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## Not True Green

Wind turbines are not true green energy. They take energy from the grid most of the time if there is no wind. They take energy to run. At first the wind turbine site may provide a lot of jobs, but after the turbines are up many people get laid off. These are not high paying jobs and they're not union jobs either. Men have to climb 300 feet on a ladder or take a manlift which most of the time is not functional. This is a high-risk job that should be unionized and paid accordingly, just like a lineman would get paid and belong to a union. These turbines have a huge footprint on land that could otherwise be used for something more productive! Just look at that Poppy in Tehachapi And Mojave area. There are wind generators from the early 80s and 90s that are not working that are sitting there, piles of junk, littering the desert and the mountains! Most of the all parts on the turbine Do not come from the United States! These are the reasons why I am against the Shasta county wind project!