

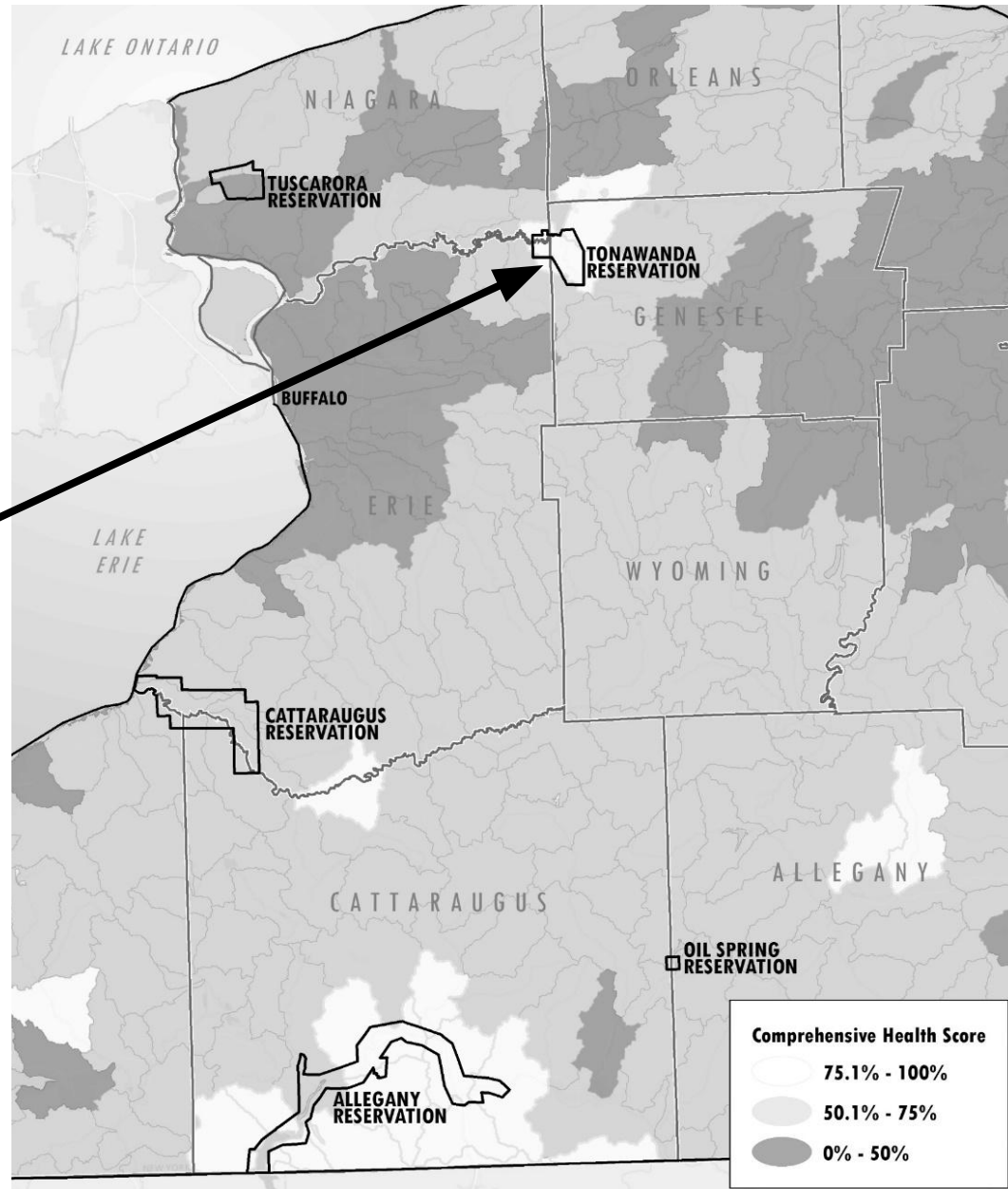
DON'T STAMP ON Tonawanda! A CALL TO ACTION

