. To achieve the objective of phasing out coal-fired power plants, it is our responsibility to respond to the urgency of the climate crisis in the short time we have left. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center project can help Washington secure a greener future. I appreciate the opportunity to share my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center.

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 325 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 18:22:54 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 18:22:54 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No
Q4. Share any comment I am against the project. The skyline vista will be destro	yed by the installation of the wind machines. Birds will also be killed.
Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 326 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 19:20:50 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 19:20:50 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

John Toppenberg, 143 Manzanita Dr, 98382 This letter is to inform EFSEC of my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. This project would play a key role in helping us meet our state's goal to diminish our reliance on fossil fuels and make a transition to renewable, carbon-free energy. Washington is home to some of the country's leading solar, wind, and hydroelectric facilities. And we should not stop there—I strongly believe this project will act as a pivotal step to achieve our aggressive carbon reduction targets by expanding our clean energy production. Washington has taken an important step forward in the fight against greenhouse gas emissions by passing the Clean Energy Transformation Act. But the challenge ahead is significant. To achieve the objective of phasing out coal-fired power plants, it is our responsibility to respond to the urgency of the climate crisis in the short time we have left. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center project can help Washington secure a greener future. I appreciate the opportunity to share my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center.

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 327

Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 19:23:00 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 19:23:00 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Peggy Maldonado-Overstreet, 504 NW 150th Circle, 98685 This letter is to inform EFSEC of my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. This project would play a key role in helping us meet our state's goal to diminish our reliance on fossil fuels and make a transition to renewable, carbon-free energy. Washington is home to some of the country's leading solar, wind, and hydroelectric facilities. And we should not stop there—I strongly believe this project will act as a pivotal step to achieve our aggressive carbon reduction targets by expanding our clean energy production. Washington has taken an important step forward in the fight against greenhouse gas emissions by passing the Clean Energy Transformation Act. But the challenge ahead is significant. To achieve the objective of phasing out coal-fired power plants, it is our responsibility to respond to the urgency of the climate crisis in the short time we have left. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center project can help Washington secure a greener future. I appreciate the opportunity to share my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center.

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Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 328 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 19:23:58 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 19:23:58 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Michaela Baker, 22806 NE 64th Street, 98053 This letter is to inform EFSEC of my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. This project would play a key role in helping us meet our state's goal to diminish our reliance on fossil fuels and make a transition to renewable, carbon-free energy. Washington is home to some of the country's leading solar, wind, and hydroelectric facilities. And we should not stop there—I strongly believe this project will act as a pivotal step to achieve our aggressive carbon reduction targets by expanding our clean energy production. Washington has taken an important step forward in the fight against greenhouse gas emissions by passing the Clean Energy Transformation Act. But the challenge ahead is significant. To achieve the objective of phasing out coal-fired power plants, it is our responsibility to respond to the urgency of the climate crisis in the short time we have left. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center project can help Washington secure a greener future. I appreciate the opportunity to share my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center.

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 329

Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 19:24:58 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 19:24:58 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Elizabeth Chaiyachit, 3059 Island Crest way Apt 12, 98040 I am pleased to submit this letter to share my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. The climate crisis is the defining challenge of our time, and it is imperative that we take action to mitigate its impacts. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center would be a crucial step in that direction. If approved, the project will help Washington meet its goals for reducing greenhouse gas emissions and move closer to becoming a carbon-neutral state by 2045. By investing in these large-scale clean energy projects, we can ensure that we meet the increasing energy demands in Washington with renewable sources. This project will have a combination of wind, solar, and battery storage components that will provide long-term energy viability. In addition to reducing carbon emissions, the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will also create jobs. The project is estimated to create over 900 construction jobs and 56 full-time jobs once operational. These are good-paying jobs that will have a positive economic impact on the communities in the Tri-Cities region. Once the project is completed, it will also generate millions in public revenue that could fund public safety and education. Washington has a responsibility to do its part by setting an aggressive timeline for retiring fossil fuel-powered plants, as well as permitting replacement power resources in a timely manner. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will deliver substantial job growth and local economic development while reducing our state's reliance on fossil fuels and set us on a path to a cleaner, healthier future for all. I encourage you to consider these comments. Thank you for your time.

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 330 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 19:25:55 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 19:25:55 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

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Donna Duffey, 3112 ne 18th st, renton wa, 98056 I am pleased to submit this letter to share my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. The climate crisis is the defining challenge of our time, and it is imperative that we take action to mitigate its impacts. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center would be a crucial step in that direction. If approved, the project will help Washington meet its goals for reducing greenhouse gas emissions and move closer to becoming a carbon-neutral state by 2045. By investing in these large-scale clean energy projects, we can ensure that we meet the increasing energy demands in Washington with renewable sources. This project will have a combination of wind, solar, and battery storage components that will provide long-term energy viability. In addition to reducing carbon emissions, the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will also create jobs. The project is estimated to create over 900 construction jobs and 56 full-time jobs once operational. These are good-paying jobs that will have a positive economic impact on the communities in the Tri-Cities region. Once the project is completed, it will also generate millions in public revenue that could fund public safety and education. Washington has a responsibility to do its part by setting an aggressive timeline for retiring fossil fuel-powered plants, as well as permitting replacement power resources in a timely manner. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will deliver substantial job growth and local economic development while reducing our state's reliance on fossil fuels and set us on a path to a cleaner, healthier future for all. I encourage you to consider these comments. Thank you for your time.

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Respondent No: 331 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 19:26:54 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 19:26:54 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Karen Ramey, 906 South 27 Avenue, 98902 I am writing to express my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center and the role it will play in helping Washington achieve the ambitious decarbonization goals we set for ourselves with the passage of the Clean Energy Transformation Act (CETA) in 2019. I believe strongly in impact mitigation and value EFSEC's process, but know that Washington's ability to realize a carbon-free future will depend on permitting large-scale clean energy projects in a timely manner just like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. This is a good project with appropriately identified mitigation measures, and backed by an experienced team that will produce up to 1,150 MW of renewable energy through a combination of wind, solar, and battery storage technology. With the passage of CETA, Washington established itself as a leader in the fight to curb global emissions. The state now has a responsibility to ensure the clean energy transition can be achieved in the necessary timeframe to facilitate fossil plant retirement, and in doing we can set an example for the rest of the nation to follow. Thank you for your consideration.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 332 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 19:28:01 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 19:28:01 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Margie Jensen, 825 196 th st NW, 98223 I support the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center because I support a greener and cleaner future for Washington State. A large-scale clean energy project like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will help Washington reach a carbon-free future and even position our state as a leader for renewable energy. By greenlighting projects like this, Washington can be a change leader, both regionally and nationally, with home-grown power supply solutions. This project will not just help the state as a whole – it will also benefit the local economy by providing over 900 construction jobs and 56 full-time jobs, while generating tax revenue to support public services for the Tri-Cities community. I write you to express my wholehearted support for this project because the benefits, locally and globally, are what we need to sustain a greener future. The state has a responsibility to foster positive environmental impacts, and the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center can be a key step to making a real difference for the climate. Thank you for considering a greener, cleaner future.

