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Daniel P. Wolf
Executive Secretary
Minnesota Public Utilities Commission
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SENT VIA EFILING

Re: In the Matter of the Combined Application of North Star Solar PV LLC for a Site Permit and Route Permit for the North Star Solar Electric Power Generating Plant and Associated 115kV High Voltage Transmission Line in Chisago County
MPUC Docket No. IP-6943/GS-15-33
Our File No. 26465-0001

Dear Mr. Wolf:

After I entered my appearance, there has been an exchange of email correspondence and phone calls with counsel for applicant. During those conversations, it was suggested that possibly there would be no solar arrays constructed to the South of my clients, thus contradicting the argument that we made to the commission. It was suggested that we seek verification from either Geronimo or from Chisago County. To this end, I am supplying correspondence that we received today from Chisago County, which identifies 40 acres of solar arrays scheduled to be constructed to the South of my clients' homes. The map attached purports to show the location of those proposed arrays.

Sincerely,

/s/Gerald W. Von Korff

Gerald W. Von Korff
JVK/dvf

Enclosure



**Chisago County Department of
Environmental Services and Zoning**

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March 25, 2016

Tina Carey
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North Branch, MN 55056

Dear Ms. Carey,

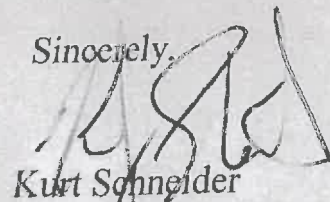
Pursuant to your inquiry please find enclosed some quickly assembled general information on the Geronimo Energy related solar projects in Chisago County. The projects are identified as follows:

| Solar Development Name | MW | Acres | Developer | Location |
|-------------------------------|-----------|--------------|------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Aurora - Chisago | 7.5 | 62 | Geronimo Energy | Lent Twp. - 347xx Kable Avenue |
| Aurora - Lawrence Creek | 4 | 74.3 | Geronimo Energy | Shafer Twp. - 20264 310th St. (Cty |
| Sunrise Solar | 5 | 40 | Geronimo Energy | Sunrise Twp. - 36xxx Kost Trail (Ct |
| Gemini - Scandia | 3 | 24 | Geronimo Energy | Franconia Twp. - 242xx Olinda Tra |
| Chisago - Taylors Falls | 4 | 20 | Geronimo Energy | Shafer Twp. - Upland Rd./Cty. 14 |

The "Sunrise" project is the site located on a portion of the property south of 367th Street. I included the general project plan sheets with highlights of your property on the first page. The Geronimo Energy Sunrise project is not associated with a similarly named entity "Sunrise Energy Ventures" that I understand is currently involved in litigation with the Public Utilities Commission in a different county/jurisdiction. My office does not have any other Geronimo Energy permits or permit applications

My apologies for the rather primitive notes on the attached documents. Please feel free to contact me with questions.

Sincerely,



Kurt Schneider
Director



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EXISTING TREE VEGETATION
AND FLOW
LOCATIONS

INDUCT EQUIPMENT

EXISTING 15' C&P EASEMENT

EXISTING 100' RIGHT OF
WAY ROAD EASEMENT

EXISTING TREE VEGETATION
LOCATIONS

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