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Docket No.: EL12-046

Response To: South Dakota Public
Utilities Commission

Data Request No.

Requestor:

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Date Received: July 30, 2012

Question:

Referring to the Prairie Island ZE Pipe adjustment:

- a) Please provide copies of work order authorizations.
- b) Please provide revised PF19 work papers to reflect actual costs incurred.
- c) Please provide the work paper that supports the property tax rate used on PF19-11.
- d) Does NSP anticipate any reductions in test year expenses as a result of less maintenance or operational efficiencies? Please explain.
- e) Was the piping replacement project part of the life cycle management project at Prairie Island? Please explain.

Response:

- a) The Nuclear Project Authorizations for this project are included as Attachments A and B to this response.
- b) Please see Attachment C for updated work papers PF19-1 through PF19-11 which reflect actual project costs through June, 2012.
- c) Please see Attachment D for a copy of the Actual Property Tax Rates work sheet that was used in the development of the revenue requirement for the Prairie Island ZE Pipe adjustment PF19. The work sheet was based upon the 2010 property tax information which was the most current available at the time.
- d) NSP does not anticipate any reductions in test year expenses as a result of less maintenance or operational efficiencies. Maintenance costs had not increased as a result of the degraded performance of the system. The system is being returned to its intended operational efficiency to ensure cooling of new equipment in the area and prevent degradation of that equipment.

- e) No, the ZE pipe replacement project was not part of the larger “Prairie Island life cycle management project”. In general, there are numerous projects for replacing equipment over the life of a plant due to normal wear and tear and performance degradation. The XE pipe replacement project was necessary due to non-repairable damage due to river silt.

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NUCLEAR PROJECT AUTHORIZATION (NPA)

The NPA is a request for O&M and Capital Study, Design, and Implementation Phase authorization. In addition, updated NPAs are required to request additional project authorizations due to project overruns, and/or changes in scope, schedule, and cost in accordance with FP-BUS-PRG-01, Project Review and Approval Process. The NPA records the historical project information after initial funding authorization. The NPA is signed by the Project Manager and Project Sponsor to document their agreement at each project phase and/or changes in scope, schedule, and cost. The Site VP signature and VP Nuclear Projects signatures are required for Capital project authorization. The Site VP Signature is required for O&M project authorization. For additional instructions on how to fill out the NPA form reference FP-BUS-PRG-01.

Budget Year(s):	2007-2011	Plant:	Prairie Island	Log #:	
Classification:	Capital: 100%	O&M:		Date:	02/16/2011

Project Title: ZE Piping Replacement Project

CAP: 1249417

Project Prioritization
(Use FP-BUS-IPP-01 Integrated Planning Process)

Urgency:	3	<i>Important those activities which are important for longer-term operation that are generally described as "preventing, improving, maintaining or reducing" the probability of a consequence.</i>
Risk:	3e	<i>Equipment Reliability Decreases performance or reliability of equipment required for power generation.</i>

Phase:	Study	Design	Implementation	Close-out
New /Additional Funding Requested:			\$48,000	
New /Additional Funding Requested:			\$2,139,869	
New /Additional Funding Requested (Total):			\$2,187,869	
Current Authorization:			\$186,000	
YTD Phase Actual:			\$17,039	
Project to Date:			\$6,726,983	
Original Project Phase Cost: (identify contingency separate)				
Revised Project Phase Cost:			\$8,482,549	\$570,303

YTD Actual Cost:	\$ 17,039
Revised Total Project Cost:	\$ 9,100,852
Original Total Project Cost:	\$ 9,052,852

- Study Phase
- Design Phase
- Implementation Phase
- *Project Overrun
- *Scope Change
- *Cash Flow Change
- *Schedule Change

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***Provide a clear explanation of why this funding or change is being requested:**

This request is for full implementation of the rest of the 695' ZE Piping field work. The work remaining to be completed is as follows:

▪ **CAPITAL:**

- Mobilize tools to Unit 1 B Train
- Provide temp power
- walk down ECO
- 11 & 12 CS PMP Cooler replacement
- ZE Resources used for GL-08-01 PREFABRICATION
- 1R27 REFUELING OUTAGE NO WORK
- Mobilize after 1R27
- Complete Work suspended
- Mobilize tools to Unit 1 A Train
- 12 CP Work
- 11 CC Work
- 21 CC Work
- Mobilize tooling to Unit 2 B Train
- 12 CC Work
- 22 CC Work
- 21 CP Work
- 23 CP Work
- 22 SI Work
- Unit 2 Piping Work
- Supply Supports Work
- Return Supports Work
- Unit 2 B Train Field Welds
- New Supports
- Mobilize tooling to Unit 2 A Train
- 22 CP Work
- Unit 2 A Train
- Demob / tooling

▪ **O&M:**

CAP-01249417 identified that many pipe supports in the ZH system have the wrong ID on drawings. PassPort has one ID and the drawings have another. This is a legacy issue that resulted from Fluor putting IDs on drawings and PINGP changing the IDs in the component database without updating the drawings. Information is included in PassPort Notes for equipment description that details the information on the drawings. For example, Support 1-EHRH-599 in PassPort has a Note that states the drawing has it depicted as 2-RHRH-599.

Approximately 1,000 drawings need updating by the drafting department. The estimate for the drafting contractors to do this work is:

$$0.75 \text{ hr/drawing} * 1,000 \text{ Drawings} = 750 \text{ hours}$$

$$750 \text{ hrs} * \$60/\text{hr} = \$45,000$$

Once the drawings are updated, the Site's Data Stewards will remove the Notes in PassPort that describe the discrepancy. The drawing updates will be completed by

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07/01/2011.

A corrective action (CA-01249417-01) was initiated to pursue project funding to address this backlog. The funding is needed to maintain design control and configuration of the plant.

Labels -

The labels on the supports will need to be walked down and new labels may need to be created. Estimated that ~500 supports will need new tags. The cost estimate to create the new tags is \$3,000.

Financial Analysis (NPV):

A net present value was run on this project. With the exception of some saved maintenance on control valves and solenoid valves, a "no maintenance cost savings" assumption was made, because the site is currently not maintaining the system. Please note, however, that this is not an acceptable long term strategy. Corrective maintenance will be required to restore cooling on an O&M basis. Replacing piping, coolers, valves, etc. on a corrective basis would be an O&M cost, which would significantly change the NPV.

The NPV, based on end of plant life in 2014 is:

(\$5,700,298)

The NPV, based on end of plant life in 2034 is:

(\$6,497,501)

The reason that the 2034 NPV is higher is because if the end of the useful life is in 2014, the site can depreciate the new equipment faster.

No credit has been taken for extended equipment life.

