



From the Office of Bobby Levy

Oregon House of Representatives  
House District 58

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## Support HB 2375A: Wind Turbine Light Mitigation

Wind turbines frequently have red, blinking lights at the top of the towers for visibility and navigation safety. With advanced systems, it is possible to turn these lights on and off - in other words, a light-mitigation system which is typically optional for wind turbine projects and dependent on a safety determination by the Federal Aviation Administration ("FAA"). As part of the permitting process for wind energy facilities, the FAA studies a facility to determine if it poses a hazard to air traffic and navigation and if it is eligible to install a light-mitigation system.

With this bill, Oregon will position itself among other states (WA, CO, ND, KS) that have adopted laws to require wind developers to apply for and install Light-Mitigation Systems which include Aircraft Detection Lighting Systems ("ADLS"). *ADLS systems do not flash red blinky lights UNLESS there is aircraft detected.*

HB 2375A is reflective of industry feedback to ensure that implementation is possible, without project delays due to uncertainty or unforeseen project costs.

**Renewable Northwest is pleased to support HB 2375A and we encourage your support.**

