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I am **FOR** SB353. Actually, I am against most wind energy projects for the following reasons.

We will NEVER EVER create enough electricity for our growing needs for more energy in the future with windmills and solar panels. Stop this madness and go to nuclear and natural gas generating.

We are not the Worlds' policemen. We are not the Worlds' AIR FILTER. It can not get any more ridiculous than for us to try to get down to zero carbon emissions when countries in the rest of the world are still building coal burning generators. Some buying the coal from the USA. Makes as much sense as having centuries of oil underground and buying oil overseas.

Any government program or project that the government has to subsidize is doomed to failure. Post Office or Amtrack?

Most of the items and materials for wind or solar or batteries comes from China. Why subsidize China also?

When the windmill is no good, what do we do with it? It is not biodegradable. When it is not useable, who is responsible for the defunct machine? Land owner or power company?

Wind mills and solar panels are not things of beauty. Why desecrate a beautiful landscape?

They may be a hazard to birds and wildlife.

A lot of people believe that living near powerful power lines is a hazard to human health.

The noise of the turning windmill blades is irritating to most people.

Maybe Senate members feel they do not have a choice on wind energy. I think you are wrong. In three years we will get back to some sanity on this energy topic. In the mean time, do all you can to not persecute those tax payers that want nothing to do with windmills and solar panels. One tiny prospect of good will is to pass SBS353 to keep windmills at arms length.

I can not give you facts and figures on what it costs to generate electricity, transport electricity, connect it to my house, service electricity. But, I know it will cost me more