



THE MUNICIPALITY OF DUTTON/DUNWICH

TO: Mayor and Members of Council
FROM: Laurie Spence Bannerman, CAO
DATE: October 23, 2013
SUBJECT: Strong Breeze Wind Project - Update

INFORMATION:

In order to provide an update to Council and the community on the Invenergy wind project in the municipality, CAO spoke with Invenergy representative who has stated that the Strong Breeze Wind project does not currently have an avenue through which to apply for the project in Dutton/Dunwich. Since this project is larger than those which fall under the Fit contracts, i.e. it is 100 MW project, they cannot apply through that process. Therefore, they are awaiting the Ministry of Energy's Long-Term Energy Plan, and the subsequent determination for the process of application for projects of this size, prior to being able to make a submission for this project to move forward. It is anticipated that the Ministry will have the Energy Plan out in January 2014.

SIGNATURES:

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