

MEMORANDUM

To: Commissioners Kalk, Christmann and Fedorchak
Fr: Jerry Lein
Da: June 14, 2013
Re: 6-19-13 Agenda Briefing Memo – Thunder Spirit Wind Energy Project Application, Case No. PU-13-64

My review of Thunder Spirit Wind, LLC's application for a certificate of site compatibility indicates that the requirements in the Commission's application rules have been addressed and the application should be deemed complete. However, there are some activities still underway:

1. Micro-siting: The company is in the process of evaluating turbine locations to provide final proposed sites prior to the hearing.
2. Wetlands Inventory: National Wetland Inventory data has been reviewed and field delineation is completed. A final report is in progress and expected to be filed prior to the hearing.
3. Class II and III cultural resource surveys have been completed and a summary report was provided. SHPO concurrence is pending.

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