

A-1 Updated Tables

Project Component	Total Impact (Acres) ¹	High Erosion Potential ²	High Compaction Potential	Poor Drainage ³	Shallow Bedrock⁴	Slope >15%	Prime Farmland⁵	Statewide Importance
SDEIS								
Construction Impacts	282.6	59.2	85.5	8.7	65.8	17.6	139.4	133.0
Operational Impacts	98.1	20.0	32.1	2.5	17.9	3.4	51.5	43.1
Temporary Soil Impact ^{6,7}	184.5	39.2	53.4	6.2	47.9	14.2	87.9	89.9
FEIS	• •						·	
Construction Impacts ^{8,9}	205.2	34.5	49.0	3.8	55.0	2.6	101.7	99.8
Operational Impacts	55.5	8.4	10.9	1.0	14.4	0.4	28.8	26.0
Temporary Soil Impact ^{6,7}	149.8	26.0	38.1	2.8	40.7	2.3	72.9	73.8
Change from SDEIS to FEIS	·							
Construction Impacts	(-77.4)	(-24.7)	(-36.5)	(-4.9)	(-10.8)	(-15.0)	(-37.7)	(-33.2)
Operational Impacts	(-42.6)	(-11.6)	(-21.2)	(-1.5)	(-3.5)	(-3.0)	(-22.7)	(-17.1)
Temporary Soil Impact ^{6,7}	(-34.7)	(-13.2)	(-15.3)	(-3.4)	(-7.2)	(-11.9)	(-15.0)	(-16.1)

Table A-1 Potential Soil Impacts Based on Soil Attributes and Project Component

Notes:

Total impact is the total soils impacted by each Project component and does not represent a sum of the types of soils presented in this table.

2 Includes severe and very severe.

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Includes poorly drained and very poorly drained. Includes all bedrock less than 6 feet from the surface. 4

Includes prime farmland and prime farmland if drained. 5

⁶ Temporary impact on soils equals the construction impact minus the operational impacts. The construction impact includes all soil impacted during construction, which is inclusive of temporary and operational impacts.

Individual values may not add up to totals due to rounding. 7

⁸ Construction impacts are defined as areas where grading (temporary and permanent) would occur for the construction of Project facilities with the exception of the Transmission Line, which is not included in the impact on soils as grading is not anticipated to occur. If grading were to occur within the limit of disturbance for the Transmission Line, and up to an additional 51.4 acres of soils may be temporarily impacted.

9 As noted in Section 1.3.3 and represented in the drawings presented in Appendix C of this FEIS, Project Drawings, there are an additional 62.3 acres within the proposed limits of disturbance (LOD) where grading is not expected to occur, but additional disturbance may include limited tree clearing and/or other minimal temporary disturbance required for construction of the Project facilities.

