

Production Tax Credit for Wind Energy

American produced power is vital if we wish to be energy independent. The PTC drives billions of dollars in private investment in each year. Wind farms can revitalize local communities through providing employment in construction jobs and maintenance jobs. Revenue for community schools and hospitals over the lifetime of the project is a wonderful result. Power that our country gets from clean, homegrown, affordable resources is an excellent thing for us to do – and this tax credit provides an incentive for the wind industry to continue to do just that.

-I urge the committee to take up an extension of the wind energy production tax credit right away.