

**ORAL HISTORY COLLECTION**

**MAIN ENTRY:** Driver, James

**DATE OF INTERVIEW:** June 10, 2010

**LOCATION OF INTERVIEW:** Lubbock, Texas

**INTERVIEWER:** Andy Wilkinson

**FORMAT:** File on Server

**IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:**

**LENGTH OF INTERVIEW:** 1 hour 18 minutes

**SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE:** James Driver, an electric power engineer, grew up in Texas and raised his family there. This interview explores his interest in wind generation plants and how to improve them.

**ABSTRACT:**

<b>FILE</b>	<b>TIME STAMP</b>
Background	0:00
Grew up in Kirkland, Texas	
Reasons for getting into electric power	
Graduated from West Texas A&M	
New innovations	0:10
New generation plants	
New engines in wind generators	
Other forms of generation	
Other opinions	0:20
Coal plants today	
Air pollution	
Location	
Regulation	0:30
Money driven	
Approval	

New project	
Building a new plant	
Using less water for generation plant	
Conventional generation	
Concerns	0:40
Development	
Energy policy in the U.S.	
Wind power	0:55
Taxable values	
New technology	
Commercial value	
Other	1:10
Harvesting	
Ranching	

Interview ended.

**DATE OF BIRTH OF INFORMANT:** Not provided

**GENDER OF INFORMANT:** Male

**ETHNICITY OF INFORMANT:**