

Town of Yates Wind Turbine Survey
Tabulated on 12/23/15

2608 Mailed; 59 Returned as Not Deliverable
2549 Delivered; 1187 Repondents (46.57%)

- 1) Many topics are currently being studied regarding Lighthouse Wind. These proposed wind turbines would change the appearance of the landscape within the town. Do you have a concern about this?

Yes	No	No Opinion
793	365	27
66.92%	30.80%	2.28%

- 2) As currently proposed, the electricity from this project would be delivered into the New York State electrical grid. Should the Town of Yates attempt to negotiate a separate agreement with electric suppliers for more favorable rates?

Yes	No	No Opinion
840	133	154
74.53%	11.80%	13.66%

- 3) If Apex eventually seeks a PILOT (Payment-in-lieu-of-taxes) from COIDA (County of Orleans Industrial Agency), should this be granted?

Yes	No	No Opinion
307	654	183
26.84%	57.17%	16.00%

- 4) In 2015, the Town of Yates tax levy was \$852,205. What percentage of decrease in the Town of Yates tax levy would you like to see come from this project? Circle one answer.

0%	25%	50%	75%	100%	No Opinion
94	164	239	90	369	165
8.39%	14.63%	21.32%	8.03%	32.92%	14.72%

5) What effect do you feel wind turbines would have on property values in the Town of Yates?

Increase	Decrease	No Change
81	807	269
7.00%	69.75%	23.25%

6) Taking into consideration requirements of the Article 10 review process, do you feel the study of health issues is important?

Yes	No	No Opinion
909	208	53
77.69%	17.78%	4.53%

7) Taking into consideration requirements of the Article 10 review process, do you feel the study of wildlife issues is important?

Yes	No	No Opinion
891	247	34
76.02%	21.08%	2.90%

8) Taking into consideration requirements of the Article 10 review process, do you feel the study of possible effects on the operations at the Niagara Falls Air Reserve Station is important?

Yes	No	No Opinion
822	260	88
70.26%	22.22%	7.52%

9) Do you feel New York State's "Reforming the Energy Vision" (REV) is an effective way to reduce greenhouse gas emissions?

Yes	No	No Opinion
350	516	280
30.54%	45.03%	24.43%

10) Based on your knowledge of Lighthouse Wind, are you in favor of or opposed to this project at this time?

Favor	Oppose	No Opinion
353	770	51
30.07%	65.59%	4.34%