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Re: FWS/AES-CIFO

Dear Mr. Amidon,

The Forest Service at Midewin National Tallgrass Prairie supports the FWS effort with partners to develop a Midwest Wind Energy Multi-Species Habitat Conservation Plan for the Midwest region including Illinois, where Midewin is located. Please keep us informed of new developments and environmental documents released for public comment on this topic.

Sincerely,

WADE A. SPANG
Prairie Supervisor
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cc: Nora Rasure, Mary Beth Borst, Gene Blankenbaker, Nancy J Ross



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