

February 4, 2025

Bill:HB2063

Opponent Written-only Testimony for hearing on 2/6/2025

Conferee: Dale Enyart

Representing: Self

Chairman Rahjes and Members of the Committee,

I wholeheartedly ***OPPOSE HB2063. This bill has \$60 million that funnels through Non-Governmental Organizations (NGO) via government grants that Kansas taxpayers foot the bill for. We do not need our very own version of the boondoggle that is the recently shuttered (hopefully it stays that way) USAID.***

This \$60 million should remain in taxpayers pockets. Reading the bill, I was struck by Sec. 3 (e)(7) conserving or restoring native landscapes, such as forests, grasslands or state wetlands and streams

This from the same government promoting "green energy" that is destroying our native landscapes, forests, and grasslands with ***THOUSANDS OF ACRES OF SOLAR PANELS, HUNDREDS OF MASSIVE 300-700 FOOT TALL INDUSTRIAL WIND TURBINES, AND GIGANTIC ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION LINE CORRIDORS...AND USING "GOVERNMENT FUNDS" TO DO IT.***

SPOILER ALERT...THERE ARE NO "GOVERNMENT FUNDS". They are ALL TAXPAYER DOLLARS.

It sure seems like we are trying to create a problem to solve ...and using taxpayer funds to both create the problem and the "solution".

I IMPLORÉ you, please OPPOSE HB2063.

Thank you,
Dale Enyart