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- In areas of low population and development turbines are a big plus.
- Closer to homes, turbines can be negative to neighbors and might keep a buyer away but did not have insight on actual sales.
- Land is surprisingly strong.
- Insecticides pose a larger impact on gamebirds and wildlife than turbines.
- Turbines do not hurt values, if anything they help property values.
- Turbines can affect each individual differently.
- Crocker Wind Farm will help the economy.
- Turbines do not pose an effect on hunting.
- In his opinion, people with turbine leases on their land regret having turbines nearby because of the jet-like noise.
- Does not see any difference in land values.
- Land sales are strong because there are limited properties on the market.
- Farmettes and smaller residential properties are not in demand in the current market.
- Property owned by hunters only effect marginal areas of the state.
- Turbine leases are a big plus to landowner, and the people like having the towers on their land.
- Has not seen any sales involving turbines yet.
- Has seen concern from some farmers about the effect the turbines have on livestock.
- Aging owners are needing to sell their residential property, but there has been movement from larger cities to buy these properties.
- Has family land in McPherson County with a turbine nearby.