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Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 333 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 19:29:01 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 19:29:01 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

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Angela Helvey, 321 NE Fairgrounds Rd D-202, 98311 I support the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center because I support a greener and cleaner future for Washington State. A large-scale clean energy project like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will help Washington reach a carbon-free future and even position our state as a leader for renewable energy. By greenlighting projects like this, Washington can be a change leader, both regionally and nationally, with home-grown power supply solutions. This project will not just help the state as a whole – it will also benefit the local economy by providing over 900 construction jobs and 56 full-time jobs, while generating tax revenue to support public services for the Tri-Cities community. I write you to express my wholehearted support for this project because the benefits, locally and globally, are what we need to sustain a greener future. The state has a responsibility to foster positive environmental impacts, and the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center can be a key step to making a real difference for the climate. Thank you for considering a greener, cleaner future.

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Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 334 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 19:29:49 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 19:29:49 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Debora Varner, 2900 H street #36, 98671 I support the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center because I support a greener and cleaner future for Washington State. A large-scale clean energy project like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will help Washington reach a carbon-free future and even position our state as a leader for renewable energy. By greenlighting projects like this, Washington can be a change leader, both regionally and nationally, with home-grown power supply solutions. This project will not just help the state as a whole – it will also benefit the local economy by providing over 900 construction jobs and 56 full-time jobs, while generating tax revenue to support public services for the Tri-Cities community. I write you to express my wholehearted support for this project because the benefits, locally and globally, are what we need to sustain a greener future. The state has a responsibility to foster positive environmental impacts, and the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center can be a key step to making a real difference for the climate. Thank you for considering a greener, cleaner future.

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 335 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 19:31:13 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 18, 2023 19:31:13 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Sandra Robison, 1407 Thayer Dr, 99354 I am writing to express my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center because I believe that it would be a strong and reliable source of renewable power for Washington State. With the passage of the Clean Energy Transformation Act (CETA) in 2019, Washington has made a commitment to reach a 100% clean electricity supply. Projects like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center that boast wind, solar, and battery storage capabilities will be necessary investments to reach those CETA goals. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will help Washington set an example for the rest of the nation to follow. Washington residents know that our summers are getting progressively hotter, extreme weather events are becoming more common, and forest fires are creeping into the fall months. Many dismiss this change as 'the new normal'. But this is far from Washington's normal. We must take proactive steps to protect this remarkable place we call home. Washington needs a large-scale clean energy resource to promote a greener future and head off the disastrous effects of climate change. I strongly value the ability to voice my support for these important projects, and I ask you to please consider my comment in making your decision.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 336

Login: BethG

Email: gibsonb74@yahoo.com

Responded At: Jan 18, 2023 21:50:39 pm

Last Seen: Jan 19, 2023 05:43:15 am

IP Address: 47.6.246.131

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I support the project though I think it should be built further south. I am not concerned about the view. I am concerned that if they are too close to town it will retard the growth of our city (Kennewick). No one will want to build beneath them or in any close vicinity. We're hemmed in by the Columbia River to the north and these windmills would block off all other directions. Rethink the location.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 337 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 19, 2023 10:08:40 am **Last Seen:** Jan 19, 2023 10:08:40 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Please don't allow this wind farm to be created so close to our beautiful Tri Cities. Among other reasons, they are unsightly and ruin our beautiful view from our homes and places we recreate. They will harm our unique tourism industry based on the unspoiled beauty and serenity of our local lands. They represent a fire danger to our homes and in light of current global climate change and worsening wild fires, it would be unwise to increase our local fire danger in any way. They are noisy. They are a shameful insult to the historic Native American cultural and sacred lands. They mar our ability to enjoy our view of the ice age flood landscape which is a geological wonder bringing people from all over the world to see. This treasure is so rare in the world, and as stewards of our land it is morally reprehensible to not protect it. We already have hydroelectric dams that produce enough energy to supply our needs as well as others on the northwest who buy our electricity. Our local community will see very little profit from jobs, but will be paying the ultimate costs losing so much. Please don't build them on our beautiful Horse Heaven Hills. Elinor Woehler

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Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 338 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 19, 2023 10:30:45 am **Last Seen:** Jan 19, 2023 10:30:45 am

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	Yes (please specify) IUOE LOCAL 302 District 5 Kennewick WA
Q4. Share any comment Please see document.	
Q5. Upload your document (optional)	https://s3-us-west-1.amazonaws.com/ehq-production-us-california/32125a76dcb19a3eee36e9a6ec44c5a8828bb67d/original /1674152226/62681c49a6f465d988e990131e88e075_EFSEC_POLL_23.pdf?1674152226
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 339 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 19, 2023 11:14:05 am **Last Seen:** Jan 19, 2023 11:14:05 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Our Climate plan needs to be aggressive. The timeline of 2045 that has been set, must be a Stretch Goal if we are to be successful with ensuring that the climate crisis has been put into remission. The 2045 goal is greater than a decade, and more than what has been recommended (2030) by science. Based on business best practices statistics, the 2045 goal is likely to be missed. If you want to meet the science based recommended deadline of 2030, a stretch goal should replace the goal of 2045. The fact that we have already lost 3 years getting started, and the fact that our goal of 2045 is likely to be missed, we should set a stretch goal of 2035. Further, to achieve the goal of 2035, this project must be properly funded and staffed. Do we have adequate and qualified staff?

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 340 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 19, 2023 11:59:53 am **Last Seen:** Jan 19, 2023 11:59:53 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

We don't need 244 turbines that will screw up our beautiful scenic views. That's why we live here, the little bit of power that is produced doesn't off set all the negatives. It will effect all of us in the tri-cities, every where we go we will have to look at this gross display of ugliness. I traveled the gorge last week and 2/3 of windmills weren't even working. When these things are broken we can't even dispose of them. They are an environmental hazard to us, the birds and the animals. All this project will do is make a few rich ,while the rest of us suffer for years the aftermath of what this will do to our area. How this can even be considered is beyond me. I was born here, stayed here because of our rivers and clean air and our panoramic views. Don't be fooled by unwarranted promises such as jobs. This is baloney. I've watched over the years projects like this that do nothing to benefit the majority only a few. How disgusting when we travel our state and all we can see is ugly windmills every where we go. We can produce power thru single power plants and even under ground that are far superior than these dinosaur projects. Please stop this. I'm getting to old to relocate but I will to get away from such devastation to our Tri-cities and all the ares for miles it will effect.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 341

Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Q8. What is the title of your video?

