



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
National Telecommunications and
Information Administration
Washington, D.C. 20230

November 6, 2023

Mr. Frank O'Brien,
COMSEARCH
19700 Janelia Farm Blvd.
Ashburn, VA 20147

Re: Hoffman Falls Wind Energy Project: Madison, NY

Dear Mr. O'Brien:

In response to your request on August 29, 2023, the National Telecommunications and Information Administration provided to the federal agencies represented in the Interdepartment Radio Advisory Committee (IRAC) the plans for the Hoffman Falls Wind Energy Project located in Madison County, New York.

After a 45+ day period of evaluation, no *reviewing* agencies had issues with turbine placement in this area.

Commerce has completed our review of the subject wind project and found it is over 83 km NNE of the Binghamton, NY NEXRAD. Based upon distance and terrain this project appears to be radar neutral. No further contact with the developer requested at this time.

While the IRAC agencies did not identify any concerns regarding radio frequency blockage, this does not eliminate the need for the wind energy facilities to meet any other requirements specified by law related to these agencies. For example, this review by the IRAC does not eliminate any need that may exist to coordinate with the Federal Aviation Administration concerning flight obstruction.

Thank you for the opportunity to review these proposals.

Sincerely,

John R. McFall
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Office of Spectrum Management