

Senators,

Please, please support SB 478. It is the very least you can do for Kansans forced to live in the footprint of of these giant, noisy wind turbines.

My husband and I built a home and moved to the country almost 20 years ago. We moved to the piece and quiet of the country where you could see the stars and relax under the night skies. That ended a year ago when 106 industrial turbines moved into our neighborhood.

Now, when I look out my front door at night, my eyes don't go toward the stars, they are met with a multitude of blinking red lights. When the lights first activated, it was hard not to be startled every night. Through the beveled glass of our front door, it looked like a parade of emergency vehicles approaching the house. It still does, every night.

Please help alleviate this one of the many assaults on our senses. The industrial wind companies make billions of dollars off of our suffering. While they may present what seems like a huge number to change out these systems, please realize that it is just a very small percentage of the profits they are making. These systems have been around and used in the industry for at least the past 5 years.. North Dakota has required them for years on every turbine in the state.

Changing out lighting systems will not cure all the effects on people living in the footprint of these blinking red giants, but it will return a small portion of the serenity.

Please support SB478.

Sincerely,  
Carol Hull