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January 3, 2023

Mr. Dirk Gard Duke Energy 587 W Lost Branch Road Nashville, IN 47448

Subject: Mission Compatibility Certification Letter / ASNs: 2022-WTW-8146-OE through 2022-WTW-8202-OE

Dear Mr. Gard,

The Military Aviation and Installation Assurance Siting Clearinghouse (Clearinghouse) has reviewed the Frontier IV wind power project in Braman, Oklahoma. The Clearinghouse found no adverse impacts to DoD missions in the area and has entered a determination of "No Objection with Provision" via the Federal Aviation Administration's Obstruction Evaluation / Airport Airspace Analysis system.

Our response to the FAA included a notification that further expansion beyond the current project area may be problematic due to proximity to military training routes or military training areas.

We encourage you to consult DoD well in advance of any expansion. If you have any questions, I can be reached by email at robbin.e.beard.civ@mail.mil or by phone at 703-693-7190.

Sincerely,

Robbin E. Beard Deputy Director Military Aviation and Installation Assurance Siting Clearinghouse

CC: Oklahoma Corporation Commission Oklahoma Aeronautics Commission