

FUN

- Involved in a Renewable Energy Project
 - ➢Grant Application April 2009
 - ≻Notification September 2009
 - Finalized Details March 2010
 - ➢ Project Kickoff May 2010
- Cutting Edge Technology
- Economic Development for Tribe





FORTUNATE

- Project Manager
- Iowa Tribe of Oklahoma

Federally Recognized Indian Tribe

Central Oklahoma (between OKC & Tulsa)

≻Fewer than 700 Tribal Members

• BKJ Solutions, Inc.

≻8(a) / HUBZone Certified Business with SBA

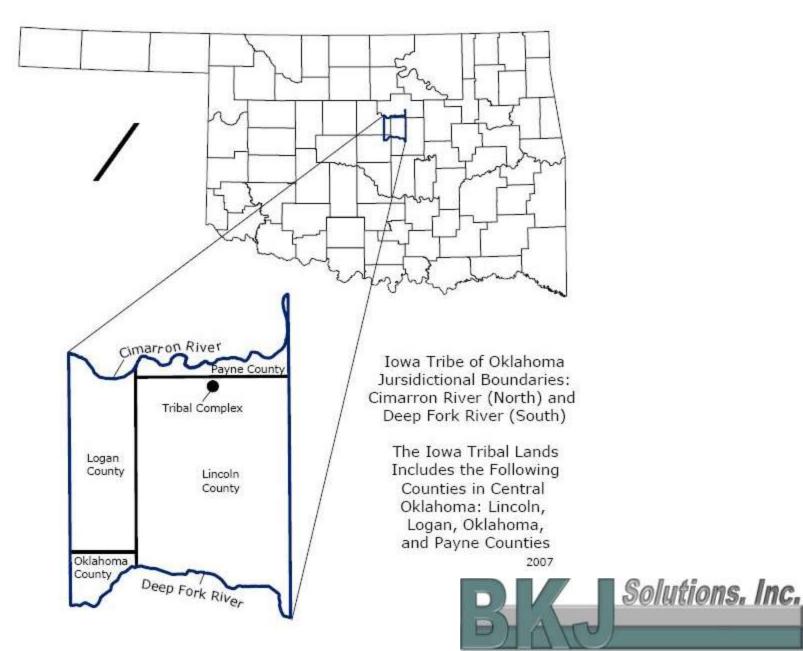


➤Construction with U.S. Army Corps of Eng.

Future Renewable Energy Development



Iowa Tribe of Oklahoma's traditional jurisdictional lands





FEASIBILITY GRANT

- Objectives
 - Conduct in-Depth Feasibility Study of Wind Energy
 - Identify & Address Technical Issues Related to Wind Energy Development
 - ≻Land Access
 - Anemometer Siting
 - Interconnect & Transmission Opportunities





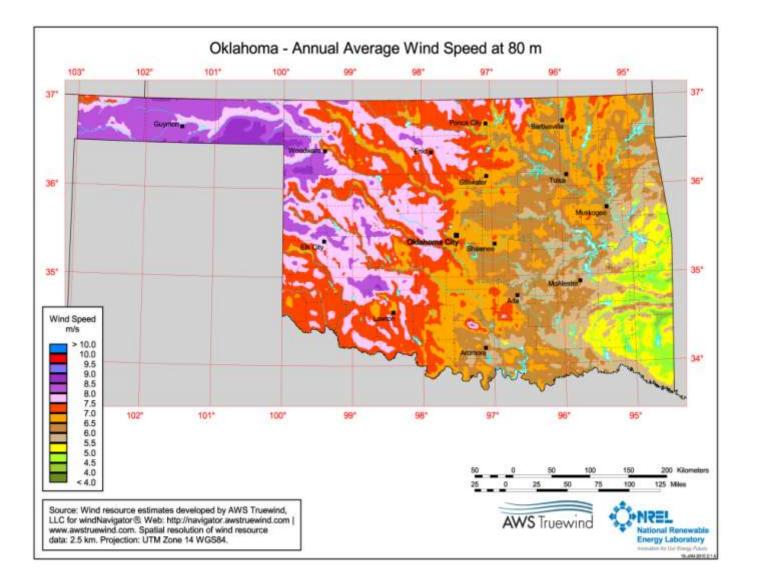
FEASIBILITY GRANT

- Objectives Cont.
 - Address Environmental Issues
 - Educate Stakeholders
 - ≻Iowa Tribal Leadership
 - ≻Iowa Tribal Members
 - ➢Office of Environmental Services
 - Local Community
- Goal



- ➢Quantify Wind Resource Potential
- Determine if Wind Farm is Option









FEAR

- Not Having the Right, Bankable Data
- Tribe has Experience

≻2001 Anemometer Study – 5 ms @ 20 Meters

- Collected Interesting, but Unusable Info
- Estimated to be 7 to 8 ms at Hub Height





