

# Heritage Prairie Renewable

Heritage Prairie Renewable is a wind and solar development jointly developed by Pattern Energy and ConnectGen. The Heritage Prairie Wind project will be located in western Kankakee County and north-eastern Livingston County. The Heritage Prairie Solar project will be located east of the Village of Essex in Kankakee County.



## Meaningful Partnerships

We believe in acting as a good neighbor through long-term engagement and giving. Pattern Energy and ConnectGen commit to listening to and respecting the landowners and communities that host our projects through relationship building, open communication, and the reception of feedback. We encourage you to call or email our team to start a conversation.

## Economic Investment

Represents a private investment of \$1 billion, bringing widespread economic benefits to the community.

## Job Creation

Creates 700–900 wind construction jobs and 300–400 solar construction jobs, including equipment operators, electricians, laborers, and more. We prioritize hiring locally when possible. Once operational, permanent staff will operate and maintain the wind and solar facilities.

## Business Opportunities

Creates millions of dollars of opportunity for local businesses to provide materials and services.

## Lasting Revenue

Projected to provide an average of \$5 million per year to local communities, totalling \$159 million over the facility's projected life. The stable, long-term funding will contribute to education, community services, roads, and first responder capabilities. Land leases will also provide local families with a new reliable income source.





## Harnessing the Power of the Wind and Sun

Wind and solar energy provide local and sustainable electricity to the nation's energy mix. Today's energy technologies deliver affordability and reliability during peak electricity demand, making wind and solar ideal energy sources.

Designed as a 500 MW wind energy facility and 300 MW solar energy facility, Heritage Prairie Renewable will provide safe, affordable, and renewable electricity to power the needs of more than 550,000 Americans yearly.

We estimate construction will begin in 2023 with a goal of achieving commercial operation by 2024/2025.

## About Pattern Energy

Pattern Energy is a leading renewable energy company. We develop, construct, own and operate high-quality wind, solar, transmission, and energy storage facilities. Our mission is to transition the world to renewable energy by sustainably developing and responsibly operating facilities safely and responsibly and respecting the environment, communities, and cultures where we have a presence.

Our approach begins and ends with establishing trust, accountability, and transparency. Our company values of creative spirit and energy, pride of ownership, follow-through, and a team-first attitude drive us to pursue our mission every day. Our culture supports our values by fostering innovative and critical thinking and a deep belief in living up to our promises.

Headquartered in the United States, Pattern has a global portfolio of more than 30 power facilities and transmission assets, serving various customers that provide low-cost clean energy to millions of consumers.

## About ConnectGen

ConnectGen is an independent renewable energy company focused on developing renewable generation and energy storage projects across North America. ConnectGen's portfolio consists of renewable energy generation projects, including solar, wind, and storage, as well as transmission infrastructure that will dramatically increase America's supply of low-cost clean energy.

Our team includes highly regarded professionals in the energy industry who have developed, financed, constructed, and operated large-scale renewable energy and infrastructure projects across the United States. ConnectGen is backed by Quantum Energy Partners. Founded in 1998, Quantum Energy Partners is a leading provider of private equity capital to the global energy industry, having managed together with its affiliates more than \$16 billion in equity commitments since inception.