Responded At: Jan 19, 2023 13:25:26 pm

Last Seen: Jan 19, 2023 13:25:26 pm

IP Address: n/a

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Q4. Share any comment there should not let this happy to our area. they do not know how to dispose of them.	

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No

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Respondent No: 342 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 19, 2023 14:45:02 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 19, 2023 14:45:02 pm

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No
Q4. Share any comment not answered	
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Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 343 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 19, 2023 17:56:50 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 19, 2023 17:56:50 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

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"iT CERTAINY SOUNDS LIKE SOMETHING WASHINGTON STATE CAN GO FORWARD WITH TO PROTECT OUR ENVIRONMENT BY Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center being the biggest carbon-free, renewable energy project in our state's history. As dirty, polluting fossil fuel plants across the Pacific Northwest are retired in coming decades, it will be up to projects like Horse Heaven to bridge the gap in our energy needs. Through a combination of solar, wind, and battery storage, HHCEC can ensure Washington residents continue to enjoy clean and water without having to sacrifice their health or the environment for reliable energy."

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 344

Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 20, 2023 07:04:07 am **Last Seen:** Jan 20, 2023 07:04:07 am

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No
Q4. Share any comment I think Horse Heaven is great. Wish they sold stock I could invest in.	
Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 345 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 20, 2023 10:49:51 am **Last Seen:** Jan 20, 2023 10:49:51 am

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	Yes (please specify) City of Kennewick
Q4. Share any comment not answered	
Q5. Upload your document (optional)	https://s3-us-west-1.amazonaws.com/ehq-production-us-california/0d21df19b6787183694c79f06d9e9cbe963c49c5/original/1674240587/9d74f27a6fdd5d9104cf660eafc7aa02_Letter_to_EFSEC_Draft_EIS.pdf?1674240587
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 346 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 20, 2023 11:11:48 am **Last Seen:** Jan 20, 2023 11:11:48 am

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No
Q4. Share any comment not answered	
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Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 347

Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 20, 2023 13:35:38 pm Last Seen: Jan 20, 2023 13:35:38 pm

IP Address:

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Data Request 2 Response 2 Attachment Wildlife states: "The issue of climate change has been cited as an additional threat to ferruginous hawk survival (Hayes and Watson 2020, Ng 2020). While predicting how climate change will affect ferruginous hawk is uncertain, the reduction in fossil fuel use and purpose of the HHCEC is one measure that can be taken to assist in the effects of climate change." Data Request 2 Response 2 also reports five ferruginous hawk fatalities attributed to wind turbine collisions in the Pacific Region over a 10-year period ending in 2012. Hayes and Watson, 2020 present this clear evidence of the lethality of wind turbines to the ferruginous hawk, and yet Data Request Response 2 has only uncertain and unstated predictions implying that the survival of ferruginous hawks may be impacted by climate change, and that wind turbines will save the ferruginous hawk by preventing the climate from changing. This is absurd. It is clear (see Hayes and Watson, 2020) that wind turbines increase mortality of ferruginous hawks. If the intention of the HHCEC is to decrease the mortality of the recently up-listed ferruginous hawk, the HHCEC project should eliminate wind turbines. Has Scout Clean Energy considered divesting wind turbines which have been shown to be fatal to ferruginous hawks? It is my opinion that Scout Clean Energy should divest wind turbines and invest in ferruginous hawk nesting habitats. Ferruginous hawks are most vulnerable during nesting.

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Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	https://s3-us-west-1.amazonaws.com/ehq-production-us-california/b89673755da18be93e835cd3804f82a4867bfd25/original/1674250219/35c412d2d66d30d56b8aa394b51f7de9_increased_mortality_of_birds.jpg?1674250219
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 348 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 20, 2023 14:41:13 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 20, 2023 14:41:13 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Stephanie Marlowe, 485 Meier RD, 98596 I support the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center because I support a greener and cleaner future for Washington State. A large-scale clean energy project like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will help Washington reach a carbon-free future and even position our state as a leader for renewable energy. By greenlighting projects like this, Washington can be a change leader, both regionally and nationally, with home-grown power supply solutions. This project will not just help the state as a whole – it will also benefit the local economy by providing over 900 construction jobs and 56 full-time jobs, while generating tax revenue to support public services for the Tri-Cities community. I write you to express my wholehearted support for this project because the benefits, locally and globally, are what we need to sustain a greener future. The state has a responsibility to foster positive environmental impacts, and the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center can be a key step to making a real difference for the climate. Thank you for considering a greener, cleaner future.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 349 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 20, 2023 14:42:02 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 20, 2023 14:42:02 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Janet Loreen Martin, 1390 158th PL NE, #420, 98008 I am writing to express my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center and the role it will play in helping Washington achieve the ambitious decarbonization goals we set for ourselves with the passage of the Clean Energy Transformation Act (CETA) in 2019. I believe strongly in impact mitigation and value EFSEC's process, but know that Washington's ability to realize a carbon-free future will depend on permitting large-scale clean energy projects in a timely manner just like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. This is a good project with appropriately identified mitigation measures, and backed by an experienced team that will produce up to 1,150 MW of renewable energy through a combination of wind, solar, and battery storage technology. With the passage of CETA, Washington established itself as a leader in the fight to curb global emissions. The state now has a responsibility to ensure the clean energy transition can be achieved in the necessary timeframe to facilitate fossil plant retirement, and in doing we can set an example for the rest of the nation to follow. Thank you for your consideration.

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 350 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 20, 2023 14:42:53 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 20, 2023 14:42:53 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Peter Smith, 14021 232 ave SE, 98027 I am writing to express my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center and the role it will play in helping Washington achieve the ambitious decarbonization goals we set for ourselves with the passage of the Clean Energy Transformation Act (CETA) in 2019. I believe strongly in impact mitigation and value EFSEC's process, but know that Washington's ability to realize a carbon-free future will depend on permitting large-scale clean energy projects in a timely manner just like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. This is a good project with appropriately identified mitigation measures, and backed by an experienced team that will produce up to 1,150 MW of renewable energy through a combination of wind, solar, and battery storage technology. With the passage of CETA, Washington established itself as a leader in the fight to curb global emissions. The state now has a responsibility to ensure the clean energy transition can be achieved in the necessary timeframe to facilitate fossil plant retirement, and in doing we can set an example for the rest of the nation to follow. Thank you for your consideration.

