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A Comment from Ronald D. Carlson, P.E. follows:

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Please describe your comment briefly:

Idaho should start the Green Energy rebellion. Technically it is clear that all of the green energy alternatives are a scam and do nothing but increase the price consumers must pay for electricity. We have 50 years of work here in Idaho that confirms that the ultimate green energy is nuclear. We certainly would support the construction of nuclear facilities to pick up the base load of growing demand. Windmills are absolutely the wrong investment because not only are they undependable sources, meaning that every KW has to be installed and available to add to the grid somewhere else in the system when these things are not producing. Not only are they not producing any real power they may well compromise the limited peaking capacity that currently exists if enough of these are installed. Wind energy, like ethanol and solar, should have to come onto the grid based upon its intrinsic value not as result some environmentalist's pot party epiphany, and some tinkering with tax codes. What the PUC is deciding once again, should these windmills be allowed, is to again force tax payers subsidize a fake asset upfront and a second time in their their power bills.

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