

New Frontier Wind

I'm Christopher Ray, Site Manager for New Frontier Wind and I'm happy to be reaching out to the community. New Frontier Wind, located on approximately 10,700 acres of privately-owned lands in McHenry County, is a 99-megawatt facility with 29 Vestas turbines. Five to eight Vestas technicians work here maintaining the V-126 units.

I was lucky enough to join the Capital Power team in 2023. Prior to this, I served in the U.S. Air Force for four years as a Security Forces Leader in Germany and Iraq, and served for 13 years with the Ward County Detention Center in Minot. I thoroughly enjoyed my time in Law Enforcement and the relationships that I built with the brave men and woman that serve the community. I made the transition from Law Enforcement in early 2023 to renewable energy at New Frontier, first as a Vestas Site Manager overseeing the technicians and most recently as Capital Power's Site Manager for the facility.

At New Frontier, I've learned an immense amount of information about the technicians and the wind turbine functions. Although I am new to renewable energy, I have a better understanding of the role that we play in the future of energy while also positively impacting the local community with ongoing support. Developing and maintaining strong relationships with Vestas and the local community has always been a priority for Capital Power, and I look forward to continuing that in my Site Manager role.

We have an established community investment program, which I am proud to say has been at work in the local area. In 2023, we launched our Community Sustainability Fund offering grants of up to \$20,000. See page 2 for more information on last year's local recipient and how you can apply for the 2024 grant.

Thank you for taking time to learn more about New Frontier. We are committed to making a positive impact in the community and we welcome all questions or concerns. Our contact information is listed on the back page. On behalf of Capital Power, I want to wish you health and safety!

Christopher Ray
Site Manager, New Frontier Wind



About Us

Capital Power (TSX:CPX) is a growth-oriented power producer committed to net zero by 2045, with approximately 9,300 MW of power generation at 32 facilities across North America.

We prioritize delivering reliable, affordable and decarbonized power that communities can depend on.

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Site updates

Whooping Cranes

Capital Power continues to participate in a Whooping Crane monitoring program which employs three local community members. Each year during the Spring and Fall, observations for Whooping Cranes are monitored twice each day for any presence. If Whooping Cranes are seen in the area, our turbines are paused to provide a safe flying environment. Our results are then reported to the North Dakota Game and Fish Department, and to the US Fish and Wildlife Service who use the data to better monitor the endangered species.

Open house

Capital Power is planning to host an open house and lunch in June 2024 for landowners and community members. Stay tuned for details.



Building our community together

We're excited to collaborate with innovative organizations and partners making significant impacts on the vibrancy, wellbeing and overall sustainability of our communities. We aim to source supplies and services locally for our operations, as well as hire from the community.

We give back where we live and work by supporting local organizations and through our employees' community participation with our corporate giving programs.

Recent community support includes:

- Velva Area Dollars for Scholars
- Velva Guys & Gals 4H Club
- Velva Boys basketball
- Velva Food Pantry
- Velva Fire & Rescue
- Velva in Progress



Christopher Ray presenting the 2023 CSF grant to Mason Kraft (L) and Patrick Effertz (R)



Christopher recognizing 15 years of service to Vestas technician, Don Mascol



We are proud to support the communities where we live and work to help you achieve your climate action goals. Last year, we launched our Community Sustainability Fund (CSF) to support sustainable grassroots projects that benefit our communities. Grants of up to \$20,000 are available!

Velva Youth Baseball received a \$15,000 grant from the CSF to upgrade the pitcher's mound with a synthetic Fieldturf mound resulting in a maintenance free improvement, reducing water usage and maintenance to the field.

The deadline to apply for our 2024 Community Sustainability Fund is May 31, 2024.

For more info or to apply, please visit: www.capitalpower.com/CSF

Request support for your community initiative

Capital Power provides support in the areas of Climate Action, Wellbeing and Equity & Opportunity. If you are a part of a community organization that operates in this area and have events or initiatives that support these impact areas, please consider requesting support through our on-line system on our website: www.capitalpower.com/support



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