

of about 30 wind turbines in Pontypool. "One needs to look at all of the options and there are many such as Bio gas Solar panels Geo

in addition to the financial reasons, the effect on the environment is also critical. "Environmentally wind mills are not the best

pects with due diligence," advises Glen Middleton a Certified Management Accountant with proven business acumen and has



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Why I am Running for City Council

I love this city and I am passionate about our future. Mississauga is no longer a village it is the 6th largest city in Canada. We need our politicians to be transparent and accountable. We need due process. We need councillor's who will be independent. Build consensus and make decisions based on fact and not personality conflict.

Having run a local business has given me a wealth of experience that is very transferable to municipal politics.

As a small businessperson and resident I am driven to get involved because like many of you I have just had enough. Enough of personal conflicts on council and even more so enough of my hard earned money being wasted.

Politicians need to get the message that there is only ONE taxpayer. The recent example of wasting Stimulus Money just proves my point. We do not have to spend the money; we need to look at how we spend the money.

I firmly believe there should be a 2-term limit for councillor to ensure that we have a steady flow of new ideas. Being in the position of councillor for over 20 years turns in to a sense of entitlement and self-importance.

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erational are facing certain health issues. Sherri Lange founder of Toronto Wind Action Foundation (TMAF) says, "In Ontario we know of six families that have moved due to noise and vibration, leading to symptoms of sleeplessness, headaches, mood disorders, and depression whole series of medical and psychological disorders. Some of them are comparing it with living inside a teenager's guitar." Sherri strongly feels that the companies into power generation through wind turbines have something to hide, "Some of the families who have moved under a gag order imposed by companies who have paid for their homes. They have moved out but had to sign that they will not discuss their problems. That is a big signal to us and to the people of Ontario that there is something like a mess out there. If you have to shut people up, what is it that you are hiding?" The number of families affected runs close to 125, as per Sherri some of the families have moved with out or underreporting hence the figure could be even higher. Sherri mentions the case of a little girl Kera, "Kera has been to the hospital eleven times. She can't even articulate but she screams

holding her ears so she makes emergent visit to health care facilities and every times she leaves she is fine, but take her back to her house she is screaming again. And there is only one factor that could be responsible and that is the turbine near this little girl's home."

Michael Spenceley, co-founder of TMAF takes a leaf out of India's success with alternative fuels and wishes the same could be done here in Canada too, "India has done exemplary with the use of the CNG. The Canadian government intends to send its officers there to explore the market for Canadian companies. Why the government can't explore the use of CNG here in Canada?"

Their concern appears to have gone beyond the border, "We have almost 10,000 members in Buffalo opposing wind turbines in area of Great Lakes and they want to join hands with us here in Toronto," informs Sherri. Glen Middleton reveals the cost impact on Canadians for the power generations through wind turbines, "People who are trying to force

wind turbines on us, for few there is high degree of money involvement where as for the ordinary person this would mean increase in power rates. Right now we pay 6.5 cents per kilowatt hour of power, while the wind developers get 18.5 cent per kilowatt hour!" Sherri opines, "Glen has done a lot of research on the subject and we want people like him to be on the city council."

And Glen gets an ample support on the issue from Paul Ainsley of Ward 43 and Sean Glendley of Ward 36. "I love this city and I am watching it start a slow decay because the finances are not being adequately maintained, social services are being changed, transit is a mess, and we have soft serving council that do not adopt the best practices in business. So I would use some of my business skills to set right a lot of wrongs. This is not to say that some of councillor are not businessmen, but basically they are politicians and don't know which side is up and which side is down," says Glen Middleton.

