



## News Release

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### **Mesalands gets equipment donation from TorcUP, Inc.**

On the same day that pre-construction soil core samples were being taken from the site where Mesalands Community College will erect its 1.5 MW GE turbine, a donation of tools from TorcUP, Inc was being unpacked by Tracy Rascoe, Director of Wind Energy Technology at Mesalands.

“This is a great day for the College’s North American Wind Research and Training Center!” said Rascoe. “We have the first signs of activity in putting up our turbine, and we received a great donation of valuable tools for our program.” Included in the set of tools is an EP 1000 Electric Pump with 15’ of hose for hydraulic wrenches, a TU-3 Continuous Ratchet Hydraulic Wrench and Socket, a TorcUP TX-4 Continuous Ratchet “Ultra” Low Clearance Drive Cylinder and Ratchet Link, a TX-4 Reaction Paddle, and a Desktop Demo Bolting Stand having a combined retail value of approximately \$15,000.

“Because we are a not-for-profit institution, donations of this type are extremely valuable to us and are received with much appreciation,” said Rascoe.



Tracy Rascoe is all smiles about North American Wind Research and Training Center’s (NAWRTC) donation of tools from TorcUP, Inc.