

Number Nine Wind Farm

Aroostook County, Maine

Number Nine Wind Farm will be located in remote Aroostook County in commercial timberland and will provide stable income to landowners and tax revenue to the county. The project will connect to the Maine power grid in southern Maine via a new transmission line.





₩**350 MW**



Number Nine Wind Farm's generation will be equivalent to the average consumption of more than **156,000 Maine homes**.¹

Number Nine will save more than **622 million gallons** of water each year and prevents the air pollution that causes smog, acid rain, and climate change.²

Economic Benefits



CAPITAL INVESTMENT³ **\$1.1 billion**



\$1 million annually PAID TO LANDOWNERS



PERMANENT JOBS⁶ Approximately 40 jobs will be created



\$228 million WILL BE PAID TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS⁴



\$30 million+ SPENT LOCALLY⁵



CONSTRUCTION JOBS⁶ Up to 1,200 jobs will be created

All economic data reflects the estimated amount throughout the life of the project.



Number Nine Wind Farm will consist of approximately **70 state-of-the-art wind turbines.**

The 162-mile, 345 kilovolt transmission line could open **renewable energy development opportunities in Aroostook County**.

Number Nine will **provide to the national energy security** for the state of Maine and the United States, helping diversify domestic supply.

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Wind is the **largest source** of renewable electricity generation in the United States, **providing 13%** of the country's electricity.⁷

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¹Power generation calculated using a 35% capacity factor for wind based on 2019 AWEA Wind Powers America Annual Report. Household consumption based on the 2018 EIA Household Data monthly average consumption by state.

² Assumes 0.58 gallons of water consumed per kWh of conventional electricity from Lee, Han, & Elgowainy, 2016.

³Projected capital expenditure for wind farm and transmission line construction and operation based on "The Economic Benefits of the Number Nine Wind Project to the State and Local Economy of Maine" prepared by Ryan D. Wallace PhD, May 2020.

⁴Cumulative local government payments from 2010 through 2020.

⁵Includes vendor spending, property taxes, landowner payments and wages from site jobs

^eFull-time equivalent jobs calculated by dividing number of contractor hours worked during construction by 2080.