



**UNITED STATES
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION**

REGION III
2443 WARRENVILLE ROAD, SUITE 210
LISLE, IL 60532-4352

April 21, 2011

LICENSEE: Northern States Power Company, Minnesota
FACILITY: Prairie Island Nuclear Generating Plant
SUBJECT: SUMMARY OF THE APRIL 14, 2011, PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS
THE 2010 PRAIRIE ISLAND END-OF-CYCLE PERFORMANCE
ASSESSMENT

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John B. Giessner, Chief
Branch 4
Division of Reactor Projects

Docket Nos. 50-282; 50-306; 72-010
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PUBLIC MEETING PRINCIPAL ATTENDEES

April 14, 2011

Nuclear Regulatory Commission

J. Giessner, Branch Chief, Division of Reactor Projects, RIII
K. Stoedter, Senior Resident Inspector, Prairie Island
P. Zurawski, Resident Inspector, Prairie Island
M. Phalen, Health Physicist, Division of Reactor Safety, RIII
A. Barker, Government Liaison Officer, RIII
H. Logaras, Government Liaison Officer, RIII
S. Shah, Reactor Engineer, Division of Reactor Projects, RIII
T. Wengert, Project Manager, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation
S. Brouillard, Resident Office Assistant, Prairie Island
V. Mitlying, Senior Public Affairs Officer, RIII
A. Stone, Branch Chief, Division of Reactor Safety, RIII
L. Rodriguez, Reactor Engineer, Division of Nuclear Materials Safety, RIII

Northern States Power Company, Minnesota

M. Schimmel, Site Vice President
K. Davison, Plant Manager
R. Anderson, Regulatory Affairs Manager

Other Attendees

C. Duff, Advisory Planning Commission, City of Red Wing
T. Ericksy, Public
M. Meinke, Red Wing City Council
B. Boese, Post Bulletin
G. Thomforde, IBEW Local 949
P. Mahowald, Prairie Island Indian Community
C. Eastin, Public
D. Harris, Veterans for Peace
K. Babur, Public
M. Eastin, Public
M. T. Murphy, MN AFL-CIO
R. Rauterkus, Red Wing City Council
C. Eick, Public
S. Ray, Public
L. Ray, Public
J. Commel, Public
L. Hanni, Goodhue County
L. Foushee, NAWO
D. Knoll, Public
L. Knoll, Public
S. Singer, LWV
D. Hollmann, Public
M. Chihsvj, Public
A. Juhnke, Senator Franken's Office
S. Flaherty, MN Department of Health
D. Dorschner, MN Department of Health
T. Purrington, MN Department of Health
J. Johnson, Indigo Properties
M. Daire, Xcel Energy

Other Attendees Cont.

J. Muth, Xcel Energy
C. Bough, Xcel Energy
B. Boyer, Xcel Energy
R. Puddu, Xcel Energy
J. Sorensen, Xcel Energy
D. Snat, Xcel Energy
W. Gellu, Public
T. Thomas, Xcel Energy
P. Gorman, Xcel Energy
M. Sandok, Xcel Energy
S. Northard, Xcel Energy
D. Sheely, Xcel Energy
T. Borgen, Xcel Energy
S. Johnson, Public
R. Hand, City of Red Wing
F. Sperlak, Xcel Energy
K. Eide-Tollefson, PINGP Study Group
R. Jick, PINGP Employee
D. Gauger, Xcel Energy
D. Jagusch, Xcel Energy
T. Seifert, Public



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