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Dear Sir / Madam

Ref. Energie Park Pottendijk, Reactie

- 1) Limit windmolen numbers to 12. The developer has indicated that is possible - and it will reduce the impact on the environment and bewoners
- 2) So many windmolens as possible should be placed on gemeente / public land, so profits can be for the public use.
- 3) Where bewoners have a direct view of the windmolens within 1100 meters, these should be further compensated for the negative effects on their properties - and also should be consulted on simple nature friendly landscaping solutions (such as tree planting) which will help.

For example trees could be planted in strategic locations along the south side of ve bindingskanaal and the N391.

- 4) The ^{environmentally friendly} ~~ambities~~ theme of the scheme (renewable energy) should include attention to the environment of the local area and its attractiveness to tourists and nature. Currently the area is un-attractive, and would not encourage tourists to stay longer.

Using the small pockets of public owned land in the area (for example along the road sides / cycle paths) natural pathways could be made linking the area to bargeveen

and Emmen. It could make an attractive gateway to the Burgweer National Park, and Emmen, and boost the areas biodiversity.

Drethe and Emmen has here a chance to apply a new vision for a healthier pottendijk and area.

I would very much like the chance to outline further my ideas for improving the area, if that is of interest.

Yours Faithfully

PS Important. I believe the participants in the energie park (boeren, developer) should contribute to the costs / process of making the area a more attractive one for people and wildlife. Together with input from the gemeente and province Drethe, and organisations such as landschap beher Drethe, such a contribution could make a real difference to the local environment