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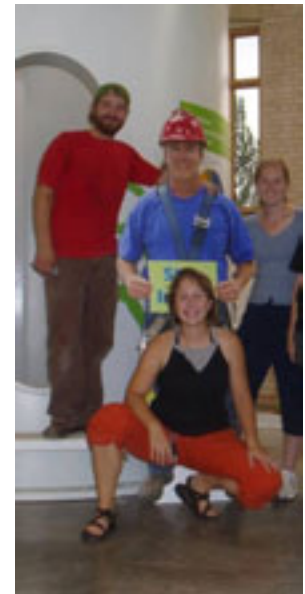
LEARN HOW TO HARVEST THE WIND

The logo for Wind Industry, featuring a stylized wind turbine icon above the word "WINDUSTRY" in a serif font.

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MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA

Who is Windustry?

- “Windustry promotes progressive renewable energy solutions and empowers communities to develop wind energy as an environmentally sustainable, community-owned asset. Through member supported outreach, education and advocacy we work to remove the barriers to broad community ownership of wind energy.



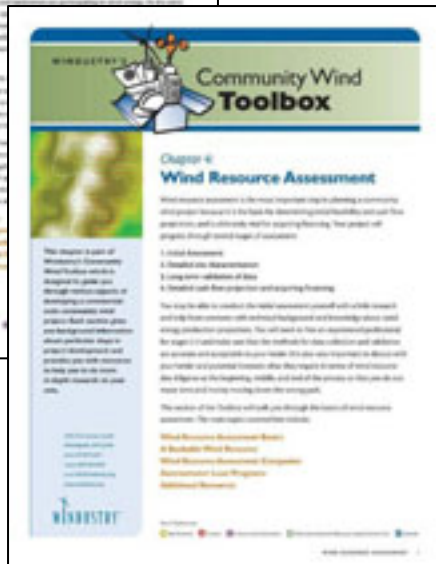
Benefits of Community Wind

- **Stimulates the local economy** by creating new jobs, new business opportunities, and bringing new investment to the community.
- **Ushers in more renewable energy** and support for wind by getting local people involved.
- **Strengthens rural communities** by broadening the tax base and generating new income for farmers.
- **Produces clean energy**, and reduces pollution, pollution-related illnesses, and emissions of greenhouse gases.
- **Keeps energy investment dollars local.**
- **Builds a new industry** in rural communities that is compatible with agriculture.
- **Addresses climate change** with local solutions.

Resources: Community Wind Toolbox



Community Wind Toolbox





“Community wind helps get people connected to their energy use. Local energy production helps to build a better society, a better culture, and a better planet.”

David Benson

Farmer and Nobles County Commissioner
Bigelow, Minnesota



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Next Steps

- Policy
- Finance
- Projects in the ground

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