# Repsol Renewables North America in Illinois



Repsol Renewables North America is the US-based, low-carbon generation arm of Repsol, a global multi-energy company. The Repsol Renewables North America team is focused on advancing projects from greenfield development and origination through construction and operations, with 800 MW of operating projects and an additional 20,000 MW of projects in development across the country.

Repsol Renewables North America is developing a portfolio of over 3,200 MW of projects in Illinois and is actively looking for additional areas of investment. We are making a strong commitment to the state and the communities hosting our projects.

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400+ MW Peoria County

## How Our Projects Benefit Communities

Wind is America's largest source of renewable energy and already accounts for 12% of all electricity produced in Illinois. To date, the total wind energy investment in Illinois is over \$13.7 billion and growing.

Repsol Renewables North America's wind projects represent a significant investment in the state and directly support Illinois communities in several ways:

Paying annual property tax revenues that can be used to directly benefit local school districts, emergency services, road upgrades, and county and city budgets. More than \$57 million in state and local tax dollars are generated by wind projects each year.

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Creating family-wage construction jobs and long-term operations and maintenance jobs. Wind turbine technician is the second fastest growing job in the US, and in 2023, the wind industry created nearly 17,000 construction jobs resulting in \$1.1 billion in new earnings.



Supporting local landowners and their ongoing farming operations through annual lease, easement, and neighbor agreement payments. Wind projects provide more than \$47 million annually to Illinois residents in the form of land lease payments.



Infusing new spending into the local economy by purchasing construction-related equipment, materials, and hospitality services from Illinois-based suppliers. In 2023 alone, the wind industry generated \$2.6 billion in construction-related spending.

Delivering reliable, domestically produced energy at a cost-effective and stable price, increasing energy security and helping meet the growing demand for electricity.

## About Repsol

Repsol is a global multi-energy company committed to reaching net zero emissions by 2050. Present throughout the energy value chain, it employs 25,000 people, distributes its products in more than 90 countries, and serves 24 million customers. Repsol is a major player in the Spanish energy retail market, with more than two million customers, boasts a global renewable energy portfolio of more than 3,000 MW in operation and has 60 GW of wind and solar projects in development in Spain, the United States, Chile, Italy and Portugal.

#### Please Contact Us with Your Questions, Ideas & Thoughts

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