

State of Vermont Public Service Board

Motion to Intervene Form

Intervenor and Case Information	
Case Number	8816
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The Rule 2.209 Criteria	
Intervention as of Right (this is uncommon, leave blank if not applicable to your situation)	
Please identify any statute, legal rule, or Board order that you think gives you a legal right to be a party in the case. If this right is conditional, please describe how you satisfy these conditions.	
Permissive Intervention	See Attached for details
Please describe all the interests you have that you think will be adversely affected by the outcome of the case. Please be as specific as possible. Attach additional sheets if necessary.	30 V.S.A. § 248(b)(1) orderly development of the region; § 248(b)(4) economic benefit to the State and its residents; § 248(b)(5) public health and safety; 10 V.S.A. §§ 6086(a)(1)(A), (B), and (C), (3), and (4) water pollution, conservation, and burden on water supply, § 248(b)(5) and § 6086(a)(8) scenic or natural beauty and aesthetics; § 6086(a)(8)(A) necessary wildlife habitat or endangered species; § 6086(a)(5) transportation.

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Please state whether there are other ways to protect your interest(s) besides as a party participating in this proceeding. If there is no other way for you to protect your interests, please state this fact. Please also explain whether there is already a party in the case who has the same or similar interest(s) to be protected in the case.

There is no other way for me to protect my interests.

Certification This section may be completed by the intervenor or a duly authorized representative.

I certify that the information provided on this form is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Print Name David A. Goodrich

David A. Goodrich

Feb. 16, 2017

Signature _____ Date _____

STATE OF VERMONT PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

Docket No. 8816

Petition of Swanton Wind LLC

AFFIDAVIT OF DAVID A. GOODRICH IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO INTERVENE

I DAVID A. GOODRICH in support of the Motion to Intervene filed by myself subject to the penalties of perjury, do hereby state the following facts which are true to the best of my knowledge and ability:

1. I own a summer camp on the East shore of Fairfield Pond at 216 Bloody Rock Camp Rd, directly across Fairfield Pond from the proposed Swanton Wind Project. The nearby turbines would all be visible from my camp location thus diminishing our view of the ridge.
2. I have owned this camp since 1993 when it was transferred to me by my parents who leased and then bought this property in the early 1960's as noted in statement #3 written by my father. The camp is currently used by all our family members who travel from; FL, IL, TN, and Canada to visit in the summer.
3. "More than 56 years ago my wife and I were fortunate to be able to buy a lot and build a camp on Fairfield Pond near Sheldon where I grew up. Since then, and with the birth of children and grandchildren, as returning Vermonters we have spent family time together at the Pond enjoying friendships, nature and the peace and tranquility so often missing in today's environment. I wanted our children to have the opportunity to enjoy and experience first-hand what Vermont is all about; the green mountains, lakes, nature & the environment, independence; all things that helped to guide and shape my life."
4. Our quality of life is now threatened by the proposed Swanton Wind project and the placement of multiple, ugly 500 foot tall towers to house industrial wind turbines on Rocky Ridge. Their stated purpose is to produce renewable energy which Vermont utilities say isn't needed to meet the state or federal goals and must be sold to other states or perhaps countries.
5. Installation of the turbines will destroy the visual beauty of the ridge and pond as viewed by residents and tourists.
6. The turbines produce noise & vibration as well as visible and disturbing flashing light.
7. The turbine blades present a lethal hazard to insect- catching bats and migrating birds which have long used the pond as a resting spot.
8. The turbines will contribute to reduced water quality in the Mississquoi/Lake Champlain and Fairfield Pond watersheds.

9. As noted in a recent case in North Carolina now being appealed to the new Secretary of Homeland Security, the turbines may also cause interference with the effectiveness of the DOD radar system housed on a nearby ridge in St Albans.
10. They promise few PERMANENT jobs for Vermonters but they will produce profits for investors outside Vermont and the foreign companies who build the turbines.
11. Their presence will destroy the scenic and pastoral Vermont we have known in our lifetimes and hoped to preserve for future generations.

I therefore implore the board to vote against permitting Swanton Wind.

Respectfully,



David A. Goodrich

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Docket No. 8816

Petition of Swanton Wind LLC for a certificate of public)
good, pursuant to 30 V.S.A. § 248, for the construction)
of an up to 20 MW wind-powered electric generation)
plant powered by up to 7 wind turbines located along)
Rocky Ridge in Swanton, Vermont)

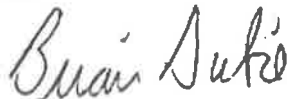
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

We, Brian and Penny Dubie, et.al., certify that on February 16, 2017, copies of the foregoing *Notices of Appearance*, and *Motion to Intervenes of Brian and Penny Dubie, Jeanne Royer, Judith and Patrick Luneau, Karen and Leo McLaughlin, Sally and Bruce Collopy, Kaye and Frank B. Mehaffey, Jr., Terrance Smith, David A. Goodrich, Robert Perkins, Patricia Messier, Sarah & Ed Ferguson, Ian and Danielle Garrant, Curtis Swan and Sara Luneau-Swan, Dan and Nancy Dunne, Erynn & Tyrell Boudreau, Dennis Hendy and Diane Bell, Mary and Mark Bushey, Steve Woodward, Kenneth Fox, Michelle and Luc Deslandes, David Butterfield, Bradley Stott and Jennifer Belanger, Clark and Carol Palmer, Paula Pearsall, Greg Pierce and Paula Kane, Mark and Marianne Dubie, Marie and Gil Tremblay, Patricia Rainville and John Smith, Kevin and Dolores Nichols, Jessica Decker and Lance Desautels, Suzanne Seymour, Mary Hunter, Todd Poirier* in the above-referenced matter, were served via First-Class U.S. Mail on the interested persons designated in the following Service List.

Respectfully submitted this 16th day of February, 2017.

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