

Advanced Energy Works for Minnesota

Chris Thomas is the Senior Project Deployment & Support Specialist at EDF Renewables. He enjoys fixing all mechanical devices from cars to appliances, but his true passion is maintaining wind turbines.

Chris has over 25 years of experience working in wind generation and now spends his time in the field overseeing the management, operation, maintenance, service, and repair of wind turbines and wind turbine components to specified requirements. He is also responsible for the preparation of and adherence to the O&M project budgets. Chris evaluates the performance of each direct report at least annually through the use of written performance evaluations and makes recommended improvements such as compensation changes and training for employees.

Chris started with EDF in Palm Springs, Calif., in 1990, working as a technician. He moved to the Midwest and worked in O&M Supervision and Management from 2005 to 2016, when he took his current position. He now lives in southwest Minnesota with his wife and children, who are in college now.

EDF Renewables is dedicated to creating a sustainable energy economy through the deployment of renewable energy resources. The company has numerous wind projects in Minnesota.

Advanced Energy Works

A movement of advanced energy workers and supporters to make advanced energy grow, create millions of jobs, and strengthen our economy in communities across America.

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"The wind industry has provided my livelihood throughout my adult life and has provided me with all the benefits of the American dream for 28 years."

- CHRIS THOMAS, EDF RENEWABLES



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