

EB-2013-0096

IN THE MATTER OF the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998,* S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule B;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by Goshen Wind, Inc. for an order or orders pursuant to section 92 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act*, 1998 granting leave to construct transmission facilities in the Municipalities of Bluewater and Huron East.

PROCEDURAL ORDER NO. 2 July 18, 2013

Goshen Wind, Inc. (the "Applicant" or "Goshen") has filed an application with the Ontario Energy Board, (the "Board") dated April 3, 2013 under sections 92, 96(2) and 97 of the *Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998*, S.O. 1998, c.15, Schedule B (the "Act"). The Applicant has applied for an order of the Board granting leave to construct an electricity transmission line and related facilities ("Transmission Facilities") for the Goshen Wind Energy Centre ("GWEC"), a wind farm generation facility, and for Board approval of the form of agreements that have been or will be offered to affected landowners affected by the approved route. The Board has assigned file number EB-2013-0096 to this application.

The Board issued a Notice of Application and Written Hearing on April 19, 2013, and on June 7, issued a revised Procedural Order No. 1, granting intervention status to the Independent Electricity System Operator ("IESO"), and the Corporation of the Municipality of Bluewater ("Bluewater"). Bluewater's request for eligibility to apply for cost awards was not granted. In the Procedural Order, the Board also set out a schedule for interrogatories, and noted that it would delay consideration of Bluewater's request that the Board proceed by way of oral hearing until completion of the interrogatory phase of this proceeding.

On June 19, 2013, as directed by the Board, Board staff filed its interrogatories, and the Applicant filed responses to those interrogatories on July 3.

The Board notes that no party has chosen to ask IRs or to file evidence in this proceeding. The Board is of the view that the issues in this case can be adequately dealt with through a written process and the Board has therefore decided to proceed by written hearing.

The Board considers it necessary to make provision for the following:

THE BOARD ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The Municipality of Bluewater and the IESO may file a submission with the Board and deliver a copy to the other parties, no later than **Monday**, **July 29**, **2013**.
- 2. The Applicant shall file with the Board a reply to any submissions and deliver copies to the other parties no later than **Tuesday, August 6, 2013**.

All filings to the Board must quote the file number, EB-2013-0096, be made through the Board's web portal at https://www.pes.ontarioenergyboard.ca/eservice/, and consist of two paper copies and one electronic copy in searchable / unrestricted PDF format. Filings must clearly state the sender's name, postal address and telephone number, fax number and e-mail address. Please use the document naming conventions and document submission standards outlined in the RESS Document Guideline found at www.ontarioenergyboard.ca. If the web portal is not available you may email your document to the address below. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit all filings on a CD or diskette in PDF format, along with two paper copies. Those who do not have computer access are required to file 7 paper copies.

All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

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DATED at Toronto, July 18, 2013

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