Project Manager: Mike Goggin

Project Sponsor: Mike Milly

Concise Problem Statement: (Provide the problem description or the new requirement or function the project will meet). The ZE system is not effective in removal of heat generated in the Auxiliary Building. The piping from the supply header to the pump motor unit coolers and from the pump motor unit coolers back to the return header, as well as the pump motor unit coolers appear to be blocked with silt resulting in significant reduction or total loss of water flow. In addition, it appears that MIC has damaged pipe and has resulted in leaks. Unit coolers appear to have eroded due to silt entrainment also resulting in leakage that is not repairable due to leak location within the coil bundle.

Project Scope: (Provide what the project will and will not deliver, and what functionality is and is not included in the final product. Identify affected equipment, associated equipment, and similar equipment commodities that are included. If project includes O&M and Capital scope, separate scopes below in alignment with the calculated cash-flows documented toward the end of the NPA. See Financial Manager for assistance.)

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Capital Scope:

TRAIN B

The entire 695' level of the Train B Piping, Supports, and Coolers will be seismically qualified. This includes the following:

- 11, 13, 21, and 23 VC Coolers / Piping / Supports (2008)
- 12 and 22 CC Coolers / Piping / Supports (2008)
- 12 and 22 SI Coolers / Piping / Supports (2008)
- 12 and 22 CS Coolers / Piping / Supports (2008)

The entire 695' level of the Train B Piping, Coolers (coil replacements as needed), and Supports (new hangers as needed and modified hangers as needed) will be replaced:

- 11, 13, 21, and 23 VC Coolers / Piping / Supports (2008)
- 12 and 22 CC Coolers / Piping / Supports (2008)
- 12 and 22 SI Coolers / Piping / Supports (2009)
- 12 and 22 CS Coolers / Piping / Supports (2009)

TRAIN A

The following 695' level of the Train A Piping, Supports, and Coolers will be seismically qualified:

- 12 and 22 VC Coolers / Piping / Supports (2009)
- 11 and 21 CC Coolers / Piping / Supports (2009)

The following 695' level of the Train A Piping, Coolers (coil replacements as needed), and Supports (new hangers as needed and modified hangers as needed) will be replaced:

- 12 and 22 VC Coolers / Piping / Supports (2009)
- 11 and 21 CC Coolers / Piping / Supports (2009)

The following 695' level of the Train A Piping, Supports, and Coolers will be removed from the plant:

- 11 and 21 SI Coolers / Piping / Supports (2009)
- 11 and 21 CS Coolers / Piping / Supports (2009)

Project Description: (For the recommended alternative being considered, provide the specific tasks that will be completed in sufficient detail to describe how the project will be implemented. Include any key assumptions use for the project).

The following 695' Aux Bldg ZE System equipment is in scope – Engineering complete in 2009, Construction to follow in 2009-2010.

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11 and 21 SI Coolers / Piping / Supports
11 and 21 CS Coolers / Piping / Supports
11A, 21A, 21B, and 21C ZX Unit Coolers

Justification / Benefits: (What is the justification for selecting the recommended alternative and what are the expected benefits).

This project is required because there is inadequate cooling to our critical equipment in the Auxillary Building. The ZE System equipment on the 695' level of the Aux Bldg is especially important, because there is essentially no cooling in the six Charging Pump rooms right now, and the site is replacing the variable speed pump drives with new frequency drives in 2008. It is important that this new equipment is protected – a \$3,000,000 investment.

This entire ZE Piping Replacement project was cut from the scope of the ZX Piping Replacement Project (01ZX01). There is approximately \$600,000 worth of left over materials from this project that is being carried in the warehouse, the majority of which would be used up during this project.

The current configuration of the Unit 1 and Unit 2 Charging Pump area coolers and associated piping is that they are completely blocked with silt, and have little or no water flow. They are isolated on cooling water for the cooling medium – this was done to protect the ZX piping that was recently replaced. The problem has not been addressed adequately, and a new strategy is required to restore cooling, either by a large scale capital replacement or an O&M corrective maintenance replacement.

The feasibility of this project is being pursued to ensure proper cooling is provided for worker safety and to prolong the life of plant equipment. The ZE system has been down graded to a Non-safety related per EC 12992.

In addition to replacing the plugged-up piping, this project will also address the following Aux Bldg ZE System issues:

1. Provide resolution to a Top 10 Equipment List Item.
2. Provide additional cooling to the Aux Bldg as a whole, thus providing safer work environments for personnel, as well as longer life for electrical equipment.
3. Correct seismic II / I status for ZE piping and unit coolers (SI & CC pump) – CAP 024724.
4. Replace problematic CL to ZE and ZX to ZE control valves.
5. Engineering has requested that solenoid valves for these control valves also be removed.
6. Use the \$650,000 of materials from ZX System piping replacement project (AL6XN piping, SST valves, unit coolers, and Insulation).
7. Resurrect the flushing procedures for the times the system is run on cooling water.
8. The unit cooler's manual control valves that regulate chilled water flow through the coils will be removed. The purpose of doing this is to provide continuous flow in the lines to prevent MIC and silting in replaced components.
9. The AB ZE piping Insulation will be upgraded from CCF to F-VBC, which is in inventory from the ZX project.
10. Finally, we intend to use the AL6XN material to replace all of the piping, with the possible exception of vent and drain valves. The purpose of this is for more manageable configuration control.

Project Risk Assessment: (Provide the key assumptions and risks which could impact the success of the project).

Risks which could impact the success of the project:

1. Securing project funding – was decreased twice in 2007 and twice already in 2008.
2. Project ranking – the ZE Piping Project currently ranks #14 on the 2008 Routine Capital Project Budget below Regulatory Projects and Safety Projects, and below far more important projects like DEHC, R11/R12, Charging Pumps, and Air Compressors. This is concerning, because if there are any overruns, one of the first places the PRG has looked for money is in lower-ranking projects, such as this one.
3. Project staffing – emergent projects such as the recent Security Modifications and Outage Projects (Feedwater Line

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Drop, Turbine Generator Work, DEHC assistance, IA assistance, etc) continue to take key project members from this project to address higher priority tasks.

Alternatives: (List and briefly describe other alternatives, including non-authorization, that were considered).

1. Do Nothing (and scrap the inventoried material)

- Engineering Study Report S-05ZE01 dated 11/8/05: Aux Building ZE Unit Cooler and Piping Degradation Study by Charles Agan and Richard K. Cooper, provides recommendations for actions to be taken to ascertain the actual condition of the ZE System. This information will help determine the most cost efficient plant strategy.
- Per C18.1, none of Aux Bldg Unit Coolers are required to maintain operability of Engineered Safeguard Equipment.
- Eliminate the holding costs taxes on the \$650,000 of material in the warehouse.
- There are several engineering issues with the ZE System that need to be resolved (see Justification / Benefits section).
- The motor life of the critical motors in the will be reduced without restored cooling. (Lowering the temperature by 10 °C will increase pump motor life by a factor of 2 – motor insulation lifetime is halved for each 10 °C rise in operating temperature).
- The stay times in several areas of the Aux Bldg will remain low, require more time to complete maintenance and perform plant operations.

