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Dear Mayor Bratina and Members of Council,

We are writing to you on behalf of the Boards of Directors of both Green Venture and Environment Hamilton to support rescinding the motion the city passed in September of 2011 requesting that the province impose a moratorium on wind turbines within the City of Hamilton. We recognize that concerns have been raised by some residents living in the Glanbrook area. However, it is our understanding that with proper assessment and siting, wind turbines can be safely installed and operated in this or any other area within the city of Hamilton.

Hamilton should be part of the progressive efforts of the provincial government to increase energy sustainability, and greatly reduce the many harmful contaminants released to our air by eliminating coal-fired power plants in Ontario. We believe the wind power sector can also help to create good green jobs in Hamilton and beyond.

Yours truly,

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