



Beaver Creek Wind Project fact sheet

What is Beaver Creek Wind Project?

The Beaver Creek Wind Project is Puget Sound Energy's newest renewable energy facility built in Stillwater County, Montana and sits on about 11,000 acres of leased private land. There is an opportunity to add wind turbines in neighboring Sweet Grass County, as well as a lithium-ion battery energy storage system to shape Beaver Creek's variable wind output and better match PSE's customer energy needs.

What does the Beaver Wind Project entail?

The project began construction in the spring of 2024 and was completed by August of 2025. The project consists of 88 wind turbines standing 281.8 feet tall and it has a maximum capacity of 248.16 MW which is enough energy to power about 83,000 homes. Which equals out to about 943 homes per turbine.

How does the Beaver Creek Wind Project benefit the local community?

We are proud to be partners with local communities like Stillwater County. Constructing the Beaver Creek Wind Farm required the hiring of approximately 200 skilled workers with an ongoing need for 10-15 permanent on-site workers for operation. The Beaver Creek Wind Project will contribute \$8.49 million in impact fees to Stillwater County over the first three years of the project. In addition to impact fees and local tax contributions, Puget Sound Energy and the PSE Foundation have made corporate contributions and foundation donations and grants to support local non-profit organizations in and around Stillwater County.

Where is the Beaver Creek Wind Project located?

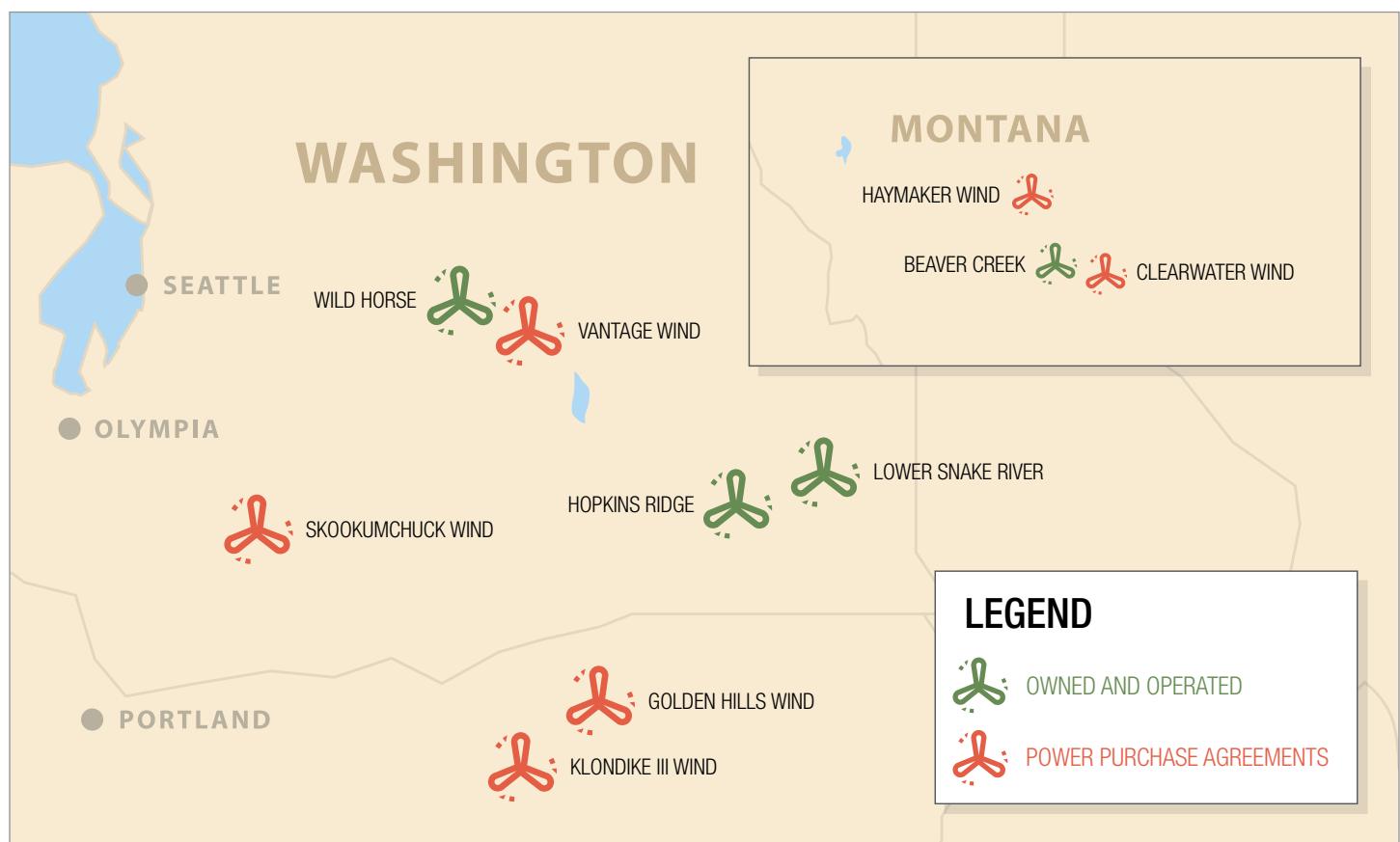
The Beaver Creek Wind Project is in the high plains of Stillwater County, Montana. It is about 32 miles north of the town of Columbus and 68 miles from Billings. It sits on an elevation between 4,600 and 5,300 feet.

Why did PSE build a new wind facility in Montana when its customers are in Washington?

Montana wind projects are most productive during the winter months when compared to Washington wind projects, which are more productive in the spring. The operational flexibility of the Beaver Creek Wind Project will increase the reliability of wind-power. Wind resources like Beaver Creek are essential in providing cleaner energy and helping us comply with state law while serving our customers in Western Washington. PSE has been a long-time partner in Montana's energy economy. Our investment in the Beaver Creek Wind Facility continues this longstanding partnerships, with benefits flowing both to our customers and local Montana communities like Stillwater County.

What other wind projects does PSE own and operate?

PSE is undergoing the most significant transformation in its history as it strives to meet Washington state's cleaner energy laws, some of the most ambitious in the nation. Wind power is an important part of that journey. Across the Pacific Northwest, PSE currently owns four large wind farms and has power purchase agreements (PPAs) with five facilities that are either operational or in development. PSE has owned and operated some of longest running wind farms in Washington and has a strong track record of safety. [Read more](#) about how PSE is leading the way in cleaner, renewable energy.



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