2. Replace Safety Related Coolers/Pipe with Safety Related (carbon steel pipe) as a Project

- Does NOT require modification.
- Can proceed without Q-List results.
- Completed in approximately 3 years (fall winter spring only) from time of funding approval. Phase 1 would be completed in 2010.
- Would NOT use the SS pipe already on site.
- Engineering is still required to address other ZE System issues.
- There will still be the II/I issue to deal with, which will require engineering / design work – this would not be a strictly maintenance activity.
- Would have to buy new safety-related material and scrap about half of the \$650,000 material in the warehouse.

3. Replace Safety Related Coolers/Pipe with Safety Related (carbon steel pipe) as Maintenance Strategy

- Does NOT require modification or any design work.
- Does NOT require a project.
- Can proceed without Q-List results.
- Completed in 5 – 7 years depending on how aggressive system budget allows and management of replacement
- Would NOT use the SS pipe already on site (\$650,000 scrap).
- Engineering is still required to address other ZE System issues.
- There will still be the II/I issue to deal with, which will require engineering / design work – this would not be a strictly maintenance activity.

4. Replace Coolers and Pipe with Standard Quality Components (use AL6XN SS pipe already on site)

- Eliminate plugged pipes / components.
- Fix II/I seismic problems.
- Restore beneficial cooling in the Auxiliary Building.
- Will set us up for operation to 2034.
- Most of the material needed is already on site, and it has been requested by the asset owner that we use this material.
- 5SST piping is more resistant to MIC.
- Completed in approximately 3 – 4 years from time of funding approval.
- Requires modification and hiring of contract engineering support (we may be able to use some or all of the piping analysis that was completed TES in Design Change # 82Y23D, which will reduce A./E analysis cost (Film rolls 1882 / 1887).
- Requires completion of Q-List downgrade (nearly complete).

Recommendation: Replace Coolers and Pipe with Standard Quality Components (use 5SST pipe already on site).

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Material Management: (Identify how this project may create obsolete parts, require additional parts, or require the disposition of removed items).

Are there any spare parts or material (regular inventory or capitalized) that will no longer be usable as a result of implementing this project? Identify and determine the value of each.

None. All materials originally purchased for this project (in the 01ZX01 Project) were journaled to the ZE Project, and will be used or scrapped.

Are there any additional spare parts or material (regular inventory or capitalized) that will be needed as a result of implementing this project? Identify and determine the value of each.

None. No additional spare piping, valves, or coolers will be stocked above what is currently in stores.

Are there any parts or material that will need to be retired or refurbished as a result of implementing this project? Identify and determine the value of each.

Yes. A few hundred feet of piping and several valves will be scrapped.

Cash Flow

Capital

Year	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011		
Phase					Implementation & Closeout		
Jan		\$41,200	\$89,036	\$489,860	\$17,039		
Feb		\$31,362	\$265,533	\$724,940	\$75,771		
Mar		\$181,631	\$157,019	\$231,047	\$210,000		
Apr		\$113,956	\$357,464	\$307,099	\$228,709		
May		\$154,072	\$203,061	\$25,716	\$0		
Jun	\$599,615	\$152,757	\$221,884	-\$44,663	\$275,000		
Jul	\$17,042	\$154,356	\$192,942	\$664	\$275,000		
Aug	\$40,892	\$97,264	\$262,155	\$0	\$275,000		
Sep	\$21,907	\$109,642	\$62,949	-\$27,836	\$275,000		
Oct	\$10,022	\$58,939	\$117,046	\$739	\$275,000		
Nov	\$6,997	\$41,306	\$380,600	\$0	\$225,000		
Dec	\$7,016	\$138,565	\$700,537	\$13,612	\$211,388		
TOTAL	\$703,491	\$1,275,050	\$3,010,226	\$1,721,178	\$2,342,907		\$9,052,852

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For carryover projects, enter the cash flow in the previous years' months.

Outage Related: Yes No Year/Outage Number(s):

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Cash Flow

O&M

Year	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011		
Phase							
Jan							
Feb							
Mar					\$15,000		
Apr					\$15,000		
May							
Jun					\$15,000		
Jul					\$3,000		
Aug							
Sep							
Oct							
Nov							
Dec							
TOTAL	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$48,000		\$48,000

Project Estimate and Project Milestones: (An estimate of Total Project cost and Project Milestones must be included for Design and Implementation phases).

Note: This high level schedule has not been verified with the project team. This schedule will likely need to be modified based on input from the project team.

PRG Presentation:

Phase 1 (2007 - 2008): Unit 1 and Unit 2 Charging Pump area coolers and associated piping - a total of six coolers and piping,

Engineering: March - July, 2007

Planning: July, 2007

Walk downs: August - September, 2007

Construction: November 2007 - April, 2008

Phase 2 (2008 - 2009): Unit 1 and Unit 2 Safety Injection Pump area coolers and associated piping, and Unit 1 and Unit 2 Containment Spray Pump area coolers and associated piping - a total of eight coolers and piping.

Engineering: March - June, 2008

Planning: July, 2008

Walk downs: August - September, 2008

Construction: October 2008 - March, 2009

Phase 3 (2009 - 2010): Unit 1 and Unit 2 Component Cooling Pump area coolers and associated piping, Unit 1 and Unit 2 Main Steam Corridor coolers and associated piping, and Unit 1 and Unit 2 Auxiliary Building Floor area coolers and associated piping - a total of ten coolers and piping.

Engineering: March - June, 2009

Planning: July, 2009

Walk downs: August - September, 2009

Construction: October 2009 - September 2011

Turnover October 2011

Closeout December 2011

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ESTIMATE

2011 Estimate

DZ		
	In-Processing	\$75,771.00
DZ Elec		
	Unit 1 A Train	\$11,908.00
	Unit 1 B Train	\$27,251.00
	Unit 2 A Train	\$16,030.00
	Unit 2 B Train	\$42,823.00
DZ PF		
	Unit 1 A Train	\$39,553.00
	Unit 1 B Train	\$41,153.00
	Unit 2 A Train	\$111,038.00
	Unit 2 B Train	\$194,031.00
DZ Supv/Project Staffing		\$239,414.00
Engineering		
	PE Engr	\$141,750.00
	AES	\$150,000.00
Planning		\$359,100.00
Project Manager/Project Controls		\$283,500.00
Xcel Spec Construction		\$411,600.00
API - Insulators		\$140,000.00
Materials		\$57,986.00
Total Estimate		\$2,342,907.00

Resources	Phase 1 (Charging Pump Rooms)	Total (Phase 1, 2, and 3)	Notes on estimates
A/E	\$347,500	\$850,000	Phase 1 estimate based on proposal from Sargent & Lundy, LLC. Total is double this amount -- not three times this amount -- because they bid some items that we do not need.
Project Engineer	\$60,000	\$180,000	Estimate from Cooper Engineering, Inc. -- (500 hours per phase)(\$120 per hour)
Construction	\$877,289	\$2,900,000	Phase 1 estimate provided by Atlantic (Turney Hazlet / Doug Loberg). Total estimate is approximately three times this amount, and this should be conservative since the charging pump rooms are the hardest areas to work in and around.
Carpenters, Laborers, Fire watches	\$356,090	\$1,308,000	Phase 1 estimate provided by Bill Pasch. Total estimate is approximately three times this amount, and this should be conservative since the charging pump rooms are the hardest areas to work in and around.