Table A-2 impacts on Farmand Sons	Temporary	Permanent
Soil Type	Impact ⁶ (acres)	Impact (acres)
SDEIS		(deres)
Prime Farmland Soils	74.0	28.3
Prime Farmland if Drained	65.5	23.1
Farmland of Statewide Importance	132.9	43.0
SDEIS Total Impact on Farmland Soils	272.4	94.4
FEIS		
Prime Farmland Soils		
Chautauqua silt loam, 3 to 8% slopes	29.1	11.6
Chenango channery loam, fan, 3 to 8% slopes	0.6	0.1
Chenango gravelly loam, 0 to 3% slopes	0.2	3.2
Chenango gravelly loam, 3 to 8% slopes	1.0	0.8
Collamer silt loam, 3 to 8% slopes	0.0	0.2
Elnora fine sandy loam, 3 to 8% slopes	0.0	0.2
Pompton silt loam	0.0	0
Schuyler silt loam, 3 to 8% slopes	0.0	0.2
Valois gravelly silt loam, 3 to 8% slopes	4.1	1.5
Subtotal Prime Farmland Soils	35.0	17.8
Prime Farmland if Drained		Г <u> </u>
Barcelona silt loam, 3 to 8% slopes	0.0	0.0
Busti silt loam, 0 to 3% slopes	2.9	1.1
Busti silt loam, 3 to 8% slopes	31.4	8.9
Darien silt loam, 0 to 3% slopes	0.4	0.0
Fremont silt loam, 0 to 3% slopes	2.7	1.0
Hornell silt loam, 0 to 3% slopes	0.0	0.0
Niagara silt loam, 0 to 3% slopes, loamy substratum	0.0	0.0
Orpark silt loam, 0 to 3% slopes	0.0	0.0
Orpark silt loam, 3 to 8% slopes	0.3	0.0
Raynham silt loam, 0 to 3% slopes	0.0	0.0
Swormville silt loam	0.2	0.1
Subtotal Prime Farmland if Drained	37.9	11.1
Farmland of Statewide Importance	2.1	0 7
Ashville silt loam	2.1	0.7
Busti silt loam, 8 to 15% slopes	0.2	0.1
Canandaigua silt loam, loamy substratum	0.0	0.0
Chautauqua silt loam, 8 to 15% slopes	8.2	2.2
Chenango gravelly loam, 8 to 15% slopes	1.2	0.0
Collamer silt loam, 8 to 15% slopes	0.0	0.2
Dalton silt loam, 0 to 3% slopes	2.6	0.2
Erie silt loam, 0 to 3% slopes	1.5	0.6
Erie silt loam, 3 to 8% slopes	15.4	3.3
Fremont silt loam, 3 to 8% slopes	13.7	4.9
Fremont silt loam, 8 to 15% slopes	1.8	0.4
Hornell silt loam, 3 to 8% slopes	0.0	0.0
Langford silt loam, 3 to 8% slopes	13.5	8.3

Table A-2 Impacts on Farmland Soils^{1, 2, 3, 4, 5}

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	Temporary Impact ⁶	Permanent Impact
Soil Type	(acres)	(acres)
Langford silt loam, 8 to 15% slopes	7.3	2.0
Orpark silt loam, 8 to 15% slopes	0.0	0.0
Schuyler silt loam, 8 to 15% slopes	0.3	0.1
Towerville silt loam, 8 to 15 percent slopes	0.0	0.0
Unadilla silt loam, 8 to 15% slopes	0.4	0.3
Valois gravelly silt loam, 8 to 15% slopes	0.6	0.4
Valois gravelly silt loam, rolling	5.0	2.3
Subtotal Farmland of Statewide Importance	73.8	26.0
FEIS Total Impact on Farmland Soils	146.7	54.9
Change from SDEIS to FEIS		
Prime Farmland Soils	(-39.0)	(-10.5)
Prime Farmland if Drained	(-27.6)	(-12.0)
Farmland of Statewide Importance	(-59.1)	(-17.0)
Change from SDEIS to FEIS	(-125.7)	(-39.5)
Total Impact on Farmland Soils		

Notes:

¹ Soils data taken from SSURGO Database (USDA 2015).

² Impacts to soils considers all Project facilities that would require grading. Clearing of the Transmission Line right of way (ROW) would not require grading and, therefore, would not impact soils and are not included in this table.

³ Individual acreages may not add up to totals due to rounding.

⁴ Impacts to soils are defined as areas where grading (temporary and permanent) would occur for the construction of Project facilities with the exception of the Transmission Line, which is not included in the impact on soils, as grading is not anticipated to occur. If grading were to occur within the limits of disturbance (LOD) for the Transmission Line, up to an additional 51.4 acres of soils may be temporarily impacted.

⁵ As noted in Section 1.3.3 of this FEIS and represented in the drawings presented in Appendix C of this FEIS, Project Drawings, there are an additional 62.3 acres within the proposed LOD where grading is not expected to occur, but additional disturbance may include limited tree clearing and/or other minimal temporary disturbance required for construction of the Project facilities.

⁶ Temporary impacts are considered to be areas to be restored after construction.