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 351 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 20, 2023 14:44:12 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 20, 2023 14:44:12 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Lynn Robertson, 623 s. Howard st. Apt#12, 99204 I support the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center because it is a step towards the carbon-free energy future we need to combat climate change while meeting the increasing energy needs of Washingtonians. Our state can and should be a national leader on clean energy development! We passed the Clean Energy Transformation Act with the goal of removing ourselves from fossil-fuel reliance. A big part of meeting that state goal is getting new, renewable energy resources online as in time to avoid energy shortages. Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will add up to 1,100 MW of renewable energy to our grid along with battery storage to help address intermittent conditions. Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center is not the first solar or wind project that the state has greenlit, nor should it be the last. But, today, it is a critical step in the right direction for Washington to responsibly transition our remaining fossil fuel dependent energy sources to renewable energy, curbing emissions and meeting the needs of our communities. I strongly urge EFSEC to support this project and move it forward.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 352 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 20, 2023 14:46:11 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 20, 2023 14:46:11 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Mollie Greenough, 16 East 1st Ave, 99336 I support the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center because it is a step towards the carbon-free energy future we need to combat climate change while meeting the increasing energy needs of Washingtonians. Our state can and should be a national leader on clean energy development! We passed the Clean Energy Transformation Act with the goal of removing ourselves from fossil-fuel reliance. A big part of meeting that state goal is getting new, renewable energy resources online as in time to avoid energy shortages. Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will add up to 1,100 MW of renewable energy to our grid along with battery storage to help address intermittent conditions. Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center is not the first solar or wind project that the state has greenlit, nor should it be the last. But, today, it is a critical step in the right direction for Washington to responsibly transition our remaining fossil fuel dependent energy sources to renewable energy, curbing emissions and meeting the needs of our communities. I strongly urge EFSEC to support this project and move it forward.

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 353 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 20, 2023 14:46:56 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 20, 2023 14:46:56 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Erwina Peterson, 2310 W. Yakima Ave, 98902 I support the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center because it is a step towards the carbon-free energy future we need to combat climate change while meeting the increasing energy needs of Washingtonians. Our state can and should be a national leader on clean energy development! We passed the Clean Energy Transformation Act with the goal of removing ourselves from fossil-fuel reliance. A big part of meeting that state goal is getting new, renewable energy resources online as in time to avoid energy shortages. Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will add up to 1,100 MW of renewable energy to our grid along with battery storage to help address intermittent conditions. Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center is not the first solar or wind project that the state has greenlit, nor should it be the last. But, today, it is a critical step in the right direction for Washington to responsibly transition our remaining fossil fuel dependent energy sources to renewable energy, curbing emissions and meeting the needs of our communities. I strongly urge EFSEC to support this project and move it forward.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 354 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 20, 2023 14:47:42 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 20, 2023 14:47:42 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Bob Plischke Jr, P. O. Box 416, 98401 I am writing to express my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center because I believe that it would be a strong and reliable source of renewable power for Washington State. With the passage of the Clean Energy Transformation Act (CETA) in 2019, Washington has made a commitment to reach a 100% clean electricity supply. Projects like the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center that boast wind, solar, and battery storage capabilities will be necessary investments to reach those CETA goals. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center will help Washington set an example for the rest of the nation to follow. Washington residents know that our summers are getting progressively hotter, extreme weather events are becoming more common, and forest fires are creeping into the fall months. Many dismiss this change as 'the new normal'. But this is far from Washington's normal. We must take proactive steps to protect this remarkable place we call home. Washington needs a large-scale clean energy resource to promote a greener future and head off the disastrous effects of climate change. I strongly value the ability to voice my support for these important projects, and I ask you to please consider my comment in making your decision.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 355 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 20, 2023 14:48:48 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 20, 2023 14:48:48 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Scott Bridge, 9406 232nd Street SW Unit B, 98020 This letter is to inform EFSEC of my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. This project would play a key role in helping us meet our state's goal to diminish our reliance on fossil fuels and make a transition to renewable, carbon-free energy. Washington is home to some of the country's leading solar, wind, and hydroelectric facilities. And we should not stop there—I strongly believe this project will act as a pivotal step to achieve our aggressive carbon reduction targets by expanding our clean energy production. Washington has taken an important step forward in the fight against greenhouse gas emissions by passing the Clean Energy Transformation Act. But the challenge ahead is significant. To achieve the objective of phasing out coal-fired power plants, it is our responsibility to respond to the urgency of the climate crisis in the short time we have left. The Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center project can help Washington secure a greener future. I appreciate the opportunity to share my support for the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center.

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Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 356 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 20, 2023 15:23:35 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 20, 2023 15:23:35 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Without being able to read a hard copy of the EIS at my local Pasco library, I am strongly opposed to the project to install windmills, solar panels, and battery stations on the Horse Heaven Hills. I believe the project is not cost effective. Windmills are the ultimate in embedded costs and environmental destruction. Each on will weigh 1688 tons, and will contain 1300 tons of concrete, 295 tons of steel, 48 tons on iron rebar, 24 tons of fiberglass and many, many pounds of hard to get rare earths. And windmills kill protected birds. Solar panels require an extensive list of toxic chemicals to make them, and then these toxic chemicals must be safely disposed of. I believe that once the embedded and environmental costs of making windmills and solar projects and then replacing and burying them become apparent, these projects will be abandoned.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 357

Login: Pgjack01

Email: greg@tworiversterminal.co

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Responded At: Jan 20, 2023 17:25:16 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 21, 2023 01:17:54 am

IP Address: 47.6.197.166

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Not interested in the project in my back yard no clear or long term benefits to the Tri Cities. This project will destroy our views of the surrounding areas that make the Columbia basin a beautiful picturesque landscape. The loss of wildlife is also a big impact that will be destroyed. Not in my backyard!!

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 358 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 21, 2023 07:26:49 am **Last Seen:** Jan 21, 2023 07:26:49 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

We are totally against the establishment of this project. This will not only destroy the view but more importantly the environment and well being of the people nearby with constant blinking of lights and peace of the area

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 359 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 21, 2023 07:38:16 am **Last Seen:** Jan 21, 2023 07:38:16 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

We moved from Austin TX to Tri Cities not knowing about the Horse Heaven Hills Wind Farm Project. If we had known, we would have gone elsewhere (other city or state). The beautiful views and untouched nature is what drew us here. We discovered the Tri Cities area a few years ago when we visited the wineries. If we had nothing but memories of wind turbines on the horizon; we most certainly would not have returned. This area shows so much potential to grow in tourism -- but that would most certainly come to an end with nothing but wind turbines in front of them. As far as residents, we would not benefit from this project (unless you are renting your land out). This is not to mention the wildlife that call the Tri Cities their home.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 360 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 21, 2023 07:40:42 am **Last Seen:** Jan 21, 2023 07:40:42 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

This is a project which will line up money to farmers lending the land and big corporation which will export the energy out of state. We, the citizens of tri-cities, will suffer for years to come. Not only we do not need this energy as we are well served by nuclear, hydro and existing renewables, we should focus on improving the livelihood of the communities, well-being of its citizens and not big corporations driven by greed

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 361

Login: Edithanne

Email: edithanne44@gmail.com

Responded At: Jan 21, 2023 08:36:50 am

Jan 21, 2023 16:31:59 pm

IP Address: 47.6.238.115

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Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

My husband and I have lived here since 1978 and love our local views of the Horse Heaven Hills. We moved here from a very industrial area in Pittsburgh, PA. The proposed windmills would change our beautiful sage step desert views to views of an industrial wasteland. We do not support a venture in our backyard designed to solve a problem in Seattle and that we do not accept the notion that "sending energy value to our west-side neighbors is worth forfeiting the economic and environmental health of our own community."

