

Honorable Energy and Resource Committee Members,

As a concerned citizen of Lamoure County and the City of Kulm, whose roots extend deep into the counties of Logan, Stutsman and Dickey, et.al., and is steeped in generations of farmers and ranchers and land owners whose dedicated and intimate experience and knowledge and skills in providing food to the nation and world that comes from our land, is in danger of being transformed by outside financiers and investors and contractors who will "scorch" our land with power grids, wind towers and CO2 pipelines, with the help of officials of the PSC in District 28, I must passionately and urgently protest a possible [hostile] takeover by said PSC officials to "muzzle" and "censor" the voices of our opposition under HB 1258, which will give said PSC officials Absolute power to make ALL decisions on our behalf! Please, Energy and Resource Committee members, DO NOT PASS on HB 1258!

Respectively,

Kathy Jacobson-Schlecht