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The Gulf of Maine is NOT an experimental ground!

- 1. Destroying miles of the ocean bottom and miles of the eco-system where life begins is NOT good for the environment.
- 2. Electromagnetic fields are NOT beneficial to marine life, let alone right whales.
- 3. The same environmental groups that are pushing fishermen to change practices to avoid potentially harming right whales are pushing for wind farms which will potentially harm right whales.
- 4. Fishermen, their families, heritage, livelihoods and the fishing communities and economies that depend on them will pay the price. Do not forget the trickle-down effect on all that depend on fishing. Seafood workers, food stores, fish markets, restaurants, consumers, bait dealers, truck drivers, fuel companies, marine mechanics, trap builders, the tourist industry.
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 4. Maine already has enough sustainable energy for the state. This energy is NOT needed in Maine.
- 5. Energy cost for wind is up to 6 times HIGHER than other sources with a guaranteed 2.5% increase every year for the 20 YEAR EXPERIMENT, after which the windfarm will be DISMANTLED.
- 6. Windfarm blades are NOT recyclable.
- 7. Follow the money trail to see just who benefits from this taxpayer funded project.

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