- Margaret Wooster for Allies of TSN & WNY Environmental Alliance

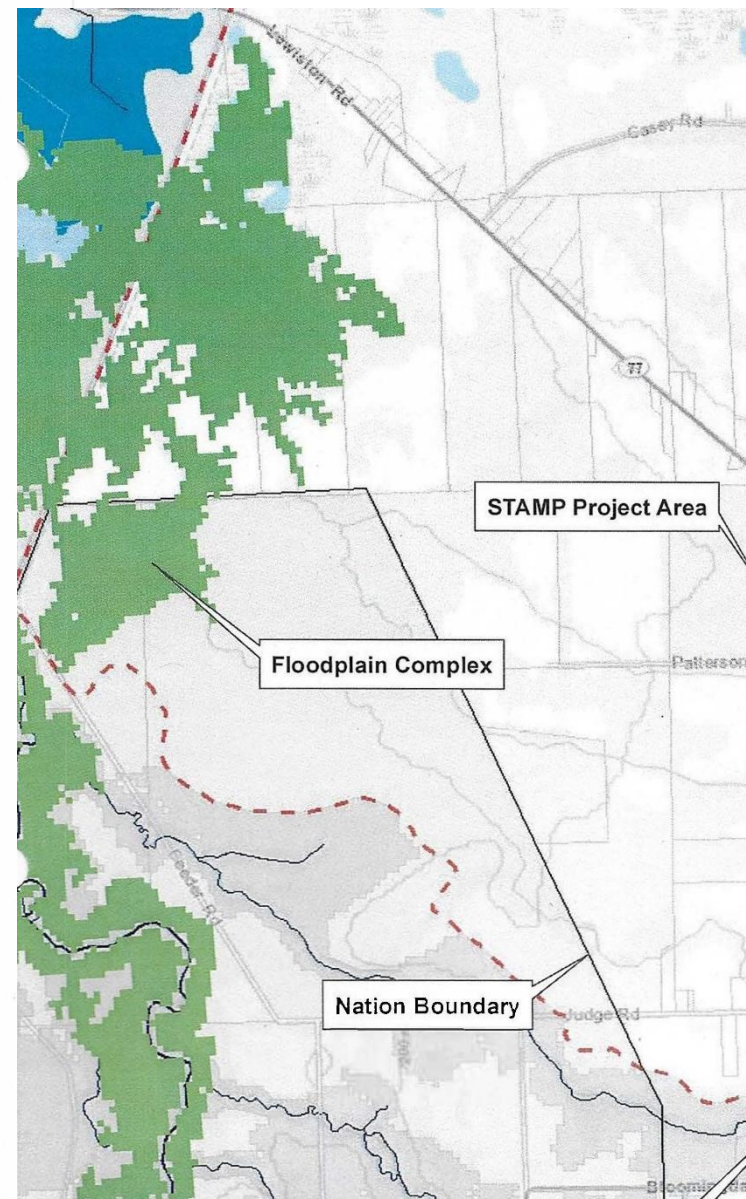
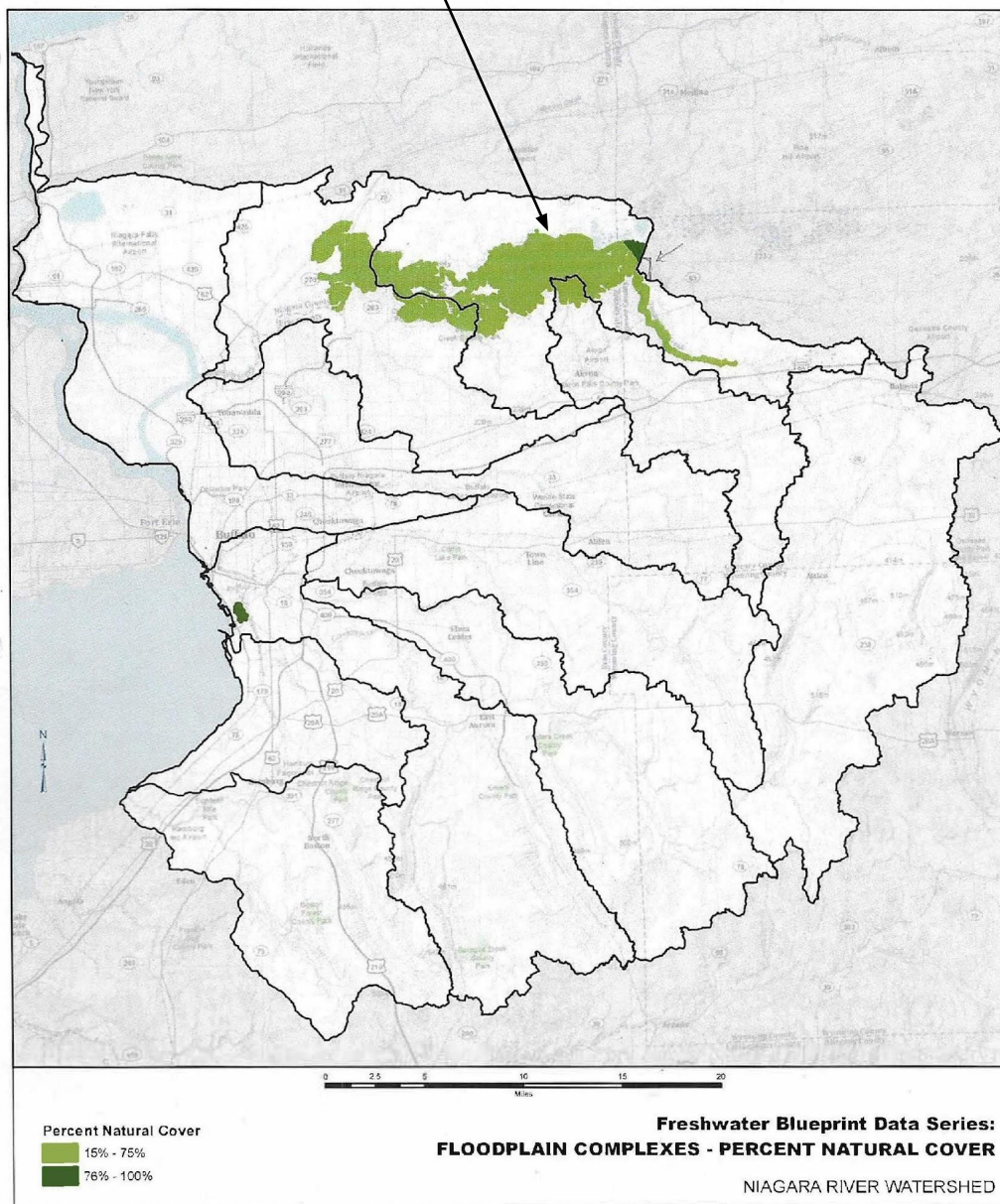
A vast 20,000 acre complex of wetlands known as Alabama Swamps is under threat from a mega-industrial development project called STAMP.

