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Wind power for Nora Church



Staff photo by Kevin Sweeney

The Nora Unitarian Church near Hanska raised its 20 kilowatt wind turbine generator on Thursday. The 120-foot tall structure holds a generator with a 31-foot diameter propeller. Ceec, Inc. crane service from Wabasso raised the tower, which was bolted to its base and connected by Steiner Electric of Hudson, Wis. The turbine must undergo inspections from building inspectors and electric utility inspectors before it can start generating power for the church, its social hall and parsonage. The church will be able to sell the extra power it generates to the power utilities.