Table A-3	Project	Eco-Community	v Impacts
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	Construction Impacts	Project Operational	Areas to be Restored After
	(Permanent and Temporary	İmpacts (Permanent	Construction (Temporary
	Impacts)	Impacts)	Impacts)
Eco-Community Type SDEIS	(acres ^{1,2,3})	(acres)	(acres)
Agriculture (Hayfields, Row	134.3	44.5	89.8
Crops, Pastures)	134.5	44.3	09.0
Beech Maple Mesic ⁴	31.6	31.6	0.0
Hemlock – Northern ⁴	72.5	72.5	0.0
Hardwoods	72.5	12.0	0.0
Open Water	0.3	0.3	0.0
Successional Northern ⁴	51.5	51.5	0.0
Hardwoods			
Successional Old Field	21.5	10.3	11.2
Successional Shrubland	6.2	4.5	1.7
Tree Farm/Vineyard	12.2	8.9	3.3
Total	330.1	149.9	180.1
FEIS	Γ		T
Agriculture (Hayfields, Row Crops, Pastures)	133.1	30.0	103.1
Beech Maple Mesic ^{4,5}	9.2	9.2	0.0
Hemlock – Northern ^{4,5}	38.3	38.3	0.0
Hardwoods	38.3	38.3	0.0
Open Water	0.3	< 0.1	0.3
Successional Northern ^{4,5}	50.4	50.4	0.0
Hardwoods			
Successional Old Field	12.9	3.7	9.2
Successional Shrubland	3.6	0.0	3.6
Tree Farm/Vineyard	8.8	4.0	4.9
Total	256.6	55.5	201.2
Change from SDEIS to FEIS			
Agriculture (Hayfields, Row	(-1.2)	(-14.5)	13.3
Crops, Pastures) Beech Maple Mesic ⁴	(22.4)	(22.4)	0.0
Hemlock – Northern ⁴	(-22.4)	(-22.4)	
Hardwoods	(-34.2)	(-34.2)	0.0
Open Water	0.0	(-0.3)	0.3
Successional Northern ⁴		· · · ·	
Hardwoods	(-1.1)	(-1.1)	0.0
Successional Old Field	(-8.6)	(-6.6)	(-2.0)

Table A-3 Project Eco-Community Impacts

Eco-Community Type	Construction Impacts (Permanent and Temporary Impacts) (acres ^{1,2,3})	Project Operational Impacts (Permanent Impacts) (acres)	Areas to be Restored After Construction (Temporary Impacts) (acres)
Successional Shrubland	(-2.6)	(-4.5)	1.9
Tree Farm/Vineyard	(-3.4)	(-4.9)	1.6
Total	(-73.5)	(-94.5)	21.0

Notes:

1 The sum of temporary and permanent impacts may not exactly equal construction impacts due to rounding.

2 Construction impacts are defined as areas where grading (temporary and permanent) would occur for the construction of Project facilities with the exception of the Transmission Line for which construction impacts are considered to be the entire 80-foot ROW.

3 As noted in Section 1.3.3 of this FEIS and represented in the drawings presented in Appendix C of this FEIS, Project Drawings, there are an additional 62.3 acres within the proposed limits of disturbance (LOD) where grading is not expected to occur, but additional disturbance may include limited tree clearing and/or other minimal temporary disturbance required for construction of the Project facilities.

4 Impacts on forested ecological community types are considered permanent as NYSDEC staff considers the clearing of all forested habitat to be a permanent impact due to the time it takes a forest to regenerate to pre-construction conditions.

5 As described in Section 1.3.3, of this FEIS, an additional 21 acres of tree clearing would be required in the additional LOD area of the Project. In total, 118.9 acres of tree clearing is anticipated from the Project.

Land use data was derived from the USGS Land Use/Land Cover dataset (Fry et al. 2011); the acreages of eco-communities are defined based on field visits and aerial photo interpretation.

Table A-4 Potential	Habitat	Fragme	entation,	Ball Hill Wind
Project (acres) ¹				
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Impact Type	Town of Hanover	Town of Villenova	Total
Direct ²	61.4	36.6	97.9
Indirect ³	535.8	446.6	982.3
Total	597.2	483.2	1,080.2

¹ Table totals may not add up due to rounding.
 ² Direct impacts equal the amount of clearing (acres) in the limits of disturbance (LOD) that will occur within forest blocks that are greater than 150 acres.
 ³ Indirect impacts equal the amount land (acres) that is within a 300-foot buffer of the clearing that

will occur.

