

Existing Guidelines Subcommittee of the  
Wind Turbine Guidelines Advisory Committee  
Telephone Conference – April 17, 2008

Draft Summary

Participants:

Greg Hueckel	Aimee Delach	Abby Arnold
Ed Arnett	Mike Azeka	Cheryl Amrani
Kathy Boydston		

- Most of the discussion concerned the Subcommittee’s report to the full Advisory Committee at the April 23-24, 2008, meeting. There was some concern that the matrices were not yet ready for ‘prime time.’ Greg’s original report was a helpful starting point for additional research.
- It was stated that the group may need to agree on some principles as to what is pro or con about some of the guidance criteria they have reviewed. They also need clearly defined objectives in order to objectively review the information they gathered.
- Abby shared that the purpose of the presentations was to get feedback from the full Advisory Committee about next steps. She also said that the Subcommittee might review its approach in the light of what the other Subcommittees are doing.
- It was agreed that Kathy would do an overview report and then turn it over to each subgroup to report on their work in progress, as follows:
  - ✓ Aimee: Preliminary Assessment & Site Evaluation
  - ✓ Andy: Preconstruction Wildlife Assessment
  - ✓ Mike: Retrofitting, Repowering & Decommission
  - ✓ Mark: Site Development (Micrositing)
  - ✓ Greg: Mitigation
  - ✓ Ed: Post-construction Monitoring
- The Subcommittee agreed that all summaries or other documents would be marked “work in progress” and watermarked “DRAFT.”
- The members also discussed having a brief meeting for breakfast at the Holiday Inn at 7am on 4/23/08.