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Comments on Docket #2024-P-MULTI-0007 -- US Wind Project

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Comments:

I do NOT support using 3rs beach and as a landfall site for the off shore wind farms. Off shore wind is not a viable solution to address climate change and still produce enough energy to support the country's energy demand at a reasonable cost. It is being proven around the world that wind farms are not working, and the cost to consumers has skyrocketed. Maintenance costs has soared and the fact that there's no decommissioning bonds in place to make sure they leave the ocean the way they found it is a serious problem. Plus, if it wasn't for all the government subsidies this wouldn't even be happening which is also proving to be a huge waste of taxpayer money. GE has just recently cancelled the 18 megawatt turbines cause of skyrocketing costs and the construction mistakes in Canadian plant where the blades are being manufactured and admitted to the mistake. Then there the 4 transformer stations required for the wind farm will use millions of gallons of seawater to cool everyday to cool the transformers down while raising the temperature of the seawater. If you haven't learned by watching what is happening in Nantucket windmill in the ocean are not a good idea. We a just 1 catastrophic failure from littering our beaches with tons of debris. There has been over 16 tons of debris collected from the water and beaches in Nantucket and that doesn't include any of the small debris that was left to decompose or be eaten by sea mammals and that was just one blade and your looking to approve the building of 120 of these this off our coast....so that's 360 chances of a blade failure from just this wind farm project alone. This is not a good idea and should not be allowed! Nuclear power plants are being built now that have no downsides and are the most consistent form of energy production compared to a wind farm that at best can reach 44% efficiency which is a failing grade any way you look at it.