Land Use/Land Cover	•	, , ,	Total
SDEIS			
Agricultural ¹	3,443	2,184	5,627
Forested ²	4,745	2,884	7,630
Developed ³	216	178	394
Open Water	5	4	9
Total⁴	8,409	5,250	13,659
FEIS			
Agricultural ¹	3,263	998	4,261
Forested ²	3,614	1,597	5,211
Developed ³	168	63	231
Open Water	10	1	12
Total⁴	7,055	2,659	9,715
Change from SDEIS to FE	IS		
Agricultural ¹	(-180)	(-1,186)	(-1,366)
Forested ²	(-1,131)	(-1,287)	(-2,419)
Developed ³	(-48)	(-115)	(-163)
Open Water	5	(-3)	3
Total⁴	(-1,354)	(-2,591)	(-3,945)

Table A-5 Existing Land Use, Ball Hill Wind Project (acres)

Source: Homer et al. 2015.

Notes:

¹ Agricultural land use includes the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) Land Use/Land Cover categories of Pasture/Hay; Grassland/Herbaceous; Cultivated Crops; and Emergent Herbaceous Wetlands. Section 2.4, Wetlands, provides a summary of the acreages of wetlands that were field-delineated within the survey corridor.

² Forested land use includes the USGS Land Use/Land Cover categories of Deciduous Forest; Evergreen Forest; Mixed Forests; Scrub-Shrub; and Woody Wetlands. Section 2.4, Wetlands, provides a summary of the acreages of wetlands that were field-delineated within the survey corridor.

³ Developed land use includes the USGS Land Use/Land Cover categories of Developed, Open Space; Developed Low Intensity; and Developed High Intensity.

⁴ Table totals may not add up due to rounding.

	(Perman	truction Implent and Ten pacts) [acre	mporary	Project Operational Impacts (Permanent Impacts) [acres]			Areas to be Restored to Existing Condition After Construction (Temporary Impacts) [acres]		
Land Use/ Land Cover	Total ^{1,5}	Town of Hanover	Town of Villenova	Total ¹		Town of Villenova	Total ¹	Town of Hanover	Town of Villenova
SDEIS	ΤΟΙΔΙ	папочег	villenova	TOLAI	папочег	villenova	TOLAI	папочег	villenova
Agricultural ²	161.8	58.1	103.6	65.8	36.9	28.9	96.0	21.2	74.7
Forested ³	160.3	62.4	97.9	160.3	62.4	97.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
Developed ⁴	8.0	3.4	4.6	2.2	1.7	0.5	5.8	1.7	4.1
SDEIS Total acreage	330.1	124.0	206.1	228.3	101.0	127.3	101.8	22.9	78.8
FEIS									
Agricultural	145.1	45.8	99.3	34.5	10.0	24.6	110.6	35.9	74.7
Forested ⁶	101.5	59.7	41.8	20.1	8.6	11.5	81.5	51.1	30.4
Developed	10.0	3.4	6.5	0.9	0.1	0.7	9.1	3.3	5.8
FEIS Total acreage	256.6	109.0	147.6	55.5	18.7	36.8	201.2	90.3	110.9
Change from SDEIS to	FEIS								
Agricultural	(-16.7)	(-12.3)	(-4.3)	(-31.3)	(-26.9)	(-4.3)	14.6	14.7	0.0
Forested	(-58.8)	(-2.7)	(-56.1)	(-140.2)	(-53.8)	(-86.4)	81.5	51.1	30.4
Developed	2.0	0.0	1.9	(-1.3)	(-1.6)	0.2	3.3	1.6	1.7
Total	(-73.5)	(-14.9)	(-58.5)	(-172.8)	(-82.3)	(-90.5)	99.4	67.4	32.1

Table A-6 Summary of Project Land Use Impacts, Entire Project Site

Notes

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² Agricultural land use includes the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) Land Use/Land Cover categories of Pasture/Hay; Grassland/Herbaceous; Cultivated Crops; and Emergent Herbaceous Wetlands. Appendix E, Wetland and Waterbodies, provides a summary of the acreages of wetlands that were field-delineated within the survey corridor.