The area includes some of Western New York's healthiest lands and waters: the undeveloped floodplains, wetlands, grasslands and forests surrounding Middle Tonawanda Creek.

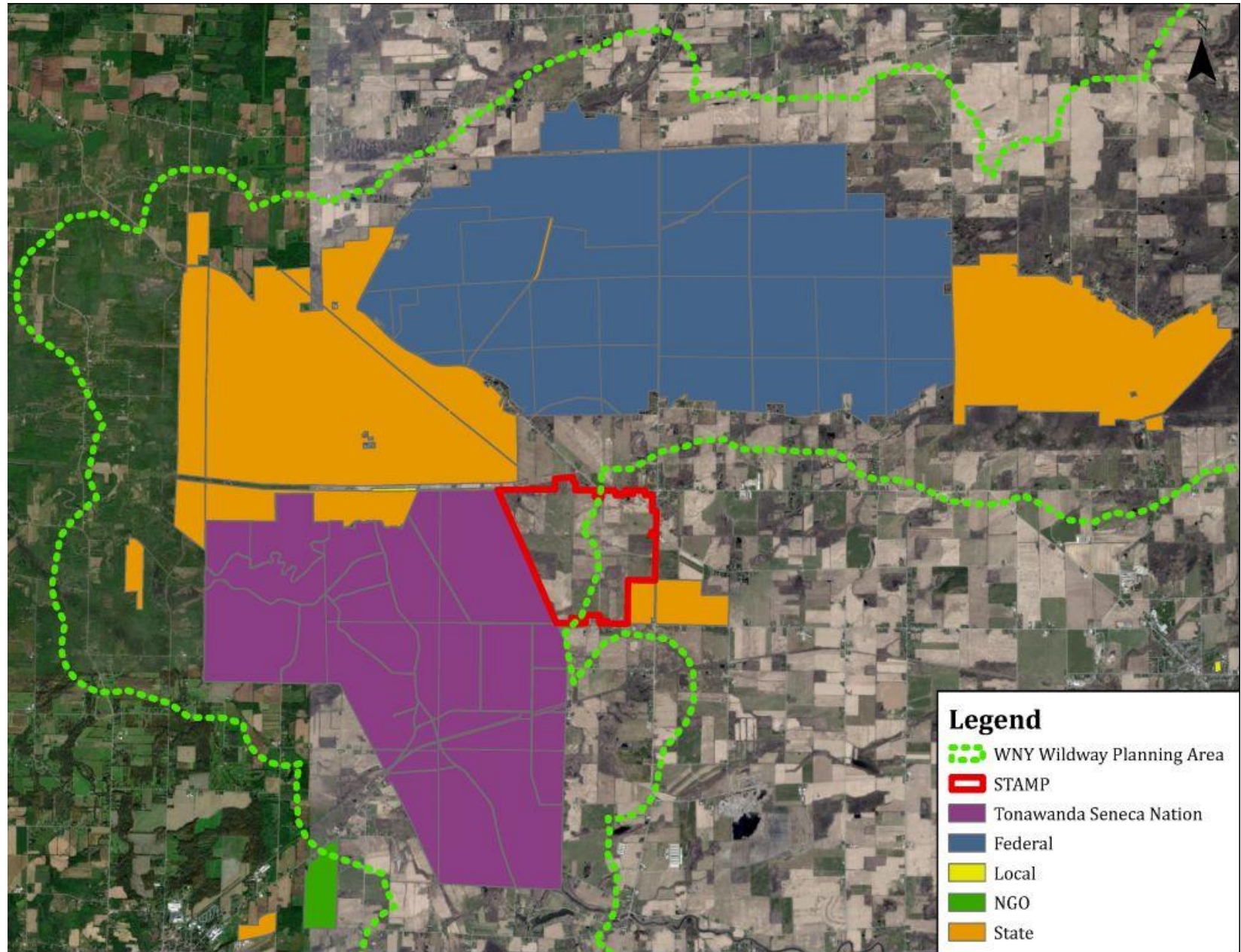
This area is also home to the current-day reservation of the Tonawanda Seneca Nation (TSN), a federally recognized Indian Nation and part of the Haudenosaunee.

