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Thunder Bay has two natural assets:

- 1) The Shoreline of Lake Superior – The Harbour Front Marina & The Sleeping Giant;**
- 2) The Nor'Wester Mountains and Escarpment .**

On any given day, more citizens of Thunder Bay (by 40 times to 1) view the Nor'Westers more than the Harbour Front and Sleeping Giant.

The Nor'Wester Mountains are Thunder Bay's signature to our way of life. The Nor'Westers are the "nature" in "Superior by Nature".

The natural beauty that we enjoy and what we call and love as the Nor'Wester Mountains can't be sold and ruined by a Toronto Real Estate Developer that has absolutely no regard for our enjoyment, peace and tranquility.

Living in the North, we have understood one thing very well....the pleasure of silence and nature. Unfortunately, those fellow residents living in South Neebing will have that forever taken away from them if this Industrial Wind Turbine project proceeds on the Nor'Wester Mountains.

The City of Thunder Bay and residents (the stakeholders) have always walked to a different beat than Toronto and southern Ontario. Why are we allowing their policies to change what we enjoy? We are not them, so why should they be allowed to ruin our pristine environment?!

We all know that what we view today is not necessarily what we view tomorrow. But that does not mean that we should hasten to change the view of the Nor'Westers. Our children and their children will never be able to repair the destruction of the Nor'Wester Mountains if we allow a Toronto Real Estate Developer to install Industrial Wind Turbines on the Nor'Wester Mountains.

17,000 acres of land, mountains and lakes that have been held in Trust for 100 years by our Fathers, and our Fathers' Fathers, that only a few people of Thunder Bay have ever witnessed is about to be destroyed. For what reason? An Industrial Wind Turbine Project?

This land is owned by the Residents of Thunder Bay.

This land is not owned by the Council of Thunder Bay to dispose of without due process, on our behalf.

This land is not owned by the Administration of the City of Thunder Bay; Administration is mandated to work honestly and forthright for the Council and residents of Thunder Bay....to look after their well being as laid out in our By-Laws.

This is our way of life.

This is OUR viewshed.