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Falmouth Zoning Board of Appeals
Falmouth Town Hall
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Falmouth, MA 02540

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Subject: Proposed Notus Clean Energy LLC Wind Turbine

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Dear Falmouth Zoning Board of Appeals:

Mary L. Hidden
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The Association to Preserve Cape Cod (APCC) submits the following comments on the proposal by Webb Research Corporation and Notus Clean Energy LLC to construct a 1.5 megawatt wind turbine at the Falmouth Technology Park.

William G. Litchfield
Clerk

APCC encourages the use of wind energy and other forms of clean energy production wherever feasible. **Municipal districts zoned for industrial and technology uses, such as the Falmouth Technology Park, are among the most appropriate locations for the siting of such projects,** as long as the proposed project is consistent with local zoning bylaws and other state and local regulations.

Sandy Bayne

Jane Harris

Based on the project applicant's analysis, there appear to be no significant impacts from the Falmouth Technology Park wind turbine proposal. Furthermore, the project will generate a reliable source of clean energy. The applicant's feasibility study states that the proposed turbine will replace fossil fuel energy requirements that would generate 1,029 tons of carbon dioxide, 3,253 pounds of sulfur dioxide and 1,000 pounds of nitrous oxide per year.

Larry Lown

Jean C. Mangiafico

Alan McClennen, Jr.

Jonathan Moore

Christopher Neill

APCC understands that any electricity generated by the wind turbine that is not used by the project applicant will go into the NSTAR grid. APCC supports this proposed scenario.

Frederick M. O'Regan

John Parker

APCC is a strong advocate of Cape Cod towns adopting wind energy and other clean energy sources for municipal uses. If the proposed privately operated Notus Clean Energy LLC wind turbine is permitted, APCC hopes it will inspire the town of Falmouth to actively pursue its own municipal wind energy projects in appropriate locations.

Erica Parra

Mark H. Robinson

Daniel A. Wolf

APCC thanks the Falmouth Zoning Board of Appeals for this opportunity to comment.

Jean A. Young

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Maggie Geist". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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