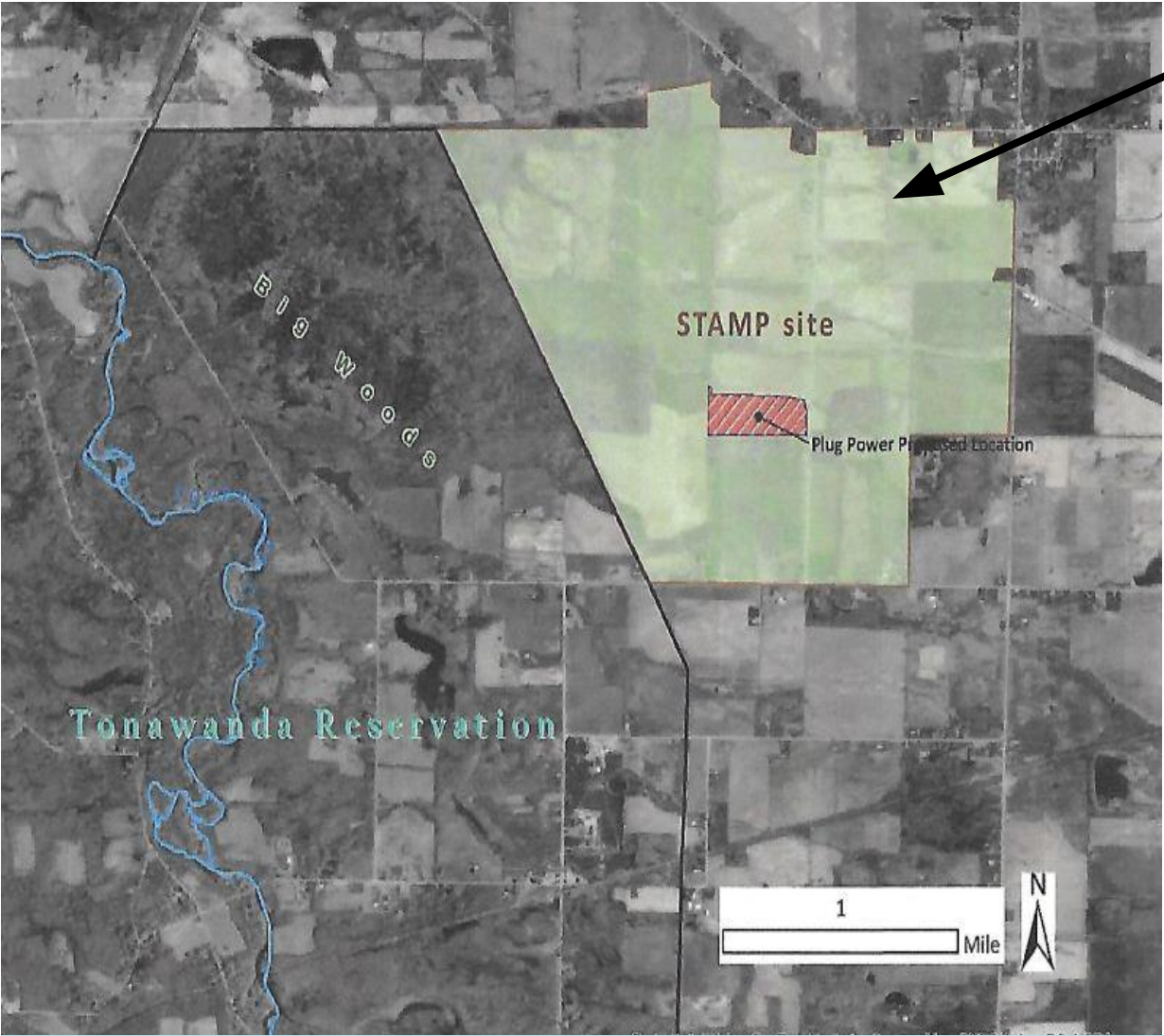


Alabama Swamp is a remnant of the “6th Great Lake”—glacial Lake Tonawanda—and part of a New York State designated “significant floodplain complex.”



This land is also at the heart of the WNY Land Conservancy's "Eastern Wildway"- a planned migration route for plants & animals responding to climate change and habitat loss.





The Genesee County Economic Development Center (GCEDC) has acquired 1,262 acres of habitat here (which they refer to as “undeveloped farmland”) and proceeds permit by permit to build a manufacturing megasite: a Science and Technology Advanced Manufacturing Park (STAMP).

Currently, Plug Power, maker of hydrogen fuel cells, is the only fully committed tenant.

In February 2023 the GCEDC applied for a “Full Campus Incidental Take Permit” to continue development of STAMP for additional tenants - Scannell Warehouses and Edwards Vacuum - despite the biocultural importance of the neighboring Big Woods to the Tonawanda Seneca Nation and despite the presence of NY state-endangered and threatened species like the Short-eared owl and Northern harrier.



NEW YORK'S GREEN MANUFACTURING MEGA SITE

RENEWABLE ENERGY

SITE INFRASTRUCTURE SUPPORTS 600 MW

REDUNDANT & RELIABLE SOURCES

LOW-COST HYDROPOWER & 100% RENEWABLE SOLUTIONS AVAILABLE

SITE READINESS

- LAND OWNERSHIP
- ENVIRONMENTAL & LAND USE
- MAJOR PERMITS
- DEVELOPMENT PLAN
- COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT
- INFRASTRUCTURE READINESS

