FACT SHEET

South Fork Wind

Project Overview

South Fork Wind will be New York's first offshore wind farm - a centerpiece of New York's ambitious offshore wind energy goals.

Its 15 turbines will produce enough clean, renewable energy every year to power 70,000 homes.

From stronger coastal storms to sea level rise, the harmful effects of climate change are a stark reality on Long Island and South Fork Wind will make a real difference in combatting climate change and meeting East Hampton's clean energy goals.

Benefits to Long Island

We are fully committed to supporting Governor Cuomo's vision of not only a New York powered with 100 percent renewable energy but creating an enduring offshore wind supply chain centered around New York communities and workers.

- South Fork Wind will help the Town of East Hampton meet its 100 percent renewable energy goals.
- The wind farm will displace millions of tons of carbon emissions, the equivalent of taking 60,000 cars off the road.
- We have also proposed locating a facility in Montauk to support the long-term operations and maintenance of South Fork Wind, where we'll base crew transfer vessels that will transport maintenance team members to and from the wind farm.



-> WHO

50/50 partnership between Ørsted and Eversource

→ WHAT

132 MW offshore wind farm

→ WHEN

Onshore and offshore construction is planned to begin in 2021 and expected to be fully operational in 2022

→ WHERE

35 miles east of Montauk Point, out of sight from Long Island beaches

→ WHY

Helping the Town of East Hampton meet its 100 percent renewable energy goals, and New York realize its vision of becoming a leader in clean energy

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About Ørsted and Eversource

South Fork Wind brings unparalleled experience in developing offshore wind to New Yorkers, as a 50/50 partnership between Ørsted, the global leader in offshore wind and a global leader in climate action, and Eversource, New England's largest energy company and premier electric transmission builder. Ørsted – which was recently ranked the most sustainable company in the world and will become the world's first major energy company to become carbon-neutral by 2025 – envisions a world run entirely on green energy while Eversource is one of the nation's most responsible companies, as ranked by Newsweek, Forbes and JUST Capital.

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