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 362 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 21, 2023 08:38:10 am **Last Seen:** Jan 21, 2023 08:38:10 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I have lived in the Tri Cities all my life and part of the beauty here is the wide open sweeping spaces and views. These wind turbines would ruin that. No more sunsets! There'd be a huge turbine blocking the view! Tri Cities should not have to be responsible for providing energy for the west side. This is not our problem and the residents here don't want it. It should not be forced on us. Our opinions should matter much more than they seem to.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 363 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 21, 2023 08:47:42 am **Last Seen:** Jan 21, 2023 08:47:42 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I live less than a mile from House Heaven Hills in Badger Canyon. EVERY DAY I gaze at that horizon. It would BREAK MY HEART to have to look at those ungodly wind turbines, and for what??? A few cents saving in power for somebody, somewhere?

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 364

Login: Anonymous

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Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Responded At: Jan 21, 2023 09:40:35 am

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Q4. Share any comment

I am a resident of Pasco who loves this area and loves the outdoors. The Columbia Basin is a very unique ecosystem with disappearing native habitat. The sagebrush steppe habitat is home to many different native flora and fauna that are declining in numbers due to human development and disturbance. Mule deer throughout the entire western United States has been in a downward spiral. The main cause for their decline is development and destruction of their habitat. We have several species of native hawks and owls here in the Columbia Basin as well. They are also suffering from human development. There have been efforts to help them where their habitat has been threatened, such as the Army Depot just outside of Irrigon, OR. Burrowing owls are a native species that depend on an intact sagebrush steppe ecosystem to live and reproduce. The one thing that all of these different species have in common is they share the same habitat and they decline in population with human disturbance. The windmill project that is proposed through the Horse Heaven Hills will destroy native strips of wildlife habit forever. Not to mention, we do not need the beautiful views of the Horse Heaven Hills to be permanently destroyed with loud, gigantic, noisy, flashing lights. This is just just displeasing to me and most other residents. It is the reason that wildlife and plants will not have any benefit from this proposed windmill project.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 365 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 21, 2023 10:30:51 am **Last Seen:** Jan 21, 2023 10:30:51 am

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No
Q4. Share any comment not answered	
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Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 366 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 21, 2023 11:05:12 am **Last Seen:** Jan 21, 2023 11:05:12 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	Yes (please specify) Siyabonga Cattle Farm

Q4. Share any comment

I advocate that the issue be put to a ballot measure vote by the people affected. The vote should include all of the residents of Benton County, as well as the residents of Pasco in Franklin County and the residents of Burbank in Walla Walla County. Only by approval of the majority of the people affected would this impact to their life-style be allowed.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 367 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 21, 2023 18:11:57 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 21, 2023 18:11:57 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I am opposed to the Horse Heaven Hills Scout energy windfarm project. This will create asthetic pollution and will slaughter migratory birds and has a very damaging environmental footprint. There are much better more acceptable energy generation production options for our community to be considered that will be much more reliable and take up a fraction of the land mass ie nuclear. At the very least move this bad idea elsewhere. Sincerly, Vince Shawver, west Richland

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 368
Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 21, 2023 20:57:39 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 21, 2023 20:57:39 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	Yes (please specify) International Union of Operating Engineers, Local 302

Q4. Share any comment

Kathleen Drew, Chair Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council Madam Chair Drew and Council Members: Thank you for the opportunity to lend my support for and endorsement of the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Project which seeks to develop, operate and construct Horse Heaven Windfarm as a renewable energy generation facility located in unincorporated Benton County. It is my understanding the Project is consistent and incompliance with Benton County's Comprehensive Plan and applicable zoning ordinance in effect as of the date of Application. An old axiom says a successful pilot has as many landings as take-offs. Well, this project will be a successful pilot should the Council decide to take-off with it and undoubtable, it will land as a success. At this point in the process, you most certainly have received testimony on both sides of the issue, so I won't take more of your time citing statistics you presently have at hand. Rather allow me to say, if there ever was a project which checks all of the boxes needed for approval this is the project. The boxes of which I speak include community involvement, high-paying construction jobs with benefits of retirement and health care, educational opportunities, programs for careers in the renewable energy sector, advancing Washington state's broader clean energy economy and forming partnerships with the surrounding cities, counties and state entities assuring the quality of life. In the construction industry, we like to say when a project is on the books, it should not cost jobs but should not be jobs at any cost. Said in another way, honoring the environment while creating high-paying, high-skilled construction jobs are compatible. At the risk of acting as one who has been vaccinated with a phonograph needle, I respectfully ask, with leadership from you and input from the Council, to move this Project forward for all of the above reasons. Thank you in advance for your consideration, Allan B. Darr Retired Business Manager, IUOE Local 302 and International Vice President. allanbdarr@comcast.net (425) 446-0958 (Text)

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 369 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 21, 2023 23:21:20 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 21, 2023 23:21:20 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

If you have ever driven west on highway 14 towards John day dam at night and had to look at all of the flashing RED lights along the skyline it is a sickening site. It is hard to imagine those annoying RED LIGHTS constantly FlashIng across our beautiful Tri-Cities skyline. I'm sure a more isolated place could be found that would serve the same purpose.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 370 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 22, 2023 07:15:44 am **Last Seen:** Jan 22, 2023 07:15:44 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Adding all the wind turbines to the horse heaven hills would be giant eye sore for the tri-cities. Why should the tri-cities be burdened with them for other areas that need the power. Put them with the other turbines along the gorge in rural areas and not in someone's back yard

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 371 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 22, 2023 08:44:55 am **Last Seen:** Jan 22, 2023 08:44:55 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I do not support the installation of wind turbines in the house heaven holds. I believe they will have a negative impact on our local environment and economy.

Q5. Upload your document (optional)	not answered
Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	not answered
Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 372 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 22, 2023 08:54:13 am **Last Seen:** Jan 22, 2023 08:54:13 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I fully agree with the Yakama Nation's comments about this renewable energy facility. They have submitted some really valuable points and definitely they should be considered. Renewable energy is great, but the tribal rights should be considered, it is on their ancestral land after all! Thank you. Joe Wiederhold Bellingham, Wa

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 373

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Responded At: Jan 22, 2023 08:57:17 am **Last Seen:** Jan 22, 2023 16:40:40 pm

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Q1. First and last name	not answered
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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I am very familiar with the wind farms located in Sherman County, Oregon. While this is a very rural area, towers have been placed less than 1/2 mile from farmers' residences. These turbines are extremely noisy, sounding similar to a commercial aircraft waiting for take off, and thats just one turbine - imagine hearing that noise times 20 or more within the same area. They are very unattractive and have visible oil leaks. The red, blinking lights at night are disturbing, especially if located close to a residence. Many of these turbines in Sherman County, Oregon have exceeded their 20 year lifespan, and were upgraded a couple of years ago to larger blades. Where did the old blades go? I suspect there are no recyclable materials in either the tower or the blades.