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Resources	Phase 1 (Charging Pump Rooms)	Total (Phase 1, 2, and 3)	Notes on estimates
Existing Materials on Site	\$216,667	\$650,000	Existing materials in the warehouse value \$650,000. Phase 1 will use approximately one-third of this material.
Additional Materials	\$33,333	\$100,000	This estimate is based on the fact that the inventory of materials we have has been picked through over the last two years, and known material that is missing. We estimated that the additional material will likely be less than \$100,000 for the total project. Phase 1 estimate is one-third of this estimate.
Scrap Material costs	\$33,333	\$100,000	This estimate is for the cost of removing the old equipment from the plant -- \$100,000 for the entire project -- Phase 1 is one-third this amount.
Supply Chain	\$280	\$840	Help with ordering missing materials: (4 hours per phase)(\$70 per hour)
Project Manager	\$69,333	\$208,000	Estimate based on one-third FTE per year for 3 years at \$100 per hour
Planner / Field Engineer	\$182,000	\$546,000	Estimate based on full time planner for 3 years at 50 hours per week at \$70 per hour. Note: This number will likely be less, as we will use this planner's services on other projects. This planner will also provide field engineer services.
Operations	\$11,200	\$33,600	Operations support for isolation, drain, restoration, fill, system line-ups, and testing. Estimate is 12 man-weeks for the entire project at 40 hours per week at \$70 per hour. Phase 1 estimate is one-third this amount. This estimate is based on analogous estimating using data from the ZX piping replacement project.
Rad Protection	\$5,600	\$16,800	Rad Protection support for RP services and decon. Estimate is 6 man-weeks for the entire project at 40 hours per week at \$70 per hour. Phase 1 estimate is one-third this amount. This estimate is based on analogous estimating using data from the ZX piping replacement project.
QA / QC / NOS	\$25,000	\$75,000	QA / QC support for weld inspections. Estimate is \$75,000 for the entire project. Phase 1 estimate is one-third this amount. This estimate is based on analogous estimating using data from the ZX piping replacement project.

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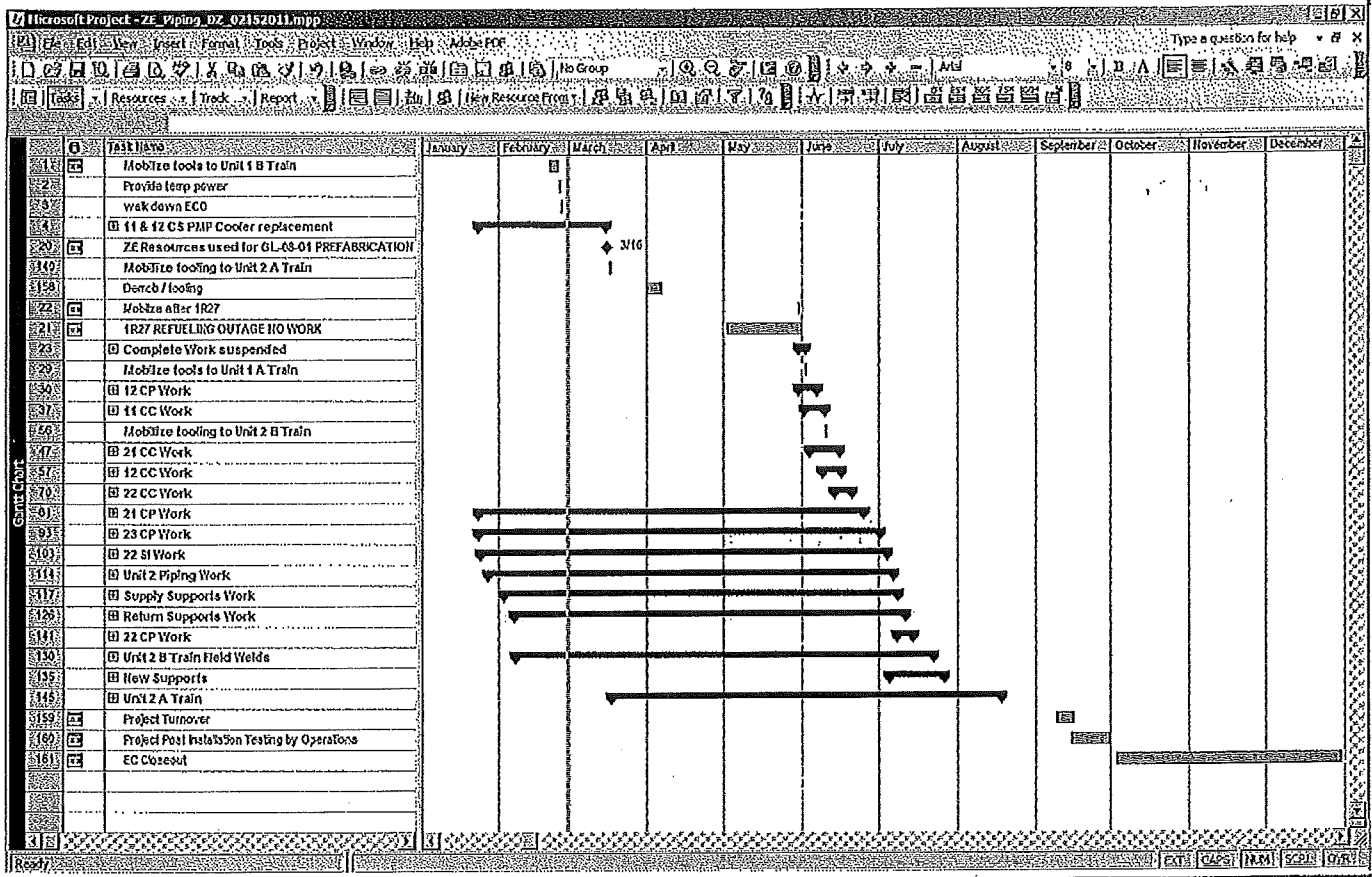
Resources	Phase 1 (Charging Pump Rooms)	Total (Phase 1, 2, and 3)	Notes on estimates
System Engineering	\$3,640	\$10,920	System Engineering time for weekly project meeting -- 1 hour per week for 3 years at \$70 per hour. (Note: construction estimate includes weekly meeting time)
Project Sponsor	\$5,200	\$15,600	Project Sponsor time for weekly project meeting -- 1 hour per week for 3 years at \$100 per hour. (Note: construction estimate includes weekly meeting time)
Design Review Boards / Engineering Document Reviews	\$17,467	\$26,200	Design Engineering Design Review Boards: (3 review boards)(8 hours)(10 people)(\$80 per hour average). Also, site engineering document reviews: (100 hours)(\$70 per hour) -- these estimates are for the entire project, two-thirds of which will come during Phase 1.
Project Controls	\$20,800	\$62,400	This estimate is for the Project Department Staff for financial tracking and scheduling: (8 hours per week)(52 weeks)(\$50 per hour) for Phase 1. Total project is three times this.
Admin Support	\$8,320	\$24,960	This cost is primarily for configuration control: (4 hours per week)(52 weeks)(\$50 per hour) for Phase 1. Total project cost is three times this. (Note: construction estimate includes admin costs)
In-Processing	\$12,000	\$24,000	In-processing cost for three additional people: (\$100 per hour)(1 week)(6 people) for total project, all of which will be spent during Phase 1 of the project. (Note: construction estimate includes mobilization / demobilization costs.)
Scheduling / Production Planning	\$5,600	\$16,800	Integrate the project schedule into the on-line 13-week schedule. Estimate is 2 weeks per phase at \$70 per hour.
Safety Department	\$560	\$3,360	Estimate is 16 hours per phase at \$70 per hour.
Iron Workers	\$22,400	\$22,400	Estimate to install a new ladder for access to the top of 11 & 12 Charging Pump Rooms. (2 Iron Workers)(160 hours)(\$70 per hour), which will be installed during Phase 1.