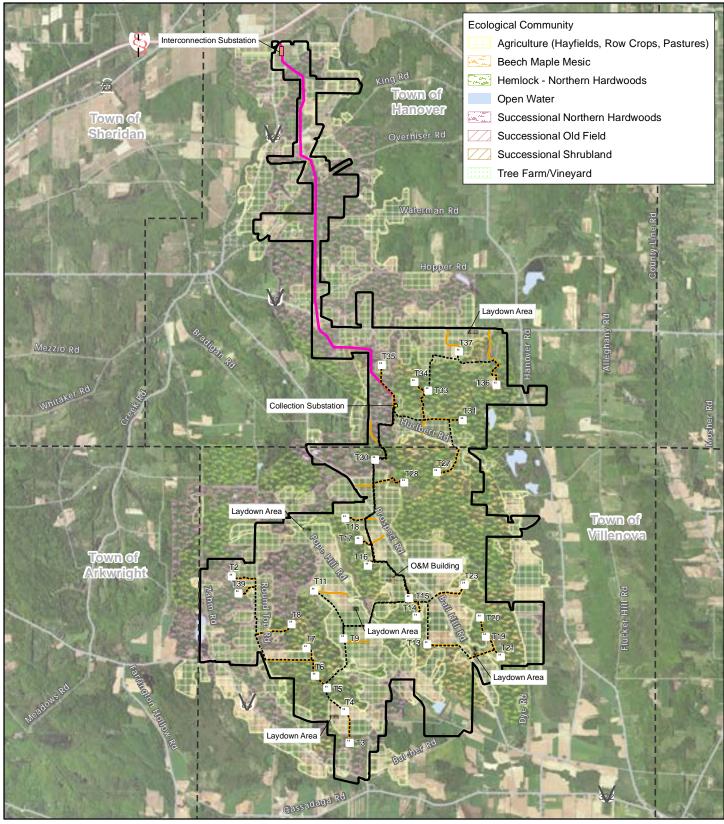
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A-2 Updated Figures



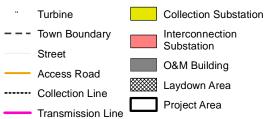
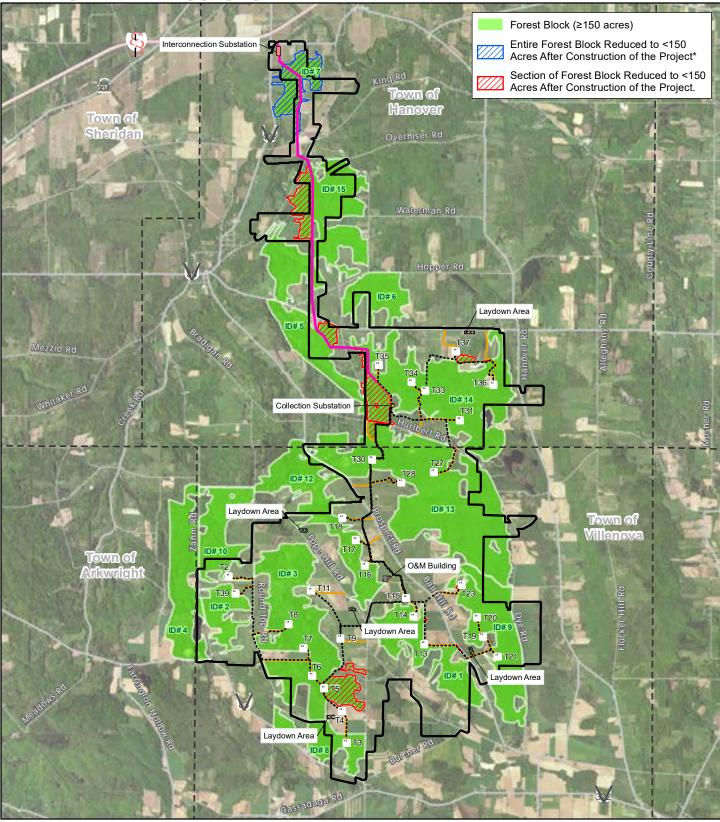


Figure A-1 **Ecological Community Types** Ball Hill Wind Project Chautauqua County, New York Ball Hill Wind Energy, LLC



Ecological community data was collected based on the Project Area of the SDEIS. This data is not available for small areas on the eastern and southern edges of the revised, smaller Project Area. There are no data gaps within the Project Sile and therefore all construction impacts on ecological communities are captured.

