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Re: Letter of Support for Primo Wind's Proposal for GFO-16-301: Improving Performance and Cost Effectiveness of Small Hydro, Geothermal and Wind Energy Technologies

Cleantech San Diego is pleased to provide this Letter of Support to Primo Wind for its proposed wind project in the City of Chula Vista, California. We understand that the proposed project is in response to the grant funding opportunity from the California Energy Commission (CEC) entitled: "Improving Performance and Cost Effectiveness of Small Hydro, Geothermal and Wind Energy Technologies."

Primo Wind is a mission-driven company that designs, manufactures, and delivers aesthetically pleasing wind energy products that produce the most amount of energy with the smallest footprint. Primo Wind offers a complementary solution to other renewable energy sources. Teaming with the City of Chula Vista, Primo Wind will install 1.4 kW microturbines in three locations, reducing energy costs, improving the reliability and safety of Chula Vista's energy grid, and advancing California's statutory energy goals.

Cleantech San Diego is a nonprofit member organization that positions the greater San Diego region as a global leader in the cleantech economy. We achieve this by fostering collaborations across the private-public-academic landscape, leading advocacy efforts to promote cleantech priorities, and encouraging investment in the San Diego region.

Primo Wind has been an active member of Cleantech San Diego for three years. They have been a contributor to various economic forums and are a part of our regional energy innovation cluster. This project will serve as a major accelerator of distributed wind for not only the San Diego region, but also for California and the greater U.S. Companies such as Primo Wind take California's renewable energy mandate very seriously and are actively leading the charge in their market space.

We enthusiastically support Primo Wind's grant application and look forward to learning from the outcomes of the project. Should you have any questions regarding our support, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jason Anderson".

Jason Anderson
President and CEO
Cleantech San Diego