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Resources	Phase 1 (Charging Pump Rooms)	Total (Phase 1, 2, and 3)	Notes on estimates
API	\$120,000	\$360,000	Estimate for Phase 1: \$40,000 for Insulation removal, \$80,000 for Insulation installation. Total project will be three times this. This estimate is based on analogous estimating using data from the ZX piping replacement project.
Additional Electrical Work	\$560	\$1,680	Electricians included in construction estimate for term / deter fans and light only. Also needed for 24 control valves / solenoid valves at 1 hour per valve at \$70 per hour for the entire project. Phase 1 is one-third this amount.
Drafting costs	\$50,000	\$150,000	Estimate for entire project: \$150,000. Phase 1 will be one-third this amount. This estimate is based on analogous estimating using data from the ZX piping replacement project. This number was confirmed with Chuck Rizzo.
Close out costs	\$2,800	\$8,400	Most of this will be covered by the Project Engineer as part of the mod process, but this is accounting for John Geisler's time for mod close-out. (1 week per phase)(\$70 per hour)
Study Money	\$10,000	\$10,000	Journal in the \$10,000 study money that we spent developing the estimate and NPA
Subtotal	\$2,496,973	\$7,704,960	SUBTOTAL (No Contingency, A&G, and VP Account included)
Contingency	\$249,697	\$1,155,268	Per Project Estimate Template, 15% of project total
Site A&G	\$249,697	\$192,624	Per Project Estimate Template, 2.5% of project total
Total	\$3,258,549	\$9,052,852	TOTAL

NUCLEAR PROJECT AUTHORIZATION (NPA)

Project Schedule (02/21/11 - 12/31/2011)



Project Agreement

Project Manager: Michael P. Gogglin <i>M.P. Gogglin</i>	Date: 3/4/11
Project Sponsor: Mike Milly <i>Michael R. Milly</i>	Date: 4 MAR 11

NUCLEAR PROJECT AUTHORIZATION (NPA)

PRG Sub-Committee Disposition

<input type="checkbox"/> Accept	Date:
<input type="checkbox"/> Reject	
Recommendation:	
N/R	
Validate Urgency: <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 (Check one)	
Risk: (Refer to FP-BUS-IPP-01)	

PRG Disposition

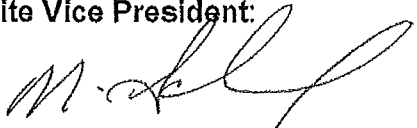
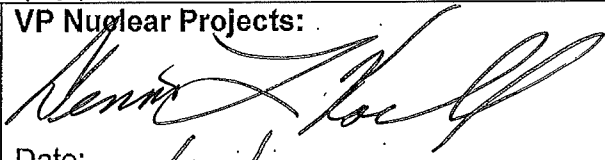
<input type="checkbox"/> Approve	Date: 3/1/2011
<input type="checkbox"/> Reject	
Recommendation:	

Savings and Use Guidance (See FG-BUS-FIN-01)

Form QF-2134 Required (AFCR)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Budget Offset Recommendation:		

O&M and CAPITAL

CAPITAL

Site Vice President:  Date: 3.4.2011	^{FOR} VP Nuclear Projects:  Date: 3/21/11
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(Note: If Form QF-2134 (AFCR) is required, Authorization for funding can not be finalized until approved Form QF-2134 is signed by CNO and attached to NPA)

Site Finance Manager

Accounting Charge Number:
Site Finance Manager:

NUCLEAR PROJECT AUTHORIZATION (NPA)

Date:

NUCLEAR PROJECT AUTHORIZATION (NPA)

The NPA is a request for O&M and Capital Study, Design, and Implementation Phase authorization. In addition, updated NPAs are required to request additional project authorizations due to project overruns, and/or changes in scope, schedule, and cost in accordance with FP-BUS-PRG-01, Project Review and Approval Process. The NPA records the historical project information after initial funding authorization. The NPA is signed by the Project Manager and Project Sponsor to document their agreement at each project phase and/or changes in scope, schedule, and cost. The Site VP signature and VP Nuclear Projects signatures are required for Capital project authorization. The Site VP Signature is required for O&M project authorization. For additional instructions on how to fill out the NPA form reference FP-BUS-PRG-01.

Budget Year(s):	2009-2011	Plant: PI		Log #:	
Classification:	Capital: 100%	O&M:0%		Date:	9NOV11

Project Title: ZE Cooling Piping replacement (695' elev)

CAP: _____

Project Prioritization

(Use FP-BUS-IPP-01 Integrated Planning Process)

Urgency:	3	<i>Important: those activities which are important for longer-term operation that are generally described as "preventing, improving, maintaining or reducing" the probability of a consequence.</i>
Risk:	3E	<i>Equipment Reliability: Decreases performance or reliability of equipment required for power generation.</i>

Phase:	Study	Design	Implementation	Close-out
New /Additional Funding Requested:	\$	\$	\$ 301100	\$ 111048
Current Authorization:	\$	\$	\$ 9027852	\$ 25000
YTD Phase Actual:	\$	\$	\$ 1955715	\$ 0
Project to Date:	\$	\$	\$8665657	\$ 0

YTD Actual Cost:	\$ 1,955,715
Revised Total Project Cost:	\$ 9,465,000
Original Total Project Cost:	\$ 4,037,662

- Study Phase
- Design Phase
- Implementation Phase
- *Project Overrun
- *Scope Change
- *Cash Flow Change
- *Schedule Change

NUCLEAR PROJECT AUTHORIZATION (NPA)

***Provide a clear explanation of why this funding or change is being requested:**

The additional cost is attributed to:

Estimating Uncertainty

- The project was re-estimated for completion to utilize Bechtel as the project management organization. This NPA request includes increased funding required to implement the directive.
- The project in the last week of August was the first project to be transitioned to Bechtel management control with a new estimate to completion at that time. The turnover to Bechtel was complete 01SEP11
- The prior NPA funding execution (approved 3/11) estimating the cost did not allow for Bechtel management. The new Bechtel Estimate (inserted below) used to prepare this revised NPA was received by the PM 17AUG11.

