Over 100 Organizations to Congress: End the Wind Production Tax Credit

November 4, 2013

Dear Senators and Representatives:

The principal federal support for the wind energy industry is scheduled to expire at the end of this year. The undersigned organizations and the millions of Americans we represent stand opposed to extending the production tax credit (PTC).

The wind industry has very little to show after 20 years of preferential tax treatment; it remains woefully dependent on this federal support. Yet despite this consistent underperformance, Congress has repeatedly voted to extend the PTC, usually in 1- or 2-year increments. This past year, Congress dramatically expanded the credit in addition to extending it.

This year, Congress should break from the past and allow the wind PTC to expire as scheduled, once and for all. Americans deserve energy solutions that can make it on their own in the marketplace—not ones that need to be propped up by government indefinitely.

Sincerely,

60 Plus Association
Advance Arkansas Institute
Advocates For Cherry Valley
Advocates For Prattsburgh
Advocates for Responsible Energy
Development (ARED)
Allegheny Highlands Alliance, Inc.
American Commitment
American Conservative Union
American Energy Alliance
Americans for Prosperity
Auglaize Neighbors United
BCCRWE (Brown County Citizens for
Responsible Wind Energy)
Beacon Center of Tennessee
Black Fork Wind Resistance of Crawford
County Ohio
Bluegrass Institute
Brighton Ridge Protectors
Caesar Rodney Institute
Capital Research Center
Cascade Policy Institute
CCDC (Concerned Citizens of DeKalb
County (IN)
Citizen's Alliance for Responsible
Energy (CARE)
Citizens for Open Government
Citizens for Responsible Energy
Development (CRED)
Civitas Institute
Clear Skies over Orangeville
Coalition Against Article X (COAX)
Coalition for the Preservation of the
Golden Crescent
COAST (Coalition Opposed to Additional
Spending and Taxes)
Cohocton Wind Watch
Committee For A Constructive Tomorrow
Commonwealth Foundation
Competitive Enerprise Institute
Concerned Citizens of Cattaraugus
County

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Cornwall Alliance
Director, Center for Economic Prosperity
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Energize Illinois
Energy Integrity Project
Energy Makes America Great Inc.
Erie County Federation of Sportsmen
Freedom Foundation
Freedom Foundation
Freedom Works
Friends of Beautiful Pendleton
County, Inc.
Friends of Lincoln Lakes
Friends of Maine's Mountains
Frontiers of Freedom
Goodhue Wind Truth
Grant County Concerned Citizens
Great Lakes Beach Sweep/International
Coastal Cleanup
Great Lakes Wind Truth, USA
Greencastle Defenders of Liberty
Greenfield Area Tea Party
Heritage Action For America
Howard County Concerned Citizens
Independence Institute
Independent Women's Forum
Indiana Defenders of Liberty
Interstate Informed Citizens Coalition
John Locke Foundation
Laurel Mountain Preservation
Association
Lee County Informed
Less Government
Let Freedom Ring
Mansfield North Central Ohio Tea Party
National Center for Public
Policy Research
National Taxpayers Union
Newark Neighbors United
North American Platform Against
Wind Power

Outer Banks Tea Party
Positive Growth Alliance
Protect Our Lakes
Protect Richfield
R Street Institute
RESITE Now
Rio Grande Foundation
Save the Eagles International
Save Western Maryland
Secure America's Future Economy
Sheboygan County Communities for
Responsible Energy
Stafford Preservation Group
State Co-coordinator (OH) - Tea Party
Patriots
Taxpayers for Common Sense
Taxpayers Protection Alliance
Texas Conservative Coalition Research
Institute
The Club for Growth
The Finger Lakes Preservation Association
The Georgia Tea Party, Inc.
The LIBRE Initiative
The Maine Heritage Policy Center
The Weyrich Lunch
Toronto Wind Action
United for Missouri
We the People NC, Inc.
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Wells County Concerned Citizens (IN)
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