

## Proclamation for the Carbon County Board of County Commissioners

**PROCLAMATION:** To Designate June 15, 2010, as “Wyoming Wind Day”

**WHEREAS,** June 15, 2010, has been designated as Global Wind Day to highlight the environmental benefits, economic benefits and energy production benefits of renewable wind energy worldwide,

**WHEREAS,** Wyoming has a proud history of providing the energy that powers our nation and wind energy is the newest player on the Wyoming energy stage,

**WHEREAS,** Wyoming currently has 1101 MW of installed wind energy and is ranked as number 8 among all states for wind power potential,

**WHEREAS,** wind power plants will support short and long-term job creation; add millions of dollars in ongoing property, sales, and excise tax revenues to state and local government; and diversify Wyoming’s energy export economy,

**WHEREAS,** the Wyoming Infrastructure Authority estimates that for every 3000 MW of installed capacity, wind energy will bring \$2 billion in direct and employment benefits and tax revenue during construction, \$316 million in benefits per year of operation, and 176 long-term, well-paying jobs,

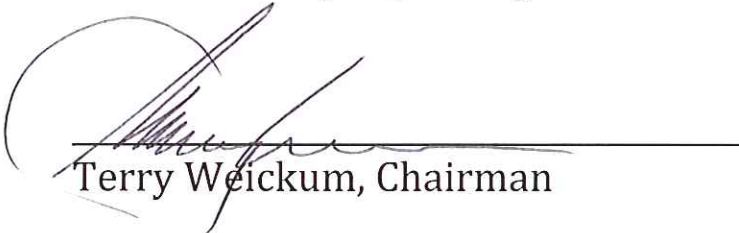
**WHEREAS**, wind is a renewable, inexhaustible fuel supply that Wyoming can count on to provide stable, local jobs and local revenues for generations to come,

**WHEREAS**, responsible wind development in Wyoming will bring substantial income to landowners while allowing landowners, livestock and wildlife to continue their use and enjoyment of the land,

**WHEREAS**, responsible wind development will create the potential for ancillary business opportunities for a range of current and new Wyoming companies, thus further diversifying and strengthening Wyoming's economy,

Now, Therefore Be It Resolved, that the Carbon County Board of County Commissioners Designate June 15, 2010 as Wyoming Wind Day

Board of County Commissioners  
Carbon County Wyoming



Terry Weickum, Chairman

ATTEST:



  
Gwynn G. Bartlett, County Clerk