Changes during Implementation

- This project has been suspended for various reasons several times over the past 10 years. During the periods that it has been in implementation phase it has accumulated over 90 unique Construction Change Notices made necessary by discovery of configuration conflicts and errors.
- In late August a management decision to suspend work on ZE Piping and reassign the resources to Cold Chem was implemented. The impact was a 1 month push to the schedule.

Financial Analysis (NPV):

Concise Problem Statement: (Provide the problem description or the new requirement or function the project will meet).

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The ZE system is not effective in removal of heat generated in the Auxiliary Building. The piping from the supply header to the pump motor unit coolers and from the pump motor unit coolers back to the return header, as well as the pump motor unit coolers appear to be blocked with silt resulting in significant reduction or total loss of water flow. In addition, it appears that MIC has damaged pipe and has resulted in leaks. Unit coolers appear to have eroded due to silt entrainment also resulting in leakage that is not repairable due to leak location within the coil bundle.

NUCLEAR PROJECT AUTHORIZATION (NPA)

Project Manager: Karl Conley	Project Sponsor: Mike Milly
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Project Scope: (Provide what the project will and will not deliver, and what functionality is and is not included in the final product. Identify affected equipment, associated equipment, and similar equipment commodities that are included. If project includes O&M and Capital scope, separate scopes below in alignment with the calculated cash-flows documented toward the end of the NPA. See Financial Manager for assistance.)

Justification / Benefits: (What is the justification for selecting the recommended alternative and what are the expected benefits).

This project is required because there is inadequate cooling to our critical equipment in the Auxiliary Building. The ZE System equipment on the 695' level of the Aux Bldg is especially important, because there is essentially no cooling in the six Charging Pump rooms right now, and the site is replacing the variable speed pump drives with new frequency drives in 2008. It is important that this new equipment is protected – a \$3,000,000 investment.

This entire ZE Piping Replacement project was out from the scope of the ZX Piping Replacement Project (01ZX01). There is approximately \$600,000 worth of left over materials from this project that is being carried in the warehouse, the majority of which would be used up during this project.

The current configuration of the Unit 1 and Unit 2 Charging Pump area coolers and associated piping is that they are completely blocked with silt, and have little or no water flow. They are isolated on cooling water for the cooling medium – this was done to protect the ZX piping that was recently replaced. The problem has not been addressed adequately, and a new strategy is required to restore cooling, either by a large scale capital replacement or an O&M corrective maintenance replacement.

The feasibility of this project is being pursued to ensure proper cooling is provided for worker safety and to prolong the life of plant equipment. The ZE system has been down graded to a Non-safety related per EC 12992.

In addition to replacing the plugged-up piping, this project will also address the following Aux Bldg ZE System issues:

1. Provide resolution to a Top 10 Equipment List Item.
2. Provide additional cooling to the Aux Bldg as a whole, thus providing safer work environments for personnel, as well as longer life for electrical equipment.
3. Correct seismic II / I status for ZE piping and unit coolers (SI & CC pump) – CAP 024724.
4. Replace problematic CL to ZE and ZX to ZE control valves.
5. Engineering has requested that solenoid valves for these control valves also be removed.
6. Use the \$650,000 of materials from ZX System piping replacement project (AL6XN piping, SST valves, unit coolers, and insulation).
7. Resurrect the flushing procedures for the times the system is run on cooling water.
8. The unit cooler's manual control valves that regulate chilled water flow through the coils will be removed. The purpose of doing this is to provide continuous flow in the lines to prevent MIC and silting in replaced components.
9. The AB ZE piping insulation will be upgraded from CCF to F-VBC, which is in inventory from the ZX project.
10. Finally, we intend to use the AL6XN material to replace all of the piping, with the possible exception of vent and drain valves. The purpose of this is for more manageable configuration control.

Project Risk Assessment: (Provide the key assumptions and risks which could impact the success of the project).

The primary risk to this project at this point is to the schedule in the form of :

- Reassignment of resources to higher priority projects
- Discovery-revealed design and documentation changes
- Funding shortfall if this NPA is not approved

NUCLEAR PROJECT AUTHORIZATION (NPA)

Alternatives: (List and briefly describe other alternatives, including non-authorization, that were considered).

1. Do Nothing (and scrap the inventoried material)

- Engineering Study Report S-06ZE01 dated 11/8/06: Aux Building ZE Unit Cooler and Piping Degradation Study by Charles Agan and Richard K. Cooper, provides recommendations for actions to be taken to ascertain the actual condition of the ZE System. This information will help determine the most cost efficient plant strategy.
- Per C-18.1, none of Aux Bldg Unit Coolers are required to maintain operability of Engineered Safeguard Equipment.
- Eliminate the holding costs taxes on the \$650,000 of material in the warehouse.
- There are several engineering issues with the ZE System that need to be resolved (see Justification / Benefits section).
- The motor life of the critical motors in the will be reduced without restored cooling. (Lowering the temperature by 10 °C will increase pump motor life by a factor of 2 – motor insulation lifetime is halved for each 10 °C rise in operating temperature).
- The stay times in several areas of the Aux Bldg will remain low, require more time to complete maintenance and perform plant operations.

2. Replace Safety Related Coolers/Pipe with Safety Related (carbon steel pipe) as a Project

- Does NOT require modification.
- Can proceed without Q-List results.
- Completed in approximately 3 years (fall winter spring only) from time of funding approval. Phase 1 would be completed in 2010.
- Would NOT use the SS pipe already on site.
- Engineering is still required to address other ZE System issues.
- There will still be the III issue to deal with, which will require engineering / design work – this would not be a strictly maintenance activity.
- Would have to buy new safety-related material and scrap about half of the \$650,000 material in the warehouse.