Source: ESRI 2012; Fisher Associates 2016; NAIP 2015.



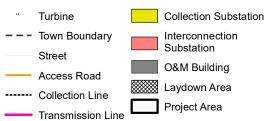
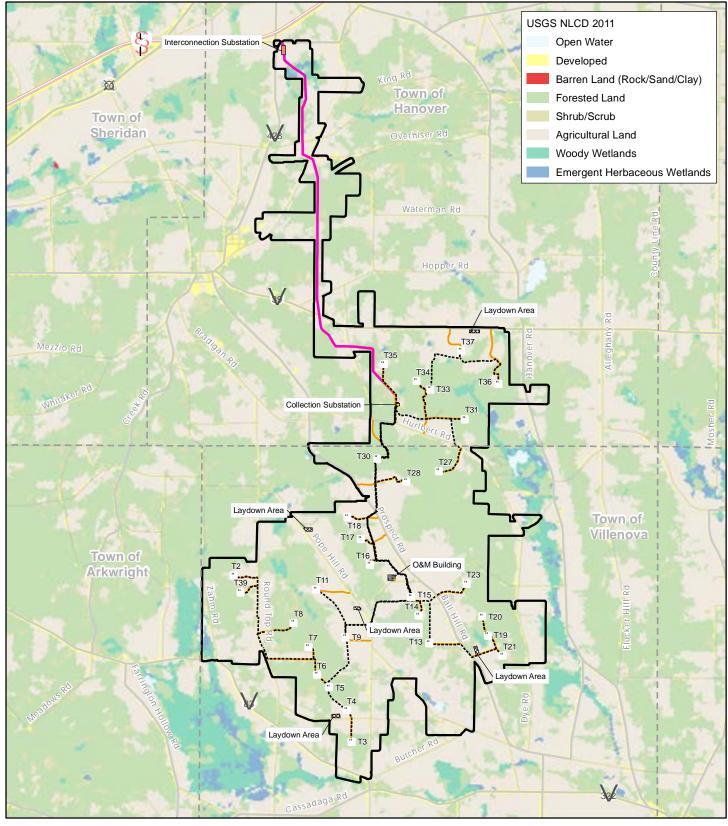


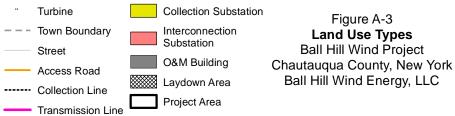
Figure A-2 **Forest Blocks ≥150 Acres** Ball Hill Wind Project Chautauqua County, New York Ball Hill Wind Energy, LLC



Forest block #7 will be split by the construction workspace, resulting in a change in acreage from 211.4 acres to three smaller sections of 7.1, 89.6, and 105.6 acres each. While other contiguous forest blocks are split by the construction workspace, forest block #7 is the only one in which no contiguous block of \geq 150 acres will remain after construction.