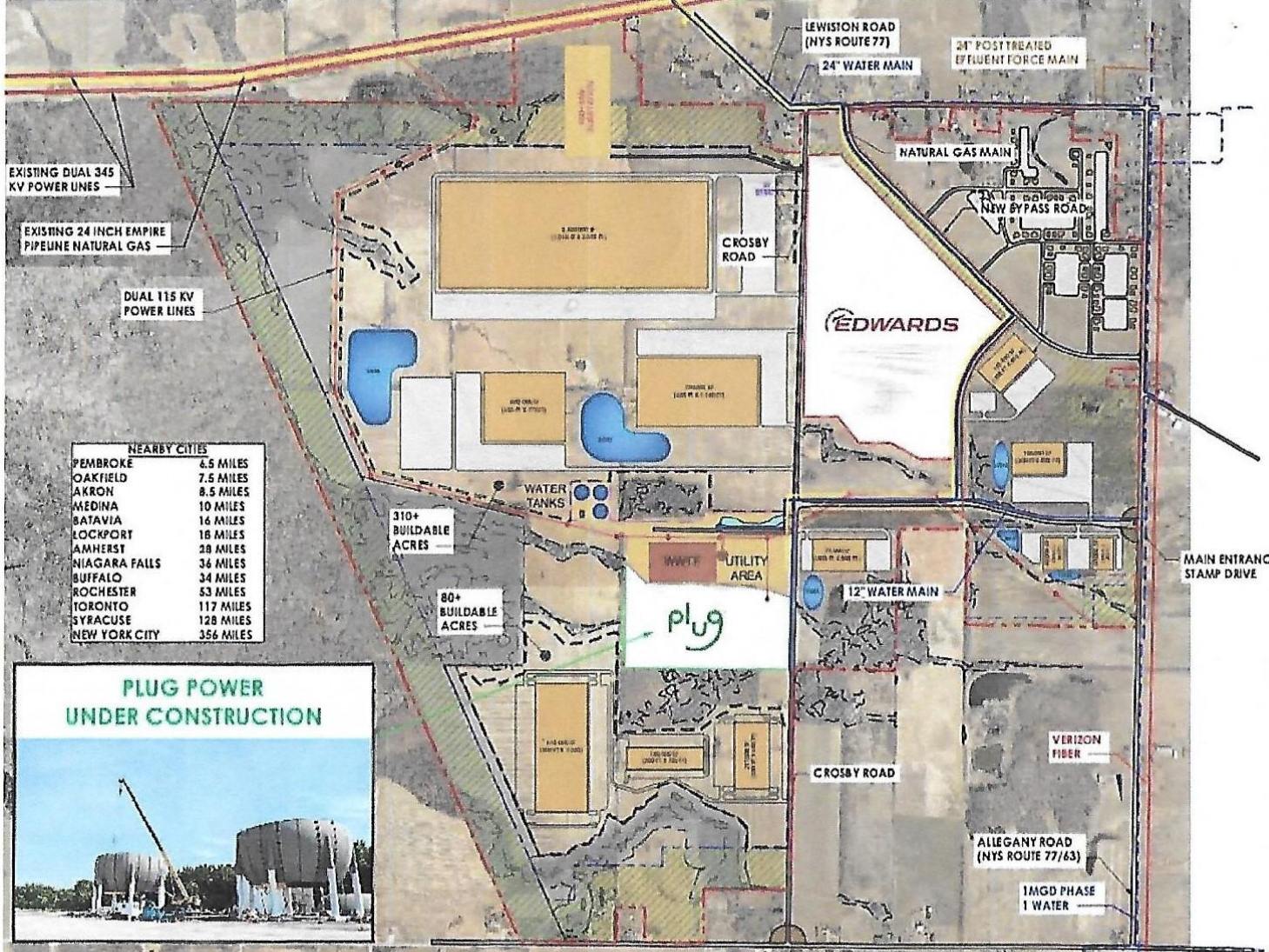
TALENT

2.1+ MILLION 1-HOUR POPULATION

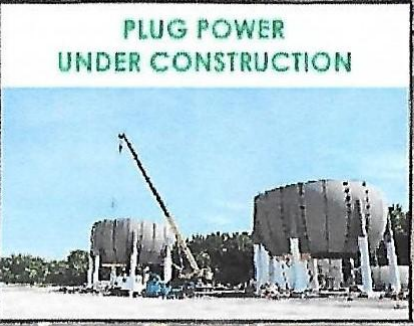
65% ADULT POPULATION WITH DEGREE OR SECONDARY TRAINING

80,000+ TOTAL ENGINEERING & TECHNICIAN ANNUAL ENROLLMENT WITHIN 150 MILES

30,000+ TOTAL ENGINEERING & TECHNICIAN ANNUAL GRADUATES WITHIN 150 MILES



NEARBY CITIES	
PEMBROKE	6.5 MILES
OAKFIELD	7.5 MILES
AKRON	8.5 MILES
MEDINA	10 MILES
BATAVIA	16 MILES
LOCKPORT	18 MILES
AMHERST	28 MILES
NIAGARA FALLS	34 MILES
BUFFALO	34 MILES
ROCHESTER	53 MILES
TORONTO	117 MILES
SYRACUSE	128 MILES
NEW YORK CITY	356 MILES



Full buildout will entail:

- *A water pipeline for up to 6 million gallons daily inflowing from the Niagara River
- *A wastewater plant & pipeline through the Iroquois National Wildlife Refuge and discharging to Oak Orchard Creek
- *Roads for >600 diesel truck and >800 car trips/day
- *Power lines, parking lots and other infrastructure

**The “desperately sought” semiconductor fabricator has yet to appear.
Local water quality, flows and climate change impacts have yet to be analyzed.**

The Tonawanda Seneca Nation Council of Chiefs opposes this project

“ . . . the Nation objects to the pipeline, to the wastewater treatment facility to which it will be connected, and to the industrial manufacturing projects proposed to be sited adjacent to the nation. We do not want our Territory, people, or future generations to be burdened by the negative impacts of these projects, particularly since no studies have been conducted to determine the scope of these impacts.”

Letter from the Tonawanda Seneca Nation Council of Chiefs
to Deb Haaland, US Secretary of Interior
December 22, 2022

Stay informed and learn how YOU can take action to Stop the STAMP!

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