

**Meadowlark Wind I LLC
New Frontier Wind Energy Project – McHenry County
June 2018 Construction Summary
Case No. PU-11-69
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**Project Address:
New Frontier Wind Energy Project
3096 Hwy 41 Ruso, ND 58778**

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HS&E:

There have been no recordable safety incidents on the project.

Crews continue to receive health, safety and environmental orientation and trade specific training. The Project Safety Committee held their first meeting on June 21, 2018. Civil, Foundations and T-Line were represented. Their second meeting was held June 28, 2018. They will meet every other week thereafter. All employees working onsite receive an environmental requirements overview for the project area during the orientation process.

Civil:

During the month of June, civil crews continued to construct access roads, excavate foundations and gravel roads throughout the construction site. Backfill activities have started.

Activity	Complete to Date	Project Total	Unit	Percent Complete
Strip String Roads	7.07	10.54	MI	67%
Subgrade	5.81	10.54	MI	55%
Gravel String Roads	3.96	10.54	MI	38%
County/Township Improvement	0.18	3.10	MI	6%
Grade Turbine Site	17	29	EA	59%
Excavations	13	29		45%
Backfill	1	29	EA	3%
Crane Pad	0	29	EA	0%
Culvert	1,580	4740	LF	33%
Silt Fence	11,242	34,000	LF	34%

Foundation:

During the month of June foundation crews started concrete pours.

Activity	Complete to Date	Project Total	Unit	Percent Complete
Rebar Deliveries	14.5	29	EA	50%
Seal Slab	14	29	EA	48%
Bottom Mat Rebar	11	29	EA	38%
Bolt Cages	10	29	EA	34%
Vestas Grounding	10	29	EA	34%
Top Mat Rebar	9	29	EA	31%
Base Form	8	29	EA	28%
Base Pour	8	29	EA	28%
Conduit	6	29	EA	21%
Pedestal Form	6	29	EA	21%
Pedestal Pour	6	29	EA	21%

Underground Collection:

Crews, equipment and materials mobilized to site in the month of June.

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Substation:

Crews, equipment and materials mobilized to the site in the month of June.

Transmission Line:

Crews continued to frame, drill and set poles. Crews started grounding poles during the month of June.

Activity	Complete to Date	Project Total	Unit	Percent Complete
Offload Poles	212	214	EA	99%
Anchors	28	72	EA	39%
Guying	4	72	EA	6%
Framing Structures	91	214	EA	43%
Drill Hole	39	214	EA	18%
Set Pole	39	214	EA	18%
Pole Grounding – Ground Rods	27	214	EA	13%

SWPPP:

Bi-weekly SWPPP inspections are taking place onsite. Post rain inspections are taking place after significant rain events of 0.25" or more. Monitoring was conducted during the weekly inspections to ensure there is no evidence of water or sediment creating dikes within or running off the project boundaries. Maintenance is conducted as needed.

Spill Prevention:

A fuel containment facility is being used in the laydown yard which contains all diesel, gasoline, used oil, DEF, and other materials. Spill kits are available in the facility. There is a contaminated soils barrel located in the fuel farm, all contaminated materials and soils will be disposed of properly.

- The EPC's contractor was on site the week of June 4th to certify the fuel containment facility installation. The finalized SPCC was received on June 29th, 2018.
- Spill Event – There have been no spills to date.

Wetlands:

Meadowlark's environmental consultant continues staking wetland areas throughout the project site. The EPC is actively installing erosion control as needed around all wetland areas prior to work activities commencing near wetland areas.

Wildlife:

Due to the disturbance of the southern edge of habitat identified as potentially suitable for the Dakota skipper in the area of Turbine 23, work at that location ceased on June 10 for the duration of the mobile flight period (June 18 – July 14). Compliance with all project requirements to minimize indirect effects on the Dakota skipper were met at all times. USFWS visited the site to investigate. USFWS has stated work may restart at the discretion of the developer. Meadowlark Wind is finalizing a restart work plan.