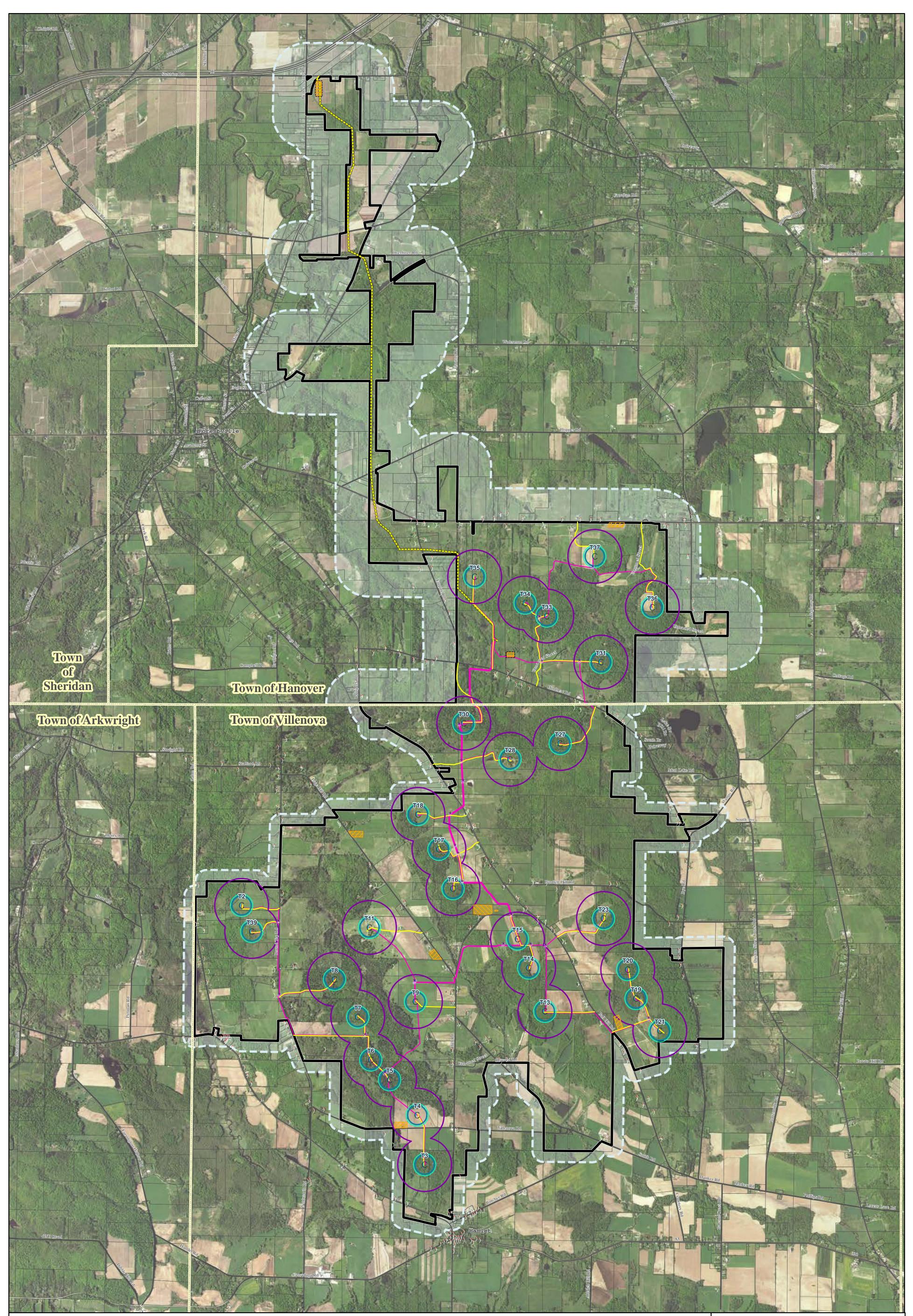
Source: ESRI 2012; Fisher Associates 2016; NAIP 2015.







Source: ESRI 2012; Fisher Associates 2016; NAIP 2015; USGS National Land Cover Dataset 2011.





Ball Hill Wind Project

Town Boundary

Structure:

- Participating Residence
- Non-participating Residence
- Non-residential Structure

Proposed Infrastructure:

- C Turbine (87m hub height)
- # Junction Box
- ----- Transmission Line
 - Access Road
- Collection Substation/Switchyard Proposed to be Fenced
- Laydown Area



Renewable Energy Systems

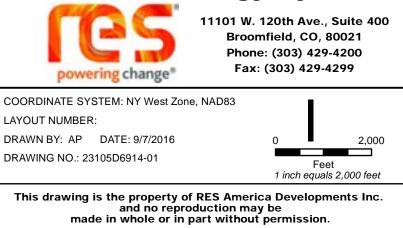


Figure A-4: Zoning Setback Map Ball Hill Wind Project, Chautauqua County, New York Ball Hill Wind Energy LLC

