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Mr. Mike:

On behalf of P.J. Saliterman and myself, I'd like to thank you and Joe White again for taking the time to meet with us on June 20, 2012. The discussion regarding the potential impacts on Fort Drum's aviation operations from the existing and planned wind farms in the vicinity of the base was very helpful. We have a new appreciation for the volume and typical traffic patterns of fixed wind aircraft as well as the demands on air traffic control and pilots as they prepare for final approach. We also appreciated learning about Raytheon's "software patch" for the ASR-11, which can apparently mitigate much of the problem with the proposed turbines appearing as potential traffic.

Although there are limits to Fort Drum's and the Department of Defense's ability to oppose the permitting of the Copenhagen Wind Farm, we recognize Fort Drum's prominence in the local community and the region in general. Copenhagen Wind Farm, LLC is committed to working with you to implement a win-win solution like the above mentioned software patch.

As discussed, part of ensuring a technical fix would be a win-win solution would include participation by the other wind farms in development or operation in the vicinity of Fort Drum. This participation by others is important to ensure that the Copenhagen Wind Farm is not placed at a competitive disadvantage to other projects in the region that seem to present a similar or greater impact on Fort Drum's operations. In particular, we are optimistic that Fort Drum can propose a Cooperative Research and Engineering Development Agreement (CREDA) or a similar arrangement whereby mitigation costs can be fairly allocated across projects impacting your operations.

We also appreciate your flexibility with respect to considering potential modifications to our FAA 7460 applications that would allow the FAA to set aside potential MVA restrictions on turbine height up to 480 feet. Such flexibility will in turn give us the ability to optimize our layout and potentially reduce the number of proposed turbines in the project.

Please contact me or P.J. Saliterman, OwnEnergy's Development Director for the Great Lakes/Mid-Atlantic, if you have any questions about the Copenhagen Wind project. We look forward to hearing back from you regarding next steps.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert L. Crowell". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent initial 'R'.

Robert L. Crowell
Authorized Representative