

Neutral Comments (typed as presented, no changes to grammar or spelling):

If property values do decrease will that lower my assessment and taxes? I'm unsure about the PILOT: if payment is based on kilowatt hours and National Grid lines can't handle that amount being put out so the turbines aren't turning to make kilowatts, how much is being paid? Like most places the turbines aren't turning because National Grid lines cannot handle the amount of wind and energy being produced. If it's a flat rate no matter what and it's the same or more than assessment fine. Taxes should be assessed before decision made on PILOT.

We pay only about \$2/day now (for electric). Need to add on propane. Only short term, but will need maintenance. Will maintenance people be local? Will they fly Emmett Duprey up from Pennsylvania? He flies all over the country doing this. *** has had health issues – I have had heart arrhythmias. If they don't pay the taxes, who would? Would it be the town or the land owners? How are they funded – through a grant or what? What if they go bankrupt? Who, then, does the clean up? **** once told us a warranty is only as good as the company that gives it. If that company is long gone, so is their warranty he said. Does this company also operate in Lowville area? I believe to do operate in Chateaugay. I never seem to know when your meetings are although I know you have had some – guess I should check North Country Now.

I strongly support renewable energy but the wind farms are an eyesore, and more importantly, I am concerned about their effect on wildlife (most birds).

All of the concerns are valid concerns that need to be addressed or quantified. The developer needs to address the entire list of concerns on the opposite side of this form. That information needs to be shared with all residents of the town.

Land owners should have the right to do with their property as they wish. It seems that many concerns of the anti-wind people follow the pattern that the previous high voltage anti(s) possessed. Land owners and community residents in Lowville and Northern NY say concerns are generally unfounded.

Very tired of government allowing certain enterprises pilots to the exclusion of other entities that have been trying to develop business using their own capital resources and not deriving recognition for efforts. How much revenue will go to the coffers of NYS in Albany?? What amount of grant money is being given to developers of the project?

I would think tax would be based on the value of the property. How much money generated as a result of the use of that property.

Do not understand question 7. If my property was to be used I would want a monetary payment every quarter.

I would like to know how it impacts the community. Will all local folks be hired? You need to understand the differences (between actual tax and pilot). A cost benefit should be done. Other towns must have this, reach out to them. What do they wish they would have done?

I can see both positive and negative results, and am not sure which outweighs the other.

Research on all of the above (opposed questions) statements should be of great importance to all the community. Pilot is questionable without more knowledge.

If there is going to be a disruption of the local landscape there needs to be some perks given to all taxpayers Offsetting current taxes.

My property does not have electric service.

I think if this project goes forward that the town should negotiate a power plan for residents such as power for free or a reduced rate for residents impacted by the project. I have a home there that does not have power available. Maybe this would be possible to bring power to land owners that don't have any?

Special considerations should be made for property owners adjacent to or within 1 mile of proposed wind turbine locations.

If it will bring my "unfair" taxes down on a seasonal residence – I'm all for it!!

Be careful with pilot. Don't see yourself short.

I'm a non-resident land owner. If the turbines will be close to my property, I will be more concerned. If they are distant, less concerned. Given my position, I prefer to generally leave the matter to those of you who live there full time and will reap the benefits of the development and the downsides, if any.

The amount of money from project should be divided between the two townships based on the number of WECS per township.

Need more information if the whole town won't benefit then I don't think we should do it. We all will have to look at them we all should feel the benefits.

The wind farm needs to benefit the taxpayers and bring some jobs to this area. Absolutely no Pilot system. If there is no benefit from the wind farm why would anyone support this.

** Please note that actual names were replaced with ****