

NOTICE OF FINAL PUBLIC MEETING

To be held by Kerwood Wind, Inc. regarding a Proposal to Engage in a Renewable Energy Project

Project Name: Adelaide Wind Energy Centre

Project Location: Adelaide-Metcalfe and North Middlesex, Middlesex County, Ontario

Dated at the Municipalities of Adelaide-Metcalfe and North Middlesex, Middlesex County this the 1st of August, 2012

Kerwood Wind, Inc., (a wholly owned subsidiary of NextEra Energy Canada, ULC) is planning to engage in a renewable energy project in respect of which the issuance of a renewable energy approval is required. The proposal to engage in the project and the project itself is subject to the provisions of the *Environmental Protection Act* (Act) Part V.0.1 and Ontario Regulation 359/09 (Regulation). This notice must be distributed in accordance with section 15 of the Regulation prior to an application being submitted and assessed for completeness by the Ministry of the Environment. The purpose of the meeting is to provide residents an opportunity to review and discuss the draft documentation related to the Project's Renewable Energy Approval (REA).

A public meeting will be held for the project on the following date and location (the original meeting dates of July 12 and August 13, 2012 were cancelled due to venue availability). Please note date and location change:

DATE: August 14, 2012

TIME: 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

PLACE: Adelaide Metcalfe Municipal Hall

Lower Level

2340 Egremont Drive, Strathroy

Please note that the meeting will be in an Open House format allowing attendees to visit any time during the event.

Project Description: Pursuant to the Act and Regulation, the facility, in respect of which this project is to be engaged in, is a Class 4 Wind Facility. If approved, this facility would have a total maximum name plate capacity of 59.9-megawatts (MW). The proposed Project Location is described in **Figures 1** and **2**.

Documents for Public Inspection:

The Draft Project Description Report titled "Project Description Report – Adelaide Wind Energy Centre" describes the project as consisting of a maximum of 37 GE 1.62 MW turbines (although the REA is seeking approval for 38 turbine locations), a pad mounted transformer at each turbine, 2 transformer substations, a switchyard, underground electrical collection lines and an overhead transmission line, turbine access roads, an operations building, meteorological towers and construction staging areas.

Kerwood Wind, Inc. has prepared the following draft supporting documents in order to comply with the requirements of the Act and Regulation: Project Description Report; Construction Plan Report; Design and Operations Report; Decommissioning Plan Report; Wind Turbine Specifications Report; Natural Heritage Assessment Report; Water Assessment and Water Body Report; Stage 1 and 2 Archaeological Assessment Reports; Heritage Assessment Report; and Noise Study Report.

Written copies of these draft supporting documents have been available for public inspection since May 9, 2012 at www.NextEraEnergyCanada.com and at the Adelaide-Metcalfe, North Middlesex Municipal offices and Middlesex County office:

Adelaide-Metcalfe Municipal Office 2340 Egremont Drive Strathroy, Ontario

North Middlesex Municipal Office 229 Parkhill Main Street Parkhill, Ontario

Phone: 1-877-257-7330

Middlesex County 399 Ridout Street North London, Ontario

Written copies will also be available for review at the public open house.

Comments received on or before <u>August 18, 2012</u> will be included in our Public Consultation report to the Ministry of the Environment. Should you wish to provide comments after this date, they can be forwarded directly to the Ministry of the Environment.

Project Contact and Information: To learn more about the project proposal, public meetings, or to communicate concerns please contact:

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Figure 1: Proposed Turbine Locations

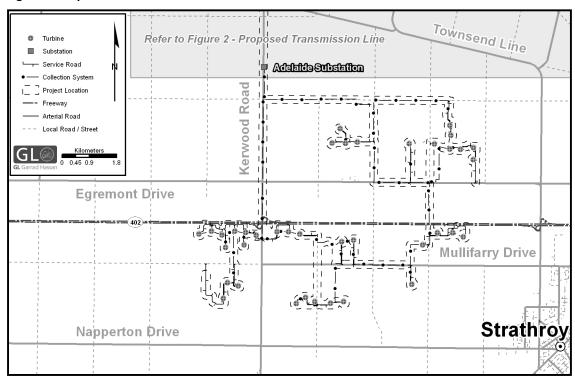


Figure 2: Proposed Transmission Line

