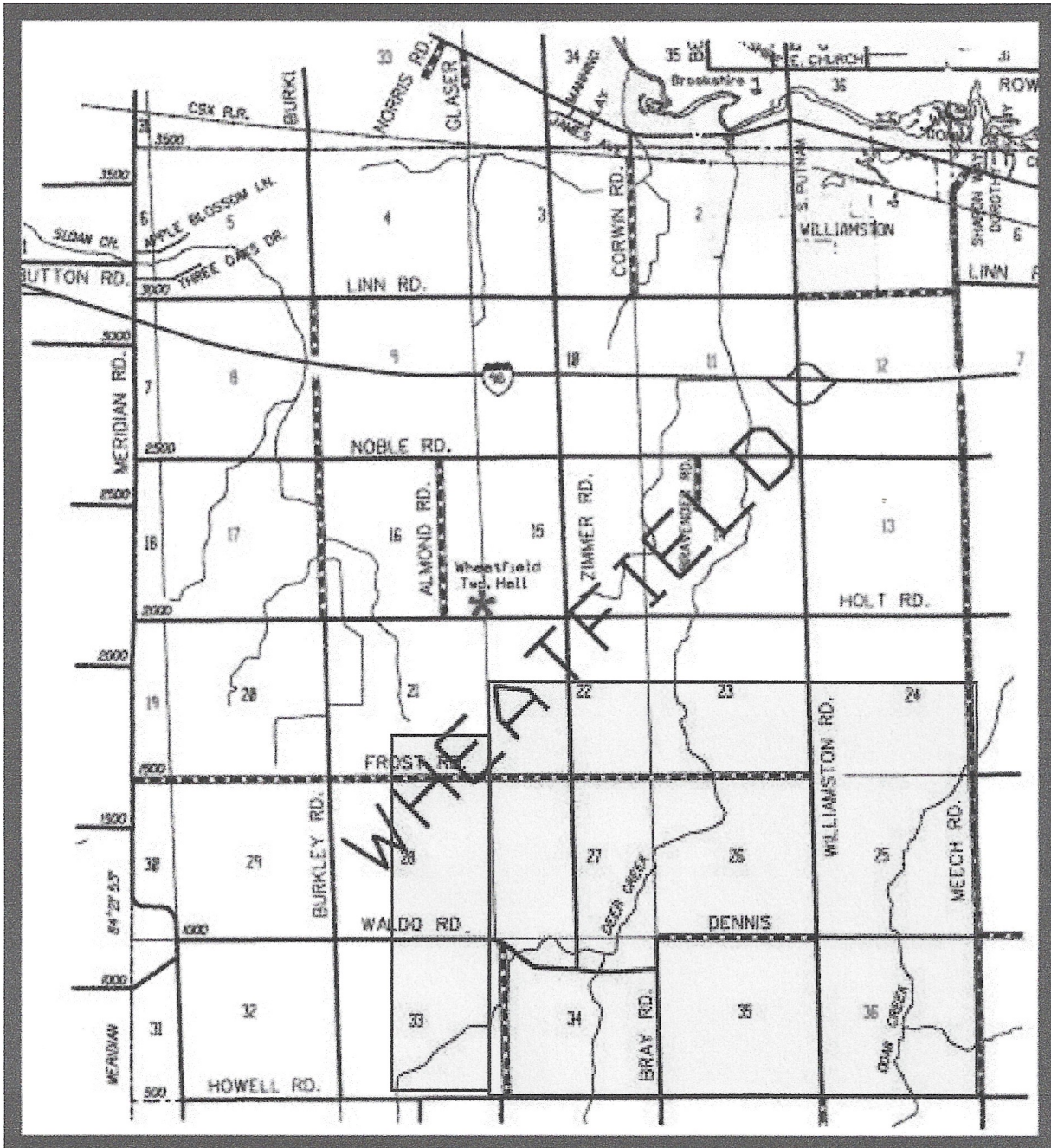


# Live in the Red Zone of Wheatfield Township?



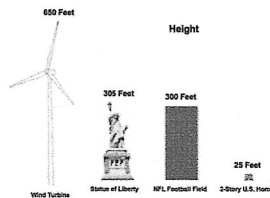
**Meet your new neighbors!**



## Why not wind turbines?

### Aesthetics and Quality of Life -Rural America

- Proposed turbines are 500-550' tall (industry says the taller the better)
- For comparison, the 3 smokestacks in downtown Lansing are 615 feet tall
- Red flashing warning lights on turbines



### Health Issues - sleep deprivation

- Audible and Inaudible vibration/pulsation
- Shadow Flicker in homes

### Damage from turbine operation/threat to adjacent property residents

- Ice Throw - Blade Throw
- Turbine fire
- Oil Leaks
- Wildlife and animal death
- Bird and bat kills, especially hawks and eagles



Source: Phtaby

### Weak or No Decommissioning Requirements

- Who will remove or dispose of the unit, including the concrete base, when it is past its useful life?

### Performance Bonds or Escrows

- If the wind farm company fails to perform maintenance or decommissioning, where will the funds come from for the township to force compliance?

### Over-the-Air Communication Interference for:

- Cellphones, Televisions, Emergency Radio signals, Emergency Flights and Weather Radars

### Wind Subsidies

- Wind farms require MASSIVE government subsidies. Warren Buffett, one of the world's richest men and a wind farm investor says, "We get a tax credit if we build a lot of wind farms. That's the only reason to build them. They don't make sense without the tax credit."

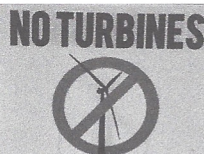
## CALL TO ACTION

- 1) Attend township planning commission meetings (3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs @ 7PM) or send an email to [planning@wheatfieldtwpmi.gov](mailto:planning@wheatfieldtwpmi.gov) to voice your concerns.
- 2) Sign up to receive Ingham County Citizens United (ICCU) emails at [www.stopturbines.com](http://www.stopturbines.com), join the ICCU Facebook Group or call (517) 512-0846 for more information.
- 3) Get a STOP TURBINES yard sign at [www.stopturbines.com](http://www.stopturbines.com).
- 4) Donate to ICCU to help with legal counsel expenses at [www.stopturbines.com](http://www.stopturbines.com)

## Reasons to Get Involved

- You want to save your property value
- You want to protect wildlife, wetlands, and farmland
- You are concerned about health and safety effects of wind farms
- You don't want to bear the financial risk of repairing roads and unfulfilled corporation promises of the financial benefits of wind farms
- You believe in being a good neighbor and having ordinances that are consistent with the adjacent townships (Leroy, White Oak, Ingham, & Stockbridge)
- You want to hold elected and appointed officials accountable and ensure that township business is conducted in transparent ways and that include resident input.

**Silence means you  
approve of the result**



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