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Dear Lowell community member:

We've enjoyed meeting with many of you over recent months to talk about the proposed Kingdom Community Wind project. Whether at one of the many house parties hosted by your friends and neighbors, the November 5<sup>th</sup> meeting at the Lowell Graded School, or at one of the other gatherings we've attended, you've asked us many questions, and we've tried to provide as much information as is known this early in the process. We will continue to share information as the results of our studies and analyses become available. We've also listened closely to your thoughts, opinions, and concerns.

One of the most common questions we hear - whether from residents of Lowell or the surrounding communities - is what will the turbines would look and sound like? To answer these and related questions we thought that it would be helpful to arrange a field trip so you can see and hear for yourself.

Accordingly, on December 5, we are renting buses to take interested people to Lempster, New Hampshire, where there is a modern ridgeline wind farm similar to what we are proposing for Lowell. We'll leave Lowell at 8:30 a.m. and return at approximately 6 p.m. If you would like to join us, please contact Gert and Andy Tetreault at 744-6664. We'll need to have your phone number in case inclement weather forces a cancellation. Lunch will be provided.

This is an important and highly charged issue for the people of Lowell. GMP and VEC are committed to provide you with honest, accurate information as it becomes available. Despite these efforts, we see signs displayed around town that are making claims that are either misleading or simply not true. In the Q & A that follows, we address inaccuracies as well as respond to other questions that we've heard. We hope you find the enclosed information helpful. If you have additional questions, we've listed people at the end of this Q&A who would be happy to help you.

We appreciate the effort you are making to learn more about Kingdom Community Wind. GMP and VEC both believe that this is a very good opportunity to provide our customers with stably-priced, renewable energy for decades to come.

Sincerely,

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