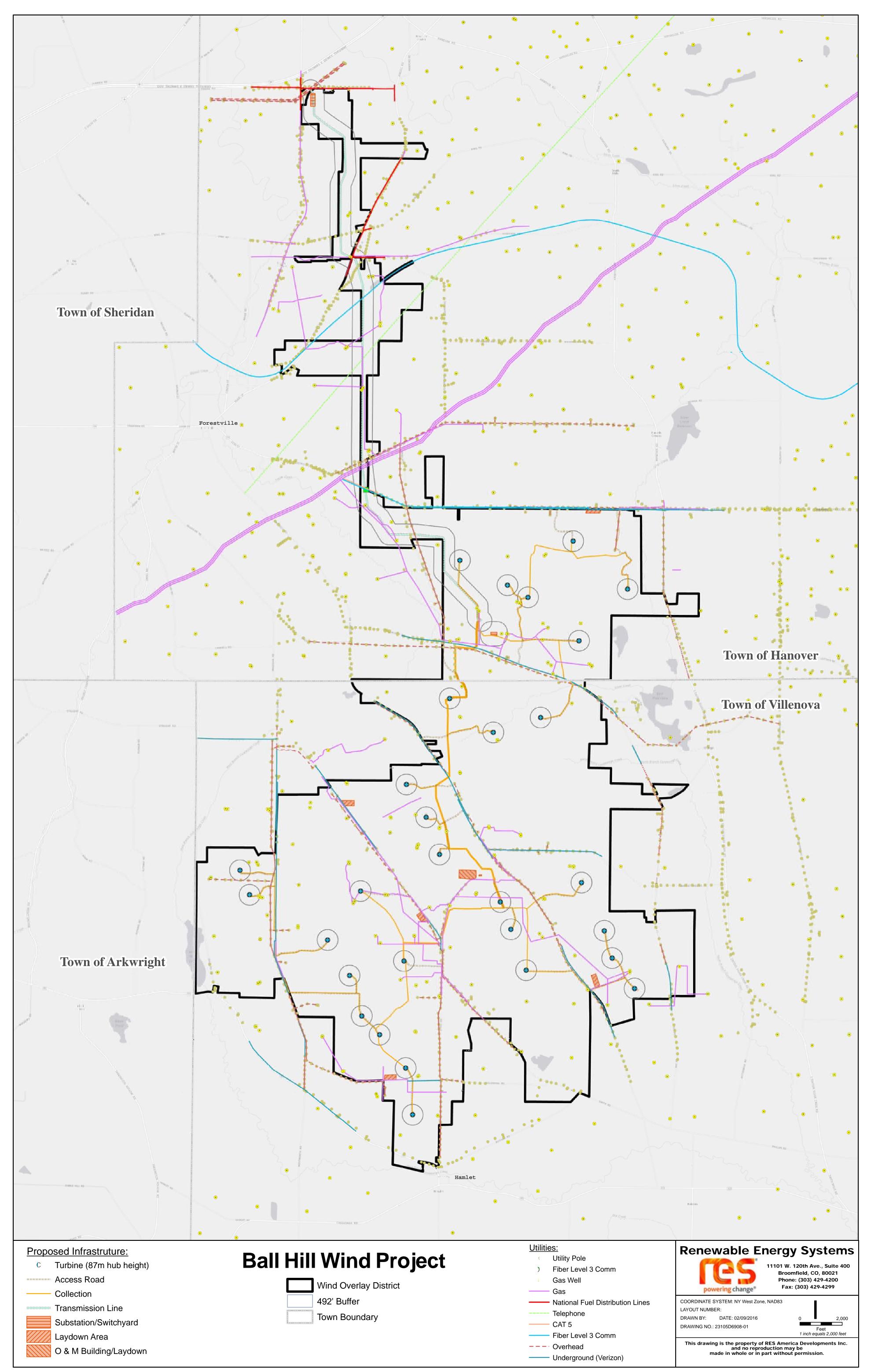


Figure A-5: Utility Setback Map Ball Hill Wind Project, Chautauqua County, New York Ball Hill Wind Energy LLC