

Let this serve as my written testimony in opposition to House Bill 1258, the proposed energy corridor.

I was born and raised in Edgeley, my whole entire family of 10 siblings. My parents settled in Edgeley after my dad got out of the Army after serving in WWII. My dad built our farm, every structure, from the first milking barn, the dairy barn and our family home. My parents are deceased and buried in Edgeley. I am a land owner in Edgeley and do not want to see our land destroyed to benefit the corrupt individuals who will make a bloody fortune on shoving this deal through.

Jet X wants to provide energy to the investors/owners of data centers which are not located in our community. They will take our land for next to nothing. Pennies on the dollar while others will stand to make billions and billions and billions of dollars. Where does this money really come from? Foreign investments? Their intent is in no way to benefit the community nor land owners..

This bill removes any and all local control but gives it to the big corporations to override local governance while disregarding local decisions. They are banking on breaking our pocket books to accomplish their agenda. Land owners are at a disadvantage. 6t56c I would like the names of any representative claiming to support the land owner.

If this bill is passed, the State of ND will be sponsoring corporate takeover of private property. If it is not bad enough you sold land to Bill Gates to make fake food and poison us. We need farmers and land owners to continue providing our country with good and healthy food, no GMO. Why steal premium farm land when there is BLM land to be utilized. Our government owns more land but for bullshit reasons.

North Dakota was the undiscovered treasure state, leave us alone to return to our life style, working the land, farming 24 hours a day – 8 days a week – with all of the farmers overtime. Let the locals determine the future of their community and retain local control.

I respectfully request you oppose HB 1258 and be a voice for the people,

Leanne Chalker, Land Owner in LaMoure ND, residing in the crime ridden State of CO flooded with politicians who sold out CO.