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Respondent No: 374 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 22, 2023 10:22:34 am **Last Seen:** Jan 22, 2023 10:22:34 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I am opposed to the Horse Heaven wind farm project. The negative impact on the people of the Tri-Cities and its surrounding communities will be negative. It will be a blight to views and future development in the area. It is simply unfair to ask one portion of the state to shoulder this massive burden to satisfy the whims of those in Olympia. There are alternatives to generating power that do not require such monstrosities. It is simply a short sighted and selfish project. Shame on those who have let it progress this far. Sincerely Sharon Schwenk

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 375 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 22, 2023 12:11:09 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 22, 2023 12:11:09 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

This comment mainly concerns the continuously blinking red lights at night or Aircraft Detection Lighting System. HB 1173. This is a worthy bill, it begins to address, in a small practical way, the tremendous impact the new energy generating systems are having and will be having in Eastern WA. The Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council and the multiple Investment, Hedge Fund companies rarely care about the impact on our local communities. It is about money and a movement away from our low-cost current power to new sources such as wind and solar. I challenge any resident of this state to come over and view the red lights blinking all night and tell me they like the look or would live near these things. The lights are similar to a crime scene, and it is a crime to view of thousands of wind turbines across our landscape. This bill proposes a simple system to lessen some of the impacts from these monstrosities. Of all the money spent and all money these absentee companies that will make, this seems like a small ask for something the local communities will have to live with for a lifetime.

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Respondent No: 376

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Responded At: Jan 22, 2023 16:48:21 pm Jan 22, 2023 20:33:26 pm

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Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

This process essentially bypassed local planning authority by going directly to the State. There are multiple reasons NOT to do this project in this location. They include: - Negative impact on a thriving local tourism industry associated with wine country - The electrical power is not needed locally due to our hydro and nuclear power generation capabilities - If the West side of the State needs additional generation capability then put it there, the wind we get all comes from the West anyway -When the Federal/State subsidies dry out, this project will fail just like what happened in California where the coastal hills West of I-5 are littered with abandoned wind generators. - Negative impact on bird life, this area is part of a major bird migration path

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Respondent No: 377 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 22, 2023 18:57:03 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 22, 2023 18:57:03 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

The proposed siting in the Benton County in the Tricities is unacceptable. I consider to be urban and not rural. Theres are other areas which are better suited. I don't want to see any windmills!

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 378 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 22, 2023 20:24:08 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 22, 2023 20:24:08 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I am concerned our community well water may be contaminated by oil leakage from the wind turbines. Our home is supplied water from the Southgate Water System which is located near the lease boundary. My apologies if i missed the following in the draft EIS but I did not see a response or mitigation plan to address oil leakage from the wind turbines and its impact on ground/surface waters.

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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No



Respondent No: 379 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 23, 2023 08:02:49 am **Last Seen:** Jan 23, 2023 08:02:49 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

SEPA WAC 197-11-440 (5) (b) requires that the EIS identify and analyze reasonable alternatives, including the proposed action, that can reasonably attain the project's objectives at a lower cost and a decreased level of environmental degradation. As it stands now the DEIS lacks identification and analysis of reasonable alternatives. Analysis: The placement of the wind turbines on the Hanford Reservation would provide an ideal alternative site for the HH Wind Project. The turbines can be built as tall as necessary to make up for any topography shortcomings because of existing flight restrictions on the site. Also there is an abundance of land, out of public view, that will never be suitable for occupation. Lastly, the transmission infrastructure is already in place! Conclusion: The Hanford Reservation would be a more suitable site for the HH Wind Project. This option needs to be considered in the DEIS.

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Respondent No: 380 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 23, 2023 09:09:29 am **Last Seen:** Jan 23, 2023 09:09:29 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I have been a resident of Richland, Washington for nearly 25 years. My primary form of recreation is bicycling in the Horse Heaven Hills (HHH) between Finley and Prosser, more than covering the range of this proposed project. I love the scenery and solitude of the HHH. I have found that the existing windmills in the HHH do not detract from my enjoyment of this environment whatsoever. In fact, I believe windmills are a positive addition to the HHH because they allow landowners to generate additional revenue from their land. This will likely delay or eliminate the desire for large landowners to sell their land for future development. Keeping this area agricultural is paramount, and this wind project will only help preserve its agricultural, rural nature. The fact that windmills are visible along the hills has at best a minimal impact on the viewshed. Keeping the area rural is far more important than keeping the hills free from windmills.

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Respondent No: 381 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 23, 2023 10:41:49 am **Last Seen:** Jan 23, 2023 10:41:49 am

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	Yes (please specify) Retired, Washington Dept. of Fish and Wildlife Senior Research Scientist.

Q4. Share any comment

I am writing to you today in support of the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. I am a fish biologist, a retired Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife manager, and the former co-chair of the Independent Hatchery Science Review Group. As a fish biologist, I urge you to strongly consider the positive impacts of this project in addressing climate change and salmon. The warming of our climate is well documented and the impacts of increasing water temperatures in the Columbia River system are also well established. We have seen increasing water temperatures throughout the system. These increases have had devastating impacts on salmon. The development of wind and solar energy projects, like Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center, could give our power and fish managers in the Columbia River System greater flexibility to provide spill for the salmon passage. Additional non-hydropower sources can help reduce our hydropower dependence, allowing for additional spill during the critical salmon mitigation season. There is no reason we should not pursue the opportunity for our hydro, wind, and solar power managements to work more closely together to protect salmon populations. Without such projects as the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center providing additional non-hydro megawatts of power, these opportunities will simply not exist. I want to recognize the good work of the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council (EFSEC) in its issuance of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS). I urge you to continue to follow the data and science when assessing impacts and appropriate mitigation. Do not let our system of environmental review be taken hostage by politicians who do not respect science and data or by citizens who simply look at these issues through their lens and not at the overall benefits of the project. The simple truth is that hydropower may not be able to produce at the same level in the future. Therefore, I believe it is critically important for us to support renewable projects like this that produce needed power and give us the best chance to manage our hydro system to continue to provide much needed renewable energy while maximizing our ability to protect salmon. Lee Blankenship

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Respondent No: 382 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 23, 2023 12:05:22 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 23, 2023 12:05:22 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Wind farms are insufficient for meeting our state's energy needs. For this and many other reasons, I oppose the proposed wind farm.