3. Replace Safety Related Coolers/Pipe with Safety Related (carbon steel pipe) as Maintenance Strategy

- Does NOT require modification or any design work.
- Does NOT require a project.
- Can proceed without Q-List results.
- Completed in 5 – 7 years depending on how aggressive system budget allows and management of replacement
- Would NOT use the SS pipe already on site (\$650,000 scrap).
- Engineering is still required to address other ZE System issues.
- There will still be the III issue to deal with, which will require engineering / design work – this would not be a strictly maintenance activity.

4. Replace Coolers and Pipe with Standard Quality Components (use AL6XN SS pipe already on site)

- Eliminate plugged pipes / components.
- Fix III seismic problems.
- Restore beneficial cooling in the Auxillary Building.
- Will set us up for operation to 2034.
- Most of the material needed is already on site, and it has been requested by the asset owner that we use this material.
- SSST piping is more resistant to MIC.
- Completed in approximately 3 – 4 years from time of funding approval.
- Requires modification and hiring of contract engineering support (we may be able to use some or all of the piping analysis that was completed TES in Design Change # 82Y23D, which will reduce A/E analysis cost (Film rolls 1882 / 1887).
- Requires completion of Q-List downgrade (nearly complete).

Recommendation: Replace Coolers and Pipe with Standard Quality Components (use SSST pipe already on site).

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Material Management: (Identify how this project may create obsolete parts, require additional parts, or require the disposition of removed items).

Are there any spare parts or material (regular inventory or capitalized) that will no longer be usable as a result of implementing this project? Identify and determine the value of each.

None. All materials originally purchased for this project (in the 01ZX01 Project) were journaled to the ZE Project, and will be used or scrapped.

Are there any additional spare parts or material (regular inventory or capitalized) that will be needed as a result of implementing this project? Identify and determine the value of each.

None. No additional spare piping, valves, or coolers will be stocked above what is currently in stores.

Are there any parts or material that will need to be retired or refurbished as a result of implementing this project? Identify and determine the value of each.

Yes. A few hundred feet of piping and several valves will be scrapped.

Cash Flow (Original)

Note: Cash flows shown include design, implementation, and closeout costs for ZE phase 1, 695' elev

Year	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011		
Phase					Implementation & Closeout		
Jan		\$41,200	\$89,036	\$489,860	\$17,039		
Feb		\$31,362	\$265,533	\$724,940	\$75,771		
Mar		\$181,631	\$157,019	\$231,047	\$210,000		
Apr		\$113,956	\$357,464	\$307,099	\$228,709		
May		\$154,072	\$203,061	\$25,716	\$0		
Jun	\$599,615	\$152,757	\$221,884	-\$44,663	\$275,000		
Jul	\$17,042	\$154,356	\$192,942	\$664	\$275,000		
Aug	\$40,892	\$97,264	\$262,155	\$0	\$276,000		
Sep	\$21,907	\$109,642	\$62,949	-\$27,836	\$275,000		
Oct	\$10,022	\$58,939	\$117,046	\$739	\$275,000		
Nov	\$6,997	\$41,306	\$380,600	\$0	\$225,000		
Dec	\$7,016	\$138,565	\$700,637	\$13,612	\$211,388		
TOTAL	\$703,491	\$1,275,050	\$3,010,226	\$1,721,178	\$2,342,907		\$9,052,852

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New Cash Flow Forecast				
Total Project Spent DEC2010	2011		2012	
	\$6,709,945	JAN	\$17,039	JAN
	FEB	\$9,694	FEB	\$56,000
	MAR	\$152,064	MAR	
	APR	\$78,417	APR	
	MAY	\$35,329	MAY	
	JUN	\$68,651	JUN	
	JUL	\$289,043	JUL	
	AUG	\$221,711	AUG	
	SEP	\$584,509	SEP	
	OCT	\$499,257	OCT	
	NOV	\$455,000	NOV	
	DEC	\$233,293	DEC	
	Total2011	\$2,644,007	Total2012	\$111,048

For carryover projects, enter the cash flow in the previous years' months.
 Outage Related: Yes No Year/Outage Number(s):

Project Estimate and Project Milestones: (An estimate of Total Project cost and Project Milestones must be included for Design and Implementation phases).

Milestones from previous NPA:

Project Estimate and Project Milestones: (An estimate of Total Project cost and Project Milestones must be included for Design and Implementation phases).

Note: This high level schedule has not been verified with the project team. This schedule will likely need to be modified based on input from the project team.

PRG Presentation:
 Phase 1 (2007 - 2008): Unit 1 and Unit 2 Charging Pump area coolers and associated piping - a total of six coolers and piping.
 Engineering: March - July, 2007
 Planning: July, 2007
 Walk downs: August - September, 2007
 Construction: November 2007 - April, 2008
 Phase 2 (2008 - 2009): Unit 1 and Unit 2 Safety Injection Pump area coolers and associated piping, and Unit 1 and Unit 2 Containment Spray Pump area coolers and associated piping - a total of eight coolers and piping.
 Engineering: March - June, 2008
 Planning: July, 2008
 Walk downs: August - September, 2008
 Construction: October 2008 - March, 2009
 Phase 3 (2009 - 2010): Unit 1 and Unit 2 Component Cooling Pump area coolers and associated piping, Unit 1 and Unit 2 Main Steam Corridor coolers and associated piping, and Unit 1 and Unit 2 Auxiliary Building Floor area coolers and associated piping - a total of ten coolers and piping.
 Engineering: March - June, 2009
 Planning: July, 2009
 Walk downs: August - September, 2009
 Construction: October 2009 - September 2011
 Turnover October 2011
 Closeout December 2011

NUCLEAR PROJECT AUTHORIZATION (NPA)

PRG Sub-Committee Disposition

Accept
 Reject

Date: _____

Recommendation:

Project Manager:

[Signature]

Date:

16 NOV 2011

Project Sponsor:

[Signature]

Date:

16 NOV 11

Validate

Urgency: 1 2 3 (Check one)

Risk: (Refer to FP-BUS-IPP-01)

PRG Disposition

Approve
 Reject

Date: Approved @ PRG 11/22/2011 *[Signature]*

Recommendation:

Savings and Use Guidance (See FG-BUS-FIN-01)

Form QF-2134 Required (AFCR)?

Yes No

Budget Offset Recommendation:

C 2011-52 attached

O&M and CAPITAL

CAPITAL

Site Vice President:

[Signature]

Date: 12/13/11

VP-Nuclear Projects:

Sr. Director, Projects, Policy and Nuclear Services

Date: 12/14/11 *[Signature]*

NUCLEAR PROJECT AUTHORIZATION (NPA)

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Site Finance Manager

Accounting Charge Number:

Site Finance Manager:

Date:

Bechtel Estimate below:

AUTHORIZED FORECAST CHANGE REQUEST FORM (AFCR)

C2011-52

Detailed Description of Change Request

The total probable cost of the Prairie Island ZE Piping Project has increased. Contributing factors include configuration conflicts and errors which resulted in over-90 Construction Change Notices and the additional cost of the transition of the project to Bechtel.

