

## **PRESS RELEASE**

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The Coalition for Sensible Siting is very disappointed that the Minnesota Court of Appeals did not agree with our contention that the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission failed to follow the requirement of the Minnesota Legislature found in Minnesota Statutes 216F.081 which requires the PUC to respect validly adopted County Ordinances when permitting large wind energy conversion systems.

We are evaluating all of our options right now, including a possible appeal to the Minnesota Supreme Court given the conflict between the Legislative and Administrative branches of the Minnesota government on this issue.

We will be making a decision in the near future.

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