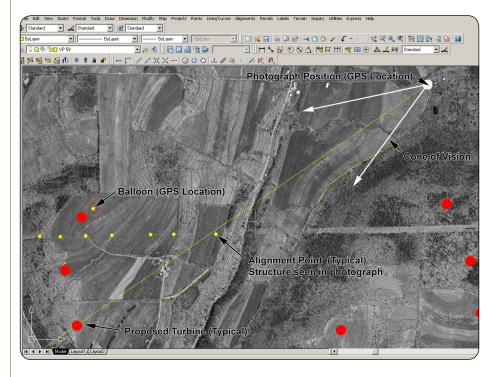


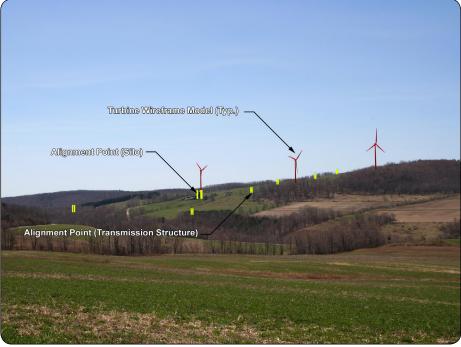


Photos are selected to illustrate typical views of the proposed project that will be available to representative viewer/user groups from the major landscape similarity zones and sensitive sites within the study area.

A three-dimensional computer model of the project is built based on proposed turbine specifications and tower site coordinates.



Aerial photographs and GPS data collected in the field are used to create an AutoCAD Civil 3D 2016® drawing.



These data are superimposed over photographs from each of the viewpoints, and minor camera changes are made to align all known reference points within the view.





A digital terrain model representing the existing topography is also overlayed on the existing photograph to refine camera alignment, and target elevation.

The proposed exterior color/finish of the turbines was then added to the model and the appropriate sun angle is simulated based on the specific date, time and location (latitude and longitude) at which each photo was taken.

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Figure 24-9: Visual Simulation Methodology April 2016

Note: Images in this figure are not from the Cassadaga Wind Project





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