## Michigan Great Lakes Wind Council

### AGENDA March 25, 2009

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Executive Order 2009-01: Key Issues

- Where should offshore wind be permitted/encouraged/discouraged?
- How should Michigan prepare for its first development applications?
- How should Michigan address issues of compensation? (e.g. bottomland leasing)
- What process should be used to engage all Michigan stakeholders in permitting?

Other nations and states have asked these questions, not always at the beginning…
Risk of Permitting Delays
• Poor Return on Investment
  ♦ e.g., Cape Wind, 8 years permitting purgatory

Risk of Environmental Degradation
• Violate Public Trust Doctrine
  ♦ e.g., Altamont Pass, bird kills
Michigan Seeks Middle Ground

- Begin the conversation beforehand
  - Proponents, opponents, the undecided
- Offshore wind permitting “Dry Run” 2008
  - State and federal agencies gather in Lansing
- Governor’s Great Lakes Wind Council 2009
  - Report to governor September 1, 2009
  - Identify criteria for best and worst locations
  - Framework for “Wind Resource Access Management”