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Respondent No: 383 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 23, 2023 12:06:52 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 23, 2023 12:06:52 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No
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Q7. Did you also share a video?	No
Q8. What is the title of your video?	not answered



Respondent No: 384

Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 23, 2023 12:27:07 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 23, 2023 12:27:07 pm

IP Address: n/a

 Q1. First and last name
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 Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?
 No

Q4. Share any comment

The Horse Heaven Hills wind farm proposal is not going to assist in true energy production economically or in reality- it costs MORE energy to make these windmills than they will ever produce number one. The maintenance costs are added on top of that and make wind farms a total bust for the tax payer. Furthermore they do not run constantly and shut down if the wind is too high and simply don't run if we don't have enough wind. This is compounded by the fact that solar is also not consistent in cold weather at peak energy needs so what power or energy would supply the grid- the dams do but the unwise Inslee has once again attacked them vowing to take them out. Finally wind farms do hurt the environment- migrating birds primarily but they also raise the average temperature throughout the year 3-4 degrees - during the warmer months that means greater evaporation and on low snow pack/high temperatures that means drought which damages an entire ecosystem animal, plant and human. Do you want to be 119 degrees instead of 115 degrees the highest temperature recorded in Kennewick - Las Vegas has temperatures at 120 degrees but they are a desert. Then the spin-wizards will tell you it's global warming- the same people that nationally advertised the fall of the polar bear who are doing better than ever. These wind farms are not good for the East coast whales and many true environmentalists have been raising the issue for some time only to be quashed by the ideological powers that now govern our media and this Biden administration we are in which Inslee is a part of. Wait doesn't he care about wales? Apparently only when it's convenient to create a narrative which was NOT remotely true and if Republicans were smart - they would immediately impeach the 9th Circuit Judge (9th Circuit being the most overturned circuit in the country historically) down in Portland for not holding parties accountable to his own 2014 Biological Opinion. He may yet have a hand in this too because all Inslee or Murray have to do now is wink his direction- he knows what to do. No. This is not about saving earth-it is a political battleground for control and they will use energy and green energy ideas that don't have longevity yet to do it. Why else at the same time would the rotten EPA WOTUS (waters of the United States) rule kicked out under Trump controlling every mud puddle ever to form be reinstated- to hamper farmers - all this while Biden appointees over the Corps of Engineers, USDA, US Wildlife, US Forrest Service, US Reclamation (think about the largest Water Right in the Country by Grand Coulee) Department of Energy, EPA, Chamber of commerce tribal governments right to clean air and clean water, Department of Transportation (barges or in this case air traffic patterns) with all their governmental grants and weight all be brought to bear on Eastern, WA - because we are an easy target and once the precedents are established here - they form the basis for unelected bureaucrats and bureaucracies to rule over the very people and lands they were designed to serve. I am against these wind farms from beginning to end - it is pretty package containing a bucket of sewage as old as the Clinton's administration which the snarl alone is lethal. We have reached critical mass. I do not want to see Kamala Harris's husband back here celebrating over our resources and literally delivering a death sentence to this state nor do I want to see Inslee - the jerk we kicked out of our 4th Congressional district get his revenge. He has tried through Covid - a now proven bust and HE was at the center of - the same guy who with Bob Ferguson experimented with vaccines on inmates in Sheldon and Walla Valla - and were caught trying suppress it with regard to vaccines as well as other drugs- the same two jerks who magically privatized Pedophiles and are releasing the worst of the worst from McNeil Island as we speak. Benton and Franklin County Commissioners have a due diligence to use their NEPA authority review in the oversight of these wind farms - the EIS wasn't done properly over the dams and they weren't in all likelihood done right here. Am wondering if they even know what those checks and balances are much less how to use them. But the citizens in both counties need to apply pressure at the County level- it is the proper level along with public comment.

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Respondent No: 385 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	Yes (please specify) Franklin County Democratic Central Committee

Q4. Share any comment

Franklin County Democratic Central Committee WHEREAS clean, renewable energy is essential to combating climate change here and across the globe; WHEREAS the Washington Democratic Party has adopted as part of its platform, "Increasing support for development of renewable and sustainable energy programs to supply electricity to the power grid to meet or exceed statutory climate goals for Washington State and the Paris Climate Accord globally"; WHEREAS the Tri-Cities continues to pursue a policy of transitioning our economy based on the regionally-supported strategy of "cleanup to clean energy"; WHEREAS wind and solar energy are necessary parts of achieving renewable energy goals and can improve energy resiliency in the Tri-Cities during extreme weather events; WHEREAS family-supporting-wage jobs are a necessity for families to thrive in our region and have the opportunity to enter into and stay in the middle class; WHEREAS union jobs fulfill the need for family-supporting-wage jobs; WHEREAS local unions, and therefore our friends and neighbors, are slated to fill the jobs necessary for construction and maintenance of the energy sector; WHEREAS it is estimated that the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center project is estimated to create almost 1,000 family-supporting-wage jobs and generate more than \$75 million in labor income for our local workforce; WHEREAS the Washington Democratic Party has adopted as part of its platform, "Organizing millions of workers into unions is the most effective way to reduce poverty and restore balance to an economic and political system dominated by giant corporations and billionaires;" WHEREAS private property ownership is a bedrock aspect of American life, up to and including being able to sell and lease private land as the owner desires; WHEREAS the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center project will be built on privately-owned land with the owners' consent; WHEREAS Washington has developed a system to allow landowners to go through the state to ensure energy projects on leased land go through a rigorous but fair environmental impact process; THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that we, the Franklin County Democratic Central Committee, do hereby submit this resolution, as part of the public comment process, in support of the approval, construction and upkeep of the Horse Heaven Clean Energy Center. Initial motion passed by the Franklin County Democrats during its regular meeting on January 19, 2023.

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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	Yes (please specify) Franklin County Democratic Central Committee
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Respondent No: 387 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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IP Address: n/a

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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

One big disadvantage of wind energy is that no matter how great the technology becomes, a wind turbine will never be able to be more than 59.3% efficient according Betz's Law. Betz's law states that the wind which passes through the blades of a wind turbine can never be captured to more than a 59.3% efficiency because of the physical laws of moving parcels of air. Negative Impacts on the Environment: Wind turbine blades can be extremely hazardous to birds, especially turbines that are built near migratory flight pattern areas. Wind turbines are very susceptible to damage from lightning because of their tall and metallic form, which, in very few cases can be dangerous for nearby animals or people. Wind turbines also generate noise, and when they are built close to homes, may be a disturbance to people. Wind turbines create a shadow flicker, which can be disturbing to nearby residents.

