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Donna Tisdale
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Dear Ms. Tisdale,

At the request of District 2 County Supervisor Dianne Jacob, Planning & Development Services (PDS) is responding to your email dated September 28, 2018, regarding concerns over potential health effects from wind turbines and the current wind projects in the Boulevard community. Thank you for sharing your concerns.

The County Health & Human Services Agency (HHSA) is currently in the process of completing a report on human health effects of wind turbines. PDS is working closely with HHSA to provide project background information as needed. When the report is complete, it will be made available to you and the public.

Regarding your questions about the Torrey Wind and Campo Wind projects, the Torrey Wind project has an active application with PDS under review and PDS is currently working on the draft technical analysis and draft Environmental Impact Report (EIR) pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA). Comments and concerns received during the Notice of Preparation scoping period will be submitted as part of the project record and addressed in the draft EIR. We plan to evaluate all cumulative impacts of this project, including but not limited to the nearby Campo Wind project.

PDS would like to clarify that the Campo Wind project is a separate project under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, except for a portion of that project's transmission line that would run from tribal lands through private land under the jurisdiction of the County. The County will require a Major Use Permit for the portion of the transmission line under County jurisdiction. This project will need to comply with both the National Environmental Policy Act and CEQA.

Again, thank you for the time to contact the County with your concerns. We look forward to answering any questions the community may have on the report once it is released. If you have any additional questions please feel free to contact Bronwyn Brown at 858-495-5516 or at Bronwyn.Brown@sdcounty.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mark Wardlaw".

MARK WARDLAW, Director
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