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From: marc@energysmiths.com [<mailto:marc@energysmiths.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, March 20, 2019 5:01 PM
To: Bill Veno <veno@mvcommission.org>
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Dear Bill

Please accept this email as submitted public comment on this DRI.

I support approval of this application for many reasons. The chief one is of course the real threats of climate change and in particular how it will affect our island. We desperately need clean renewable energy. The second is that this organization, Vineyard Wind (VW), is composed of our own community members, and will provide the best chance we have of local input and control through the years of operation. The third is that VW has demonstrated tangible concern for the environment and the community, and will provide over 50 good paying jobs here.

The very minor aspect of this project that is under consideration by the MVC, the cable routing, was chosen due to it being the lowest impact and the best route to the grid connection.

I urge the MVC to constrain comments to the project that they have actual scrutiny over. It's a waste of time to take testimony on the entire project.

Thank you
Marc Rosenbaum
West Tisbury resident