

Agenda Item #1 on June 2, 2016

IP6949/GS-15-620 / Mankato Energy Center II, LLC

Staff Briefing Paper Corrections

It was brought to staff's attention that revisions were necessary to staff's briefing papers:

1. The proposed findings of fact were unintentionally missing page 38. That page is included in this supplemental filing.
2. In the staff discussion section on the noticing issue at page 8, staff referenced findings 149 and 150 as the findings pertaining to the noticing issue. However, while the language cited is correct, the finding numbers are incorrect. The correct numbers are Findings 152 and 153.

[Page 38 unintentionally omitted from the earlier filed version of staff's briefing paper]

8. The evidence on the record demonstrates that the Site Permit Template contains mitigation measures and other reasonable conditions which should be incorporated into the final Site Permit for the Project.
9. It is appropriate for section 4.2.4 of the Site Permit Template to be revised to allow for daytime and nighttime construction activities at the Project site, provided that all activities are in compliance with Minnesota noise standards:

Noises created by construction and routine maintenance activities shall not exceed Minnesota noise level standards, as these standards are defined in Minn. R. Chapter 7030.
10. The Project satisfies the site permit criteria for a large electric power generating plant in Minn. Stat. § 216E.03 and Minn. R. 7850, and meets all other legal requirements.