

Notice

Application for Wind Power Plant and associated substation in the Vermilion area has been received

Application No. 1610717
Proceeding No. 3329

The Alberta Utilities Commission, the independent utilities regulator, will be considering the power plant development application in Proceeding 3329. If you feel you may be affected by this application you can provide input to the AUC to review before it makes its decision.

E.ON Climate & Renewables Canada Ltd., under the *Hydro and Electric Energy Act*, has applied to construct and operate the Grizzly Bear Creek Wind Power Project, consisting of a 120-megawatt (MW) wind power plant, a 34.5-kilovolt (kV) collector system and the Grizzly Bear 708S substation in the Vermilion area. The power plant would consist of 50 2.4-MW wind turbines. The project would be located in Township 48, Range 8, west of the Fourth Meridian and Township 49, Range 7 and 8, west of the Fourth Meridian.

Written submissions are due September 19, 2014.

If you wish to participate in this proceeding you may be eligible for funding to support your position, which includes costs for legal representation and expert witnesses. To learn more about the application and review process, intervener funding and what has been applied for please review the information session section on our website found under Involving Albertans or contact:

Trevor Richards at 403-592-4469 or email your questions to trevor.richards@auc.ab.ca.

The application, and any associated documents being reviewed, are publicly available on our website. Alternatively, you may contact Gary Martens, E.ON Climates & Renewables Canada Ltd., at 306-784-2206 for further details about what is being applied for, or for a copy of the application.

To register your concerns, or your support for the proposed project, please visit the AUC website and log in to the electronic filing system to file your submission for Proceeding 3329. If you do not have access to the Internet, please contact us at 780-427-4903 for other options to submit your concerns and participate in this proceeding. If no written submissions are received, the Commission may make its decision without further notice or process.

To support an open and transparent process, information you send to the AUC will be publicly available to anyone registered in this proceeding. If there is confidential information you would like to file, a request must be made in advance of filing your submission.

Additional information about the application

For full application details visit the AUC website, go to the E-Filing section, select Proceeding Search and enter Proceeding 3329. The Grizzly Bear Creek Wind Power Project would consist of 50 2.4-MW wind turbines, a 34.5-kV collector system and the Grizzly Bear 708S substation. The substation would be located in LSD 12, Section 10, Township 49, Range 8, west of the Fourth Meridian. The proposed locations of the wind turbines are shown on the map included with this notice.

For further details about the application, please contact the applicant:

E.ON Climate & Renewables Canada Ltd.

Gary Martens

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Submissions

If you have concerns about the proposed project and would like the AUC to consider your concerns before making a decision on the application, please file your initial submission before September 19, 2014.

The electronic filing system tool found on our website manages applications and submissions through a proceeding-based review. This system gives you real-time access to the documents associated with the proceeding.

Those who do not have access to the Internet can send a submission by mail or fax, and the AUC will upload the submission on your behalf. Please send your name, address, phone number, legal land location, description of your land in relation to the proposed development and describe your interest in the land, your business, or your activities which may be affected. Please briefly describe the issues you would like the AUC to consider when making its decision. This information can be sent by letter or by using our [statement of intent to participate form](#).

Participant information

Please review the information session section on our website found under Involving Albertans. You may also contact our Consumer Relations group at 780-427-4903 or by email at consumer-relations@auc.ab.ca for more information about your opportunities for involvement, assistance with your submission, and the funding options which may be available to you under AUC Rule 009: *Rules on Local Intervener Funding*.

Privacy

Any information and materials you provide as part of an AUC proceeding, except information granted confidentiality in advance, will become part of the public record and will be available through the AUC's electronic filing system. This includes personal information such as your name, address and any other personal information you provide.

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Alberta Utilities Commission
Douglas A. Larder, QC, General Counsel

