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ORES DMM Matter Number 23-02973 - Application of NY NORTH COUNTRY WIND, LLC, for a Major Renewable Energy Facility Siting Permit Pursuant to Article VIII of the New York State Public Service Law to Develop, Design, Construct, Operate, Maintain, and Decommission a 360-Megawatt (MW) Wind Energy Facility Located in the TOWNS OF BELLMONT, BURKE, AND CHATEAUGAY, FRANKLIN COUNTY, and the TOWN OF CLINTON, CLINTON COUNTY.

CORRECTED NOTICE OF APPLICATION FILING AND
AVAILABILITY OF LOCAL AGENCY ACCOUNT FUNDING¹

(Issued March 2, 2026)

On February 13, 2026, NY North Country Wind, LLC, filed an application pursuant to Public Service Law article VIII seeking a siting permit to develop, design, construct, operate, maintain, and decommission the North Country Wind Project with a nameplate generating capacity of up to 360 megawatts (MW) in the Towns of Bellmont, Burke, and Chateaugay, Franklin County, and the Town of Clinton, Clinton County. The February 13, 2026, application filing commenced the 60-day application completeness review pursuant to 16 NYCRR 1100-4.1 by the Office of Renewable Energy Siting and Electric Transmission (ORES or Office).

The facility is proposed to include the installation and operation of up to 80 wind turbines, together with the associated electrical collection lines (below ground and overhead), access roads, meteorological towers, operation and maintenance ("O&M") building, and collector substation. North Country would also construct a new point of interconnect ("POI") switchyard and 345-kV high-voltage loop-in and loop-out transmission lines (New York Power Authority

¹ This notice corrects the notice of application filing and availability of local agency account funding issued February 17, 2026 (see DMM Item No. 90). The corrections consist of reducing the generating capacity of the proposed facility from 364.5 MW to 360 MW, reducing the number of turbines from 81 to 80, reducing the amount of the local agency account funding fee from \$364,500 to \$360,000, and correcting the Office's mailing address. No other changes were made to the February 17, 2026, notice.

facilities) adjacent to its collector substation. Upon completion, the ownership of these New York Power Authority facilities will be transferred over to the New York Power Authority.

With its application, NY North Country Wind, LLC, submitted the required local agency account fee of \$360,000. Please take notice that funds are available to eligible local agencies and potential community intervenors for use in contributing to the development of a complete record leading to an informed decision by the Office as to the appropriateness of the site and the facility, and for local agencies, for use in determining whether a proposed facility is designed to be sited, constructed, and operated in compliance with applicable local laws and regulations.

Local agencies and potential community intervenors intending to request local agency account funding must submit their request for funding by no later than **4:30 p.m. EST on March 19, 2026**. Parties requesting such funding must use the **ORES Request For Local Agency Account Funding** form available in the Resources section of the ORES website at: <https://dps.ny.gov/ores-resources>.

All requests for local agency account funding must register on the party list on the Department of Public Service's Document and Matter Management (DMM) system,² consent to electronic service, and electronically file (EFile) the funding request form. Information on how to register on DMM and EFile may be found at: <https://dps.ny.gov/dmm-login-document-and-matter-management-system>.

Any person unable to consent to electronic service may obtain authorization for alternative means of receiving service upon good cause shown to the assigned Administrative Law Judges (ALJs) John L. Favreau (john.favreau@dps.ny.gov) and Christopher McEneny Chan (christopher.mceneneychan@dps.ny.gov).

In addition to Efiling, all requests for local agency account funding must be served on ORES by email to ores.hearings@dps.ny.gov. All requests must also be served by email on all persons on the party list for this proceeding and the assigned ALJs. The party list for this proceeding may be found at: <https://dps.ny.gov/ores-permit-applications>; click on Project Permit Application Number 23-02973; then click on the "Party List" tab.

² All persons who register as a party are provisionally added to the party list. Formal party status is conferred upon ruling of the Administrative Law Judge.

Persons without internet or e-mail access may mail their documents to the **Office of Renewable Energy Siting and Electric Transmission (ORES), Three Empire State Plaza, Albany, NY 12223-1350, Attn: 23-02973 Local Agency Account Funding Request.** The requests must be received by **March 19, 2026.** Copies of the request must also be mailed to the persons on the party list at the addresses shown on the list, and to the assigned ALJ care of the address above.

All public documents for this project may be reviewed online at: <https://dps.ny.gov/ores-permit-applications>; click on Project Permit Application Number 23-02973.

Guidance regarding the Public Service Law article VIII siting process, including the procedures regarding intervenor funding for eligible municipal and local parties, is available in the Resources section of the ORES website at: <https://dps.ny.gov/ores-resources>.