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Message Subject: Energy, Environment, Economics, Manufacturing

Dear Mr. Kissell,

Congratulations on your winning the election. I know you worked hard.

I am writing you, because it appears to me that almost all elected officials have not figured out that the environmental extremists have been a part of nearly crushing American manufacturing.

Environmentalists alone did not kill manufacturing in our country. However, they were and continue to be a large part of the problem, specifically of Alcoa who used to provide up to 900 jobs in Stanly County. Unions, environmental laws, and international currency are other factors that contributed to the demise of over 6,500 jobs in Stanly County alone.

Soon you will be voting on some sort of carbon limits or a cap and trade for carbon. Know that two points are important:

1. Manmade global warming or manmade climate change is not true and there is a much under-reported side to this debate. I would be pleased to supply many references.
2. Energy production from within the USA borders is absolutely and positively needed for reasons of energy security, national security, economic prosperity and a continued good life for all Americans.

The momentum toward renewable power/renewable energy is misguided and leads many to be overly optimistic on the myth that renewables will power jet aircraft, diesel trucks and manufacturing jobs in America. Nearly no one seems to notice that electricity costs must be kept at reasonable levels for American manufacturing to survive along with the American way of life. This is serious and few seem to understand it. I hope you will research the truth in energy, economic prosperity and the need for more domestic energy production from all sources of energy in America. These sources include drilling off the continental shelf of NC and elsewhere and in ANWR. America needs all forms of energy including coal, nuclear, natural gas, oil and renewables. You may know that 93% of our energy consumption is thermal energy that cannot be replaced by renewables. 93% is coal, nuclear, oil and gas. I will be pleased to meet with you or supply you with additional information, should you be interested.

Yours very truly,

(Your Name Here)