FACTS

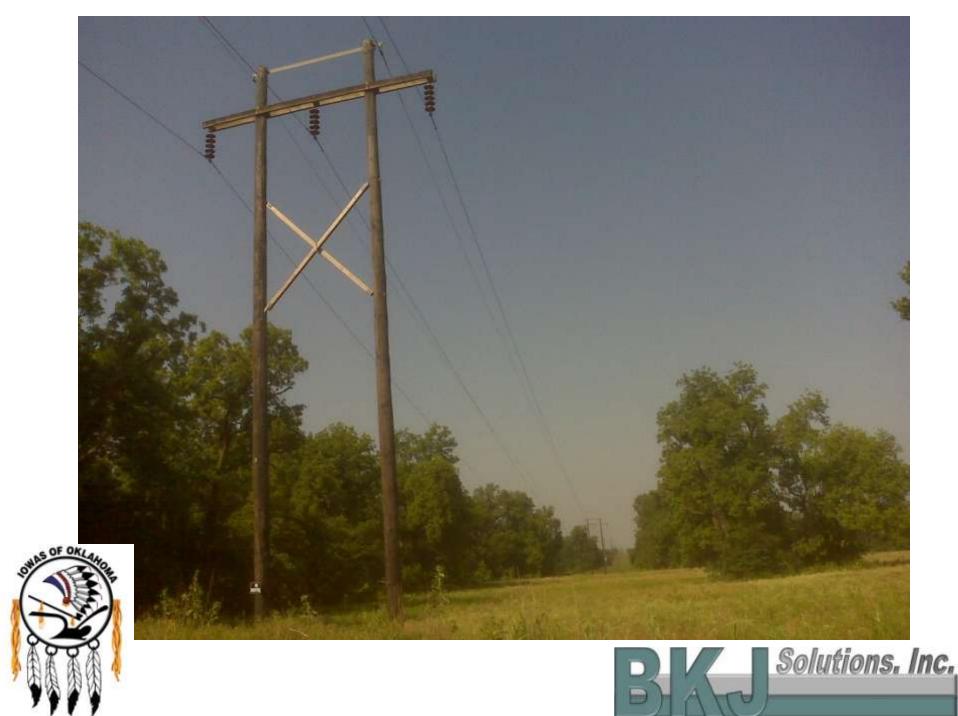
- Data Available Soon
- Project Site Selected
- Access Road to be Built early November
- Tower, Anemometer & Instrumentation
 Received 3 Quotes All within Range
 Purchase Order to be Placed Next Week
 Anemometer to be Erected December

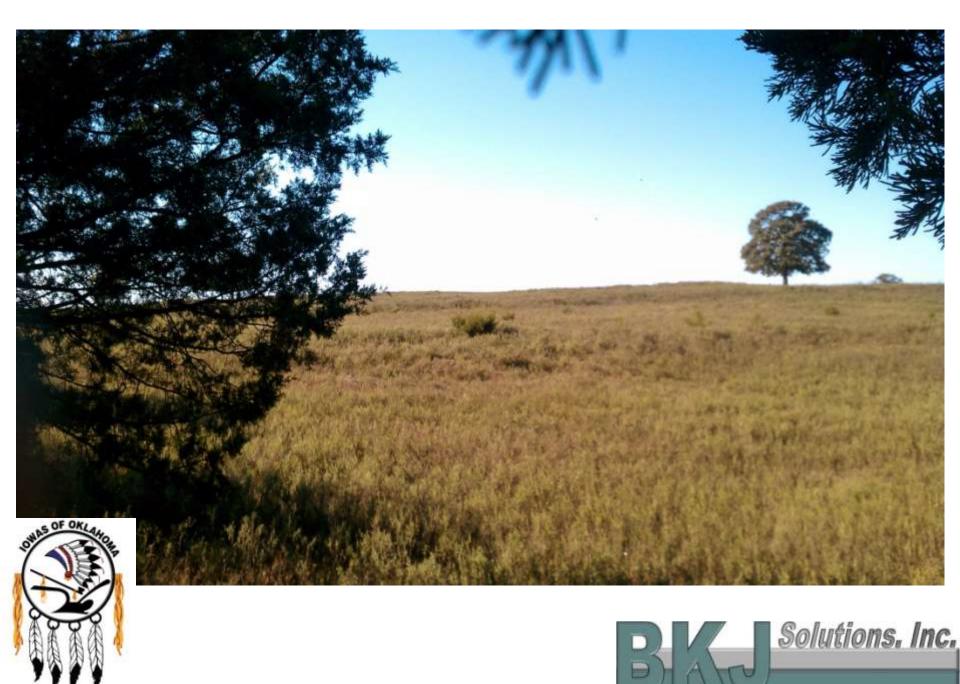


Key Partner / Consultant

➤Native Wind Energy







FINAL THOUGHTS

- Working Through HUB Height Issues
 What is Proper Height? Most Critical Issue
 What is Industry Standard?
 What is Considered Bankable?
- 60 Meter Met Mast / Taller Later
- Developing Business Plan

Communication is Key

Wisdom in Multitude of Counsel