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Respondent No: 388 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 23, 2023 13:53:58 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 23, 2023 13:53:58 pm

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Q1. First and last name	not answered
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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

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Local citizens are being asked to sacrifice too much at the hands of a company trying to make money off an energy source that is not needed here or welcome here. This monstrosity will taint our landscape and I have no effect on carbon emissions. Plus, the city of Kennewick has no ability to provide water for construction. Our community is against this project.

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Respondent No: 389 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 23, 2023 14:37:33 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 23, 2023 14:37:33 pm

IP Address: n/a

Q1. First and last name	not answered
Q2. Email address	not answered
Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I am writing to you today in strong support of Scout Clean Energy's Horse Heaven project located in Benton County. As a former Washington Department Fish and Wildlife fish biologist and the current CEO of Northwest Marine Technology, I have always encouraged leaders throughout Washington to follow the science to determine best environmental practices in the protection of salmon. For five decades, my company has been a leader in protecting endangered fish species throughout Washington State. As a State and a Nation, we need to drastically reduce our dependence on fossil fuels and simultaneously diversify our energy sources. Reducing greenhouse gas emissions, diversifying our energy sources, are essential to saving our diminishing salmon populations. Washington State is already facing significant impacts on vulnerable fish populations due to climate change. The declining salmon populations and subsequent decline in Southern Resident Orcas require us to pivot to more advanced renewable sources of energy. Horse Heaven is exactly the type of project to lead this transition. Scout Clean Energy's hybrid facility will combine two clean energy resources, wind and solar. Diversifying our renewable resources could possibly allow our hydro system to operate differently to enhance river flows that can help our salmon populations. Scout's Horse Heaven project will help reduce impacts on salmon by reducing our dependency on fossil fuels, stabilizing grids, and increase energy efficiencies. While it is the true every energy project has impacts, it is clear from the DEIS that these impacts have been independently analyzed. For instance, the visual impacts according to the DEIS will vary widely at different distances. I do not mind looking at wind turbines, but I do find it ironic that some of the opposition foes do not complain about irresponsible growth, sprawling mansions, and ongoing practices that damage our fish and wildlife. Even though the project has impacts, I am encouraged that the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council's draft EIS identified potential mitigation measures to address the impacts. I would encourage EFSEC to avoid pandering to dysfunctional local politics that are not based on a factual review of the impacts and benefits of the project. Thank you for considering my comments on this unique and exciting renewable energy project. As a society, we can't look the other way anymore and pretend that the impacts of climate change are not real. We also cannot pretend that we do not need wind and solar power projects to fuel our economy. Thank you, Dave Knutzen

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Respondent No: 390 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

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The Horse Heaven Wind Farm is a non-starter, and absolutely should not be built. The negative impacts are abundant, and the proposed actions to mitigate these impacts are extremely lacking. The degradation to the shrub-steppe environment and the large impact to birds and bats, especially raptors like the horned lark, white pelican, sandhill crane, and ferruginous hawk are unacceptable. On top of the nuisance and disruption to the environment and ecosystem in our backyard, the local people in Benton County do not want to look at these windmills, as they are an eye sore. Furthermore, these windmills do not last very long relative to other power-generating operations, and recycling all these materials is not feasible right now. It is incredibly wasteful to produce wind turbines and then scrap them in the landfill 20 years later, and Benton County wants no part in that. To make matters worse, nameplate capacity of windmills (in this case, up to 1,150 MW) is nearly impossible to achieve. The intermittent power of windmills is so inconsistent, it becomes difficult to properly power the electric grid. Typically, wind farms operate at ~5-15% of their nameplate capacity, and for the little amount of power that this wind farm would produce for how many turbines there are, it is absolutely not worth building. Nuclear and hydroelectric are the only sustainable power supplies that are not wildly intermittent. The people in Benton County support those kinds of plants, including new small modular reactors that may be constructed here. We want nothing to do with new wind (or solar) farms that are wasteful and a huge impact to the wildlife.

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Respondent No: 391 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I oppose the placement of wind machines along the Horse Heaven Hills. This will cause harm to the beauty of our area. These machines are not environmentally friendly as they do not last forever, but the materials they are made of can not be safely disposed of. We are blessed with nuclear power that should be used as we move forward. I do not want to have these erected here, and then send the power to Seattle or out of state. Please keep the Tri City area the way it is. You are only satisfying a few to ruin it for the rest of us. The jobs they say they will create are again few in comparison to the whole.

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Respondent No: 392 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 23, 2023 22:17:20 pm **Last Seen:** Jan 23, 2023 22:17:20 pm

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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

Please aupport the Horse Heaven draft EIS for its project to make the area the center of clean energy in he State of Washington.

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Respondent No: 393 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

Responded At: Jan 24, 2023 05:42:24 am **Last Seen:** Jan 24, 2023 05:42:24 am

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Q1. First and last name	not answered
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Q3. Are you part of an Agency or Organization?	No

Q4. Share any comment

I want to record my opposition to the currently proposed wind farm development for Horse Heaven Hills. The turbines will not only ruin the local views, but it is also more complicated than simply aesthetics for Tri-Cities residents. The presence of turbines will ultimately impact our weather including changing wind patterns and raising our local average temperatures. This will affect all the farms, orchards, vineyards and agriculture in the area, thereby the region's economy, as well as the city residents. The sound will descend on the Tri-cities and the multiple blinking lights will project for miles into windows and homes. Native birds and animals along with our native lands and plants, many of which are protected species, will be negatively impacted. The fragile habitat will be destroyed by construction and operational activities. New roads will disturb soils and will increase dust additionally causing health problems for residents and increase issues for those with respiratory problems. Washingtons Department of Fish & Department of Fish &

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Respondent No: 394 Login: Anonymous

Email: n/a

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IP Address: n/a

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We oppose the Horse Heaven windfarm project by Scout Clean Energy for a number of reasons, none of which were adequately addressed in the EIS. First, and most importantly, earlier generation windfarms are now beginning to show performance issues well before their design lifetime (<60%) has been reached. An example is the Biglow Canyon windfarm in Oregon operated by PGE although there are numerous other examples. Scout has proposed an even larger design with limited operating experience. Because of performance issues of the smaller designs this seems terribly risky, As a minimum, until final reports are in and reviewed of the existing windmill design issues, the Horse Heaven windfarm should be delayed. The EIS should specifically address these flaws and show how they are resolved. Second, we concur with other comments that the visibility of the windmills throughout the Tri Cities is detrimental to the viewscape, property values and further growth in the area. As a minimum the approval process should include an outreach effort with viewscape simulations. These should be posted for a lengthy period, in affected areas in order to gain input from a broader slice of the population. Next, the economic justification is not well treated particularly when compared to replacement power from hydro. If the majority of the energy will be exported to the westside of the state, then transmission losses need to be included. This raises the possibility of alternate sites closer to the end use; that is, on the west side of the state. Doug & Eachy Adkisson 1240 Plateau Dr, Richland WA

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