Capital O&M

Contract/PO/Req # multiple
 Vendor Name: multiple
 Budget Year: 2011

- Reason(s) for Change:**
- Real Savings per FG-BUS-FIN-01
 - Increased Cost due to Scope Change
 - Emergent Work - Regulatory
 - Increased Cost due to Schedule Change
 - Emergency Work - Non-Regulatory
 - Increased Cost due to Reforecast
 - Capital Contingency Request
 - Other (Explain)

- Decreased Cost due to Scope Change
- Decreased Cost due to Schedule Change
- Decreased Cost due to Reforecast

Existing Base Line Item or Project Forecast (put "none" in the description if there is no existing budget or forecast)

Bus Unit	BU Description	Object	Descr. (include project # if it exists)	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
257430	Projects		ZE Piping System Project (previous NPA Authorization)													\$2,342,907

Use (Emergent Request or Increased Cost Forecast)

Bus Unit	BU Description	Object	Descr. (include project # if it exists)	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
257430	Projects		ZE Piping System Project													\$301,000

Savings (Identify in the Description whether the request is from: Real Savings, Capital Contingency, Offsets, or Decreased Costs)

Bus Unit	BU Description	Object	Descr. (include project # if it exists)	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
257430	Projects		NPPA 805 Fire Model Project													\$301,000

Difference Between Use and Savings

Prepared by:

KARL D. CONLEY

Line Budget Manager or Project Manager or Designee

Reviewed by:

MARK E. AELTAGE

Site Finance Manager

Reviewed by:

DEBBIE WARNER [FOR PETE AMANS]

Manager of Projects (for Capital Projects only)

Approved by:

ANDY CRIPSEN

Vice President of Projects for Capital Projects only (not required for Real Savings)

Approved by:

MARK SUTTMER

Site Vice President or PRG Chairperson (not required for Real Savings)

Authorized by:

DENNIS H. KOEHL

Vice President and Chief Nuclear Office (not required for Real Savings)

Return completed form to Manager - Nuclear Operations Reporting; copy to Site Finance Manager and Site PRG Administrator.

Signature: [Signature] Date: 05DEC2011
 Signature: [Signature] Date: 12/6/11
 Signature: [Signature] Date: 12/11/11
 Signature: [Signature] Date: 12/14/11
 Signature: [Signature] Date: 12/14/11
 Signature: [Signature] Date: 12/14/11

ACTUAL PROPERTY TAX RATES FOR PAY 2010

RATIO OF TAX TO TAXABLE INVESTMENT

MINNESOTA			
BY GEN PLT	COUNTY/CITY		RATE
(based on Real Estate)			
Black Dog	Dakota/Burnsville	E	1.088
Blue Lake	Scott/Shakopee	E	1.114
Granite City	Benton/St Cloud	E	1.441
High Bridge	Ramsey/St Paul	E	1.245
Inver Hills	Dakota/Inv Gr Hghts	E	1.043
King	Wash/Oak Pk Hghts	E	0.972
Maplewood Prop	Ramsey/Maplewood	G	1.615
Minnesota Val	Chippewa/Granite Falls	E	1.512
Monticello	Wright/Monticello	E	1.094
Prairie Island	Goodhue/Red Wing	E	1.150
Riverside	Hennepin/Mpls	E	1.248
Sherco	Sherburne/Becker	E	0.963
Sibley Propane	Dakota/Mendota Hghts	G	1.362
Wescott Prop	Dakota/Inv Gr Hghts	G	1.544
West Faribault	Rice/Warsaw Twp	E	0.814
Wilmarth	Blue Earth/Mankato	E	1.128
Minnesota	Electric		1.214
Minnesota	Gas		2.089

MINNESOTA			
COUNTIES	ELEC RATE	GAS RATE	TOT RATE
(based on Personal Property)			
Anoka	1.442	1.347	1.422
Becker	0.971	0.000	0.971
Beltrami	1.224	0.000	1.224
Benton	1.507	1.718	1.579
Blue Earth	1.264	2.784	1.268
Brown	1.102	0.000	1.102
Carver	1.381	1.594	1.387
Cass	0.000	0.996	0.996
Chippewa	1.417	0.000	1.417
Chisago	1.448	1.554	1.485
Clay	1.334	1.018	1.111
Crow Wing	0.000	1.062	1.062
Dakota	1.358	1.474	1.388
Dodge	1.385	0.000	1.385
Douglas	1.250	0.000	1.250
Faribault	1.152	0.000	1.152
Freeborn	1.415	0.000	1.415
Goodhue	1.379	1.586	1.417
Hennepin	1.434	1.543	1.434
Houston	1.505	0.000	1.505
Isanti	0.728	0.000	0.728

MINNESOTA	ELEC RATE	GAS RATE	TOT RATE
Isanti	0.000	1.293	1.293
Itasca	1.093	0.000	1.093
Jackson	1.099	0.000	1.099
Kandiyohi	1.338	1.439	1.367
Koochiching	1.103	0.000	1.103
Lac Qui Parle	0.856	0.000	0.856
Lake/Woods	1.573	0.000	1.573
Le Sueur	1.075	1.067	1.073
Lincoln	1.124	0.000	1.124
Lyon	1.391	0.000	1.391
McLeod	1.417	0.895	1.414
Martin	0.890	0.000	0.890
Meeker	1.450	1.383	1.436
Morrison	1.284	1.183	1.184
Mower	1.153	0.000	1.153
Murray	1.227	0.000	1.227
Nicollet	1.276	0.000	1.276
Nobles	1.133	0.000	1.133
Norman	0.892	0.000	0.892
Olmsted	1.453	0.000	1.453
Pine	1.098	0.000	1.098
Pipestone	1.318	0.000	1.318
Polk	1.085	1.085	1.085
Pope	1.277	0.000	1.277
Ramsey	1.507	1.507	1.507
Redwood	1.479	0.000	1.479
Renville	1.272	0.000	1.272
Rice	1.273	1.353	1.239
Rock	0.906	0.000	0.906
Roseau	1.559	0.000	1.559
Scott	1.203	1.682	1.328
Sherburne	1.623	1.013	1.332
Sibley	1.506	0.970	1.476
St Louis	1.251	0.000	1.251
Stearns	1.375	1.375	1.375
Steele	1.348	0.000	1.348
Todd	1.255	0.000	1.255
Wabasha	1.362	1.362	1.362
Waseca	1.225	0.000	1.225
Washington	1.355	1.355	1.355
Watsonwan	1.207	0.000	1.207
Wilkin	1.048	0.000	1.048
Winona	1.305	1.305	1.305
Wright	1.323	1.457	1.334
Yellow Med	1.350	0.000	1.350
Minn State	1.377	1.411	1.384

NO DAK COUNTIES	ELEC RATE	GAS RATE	TOT RATE
Barnes-SP	0.000	0.744	0.744
Cass-SP	1.103	1.099	1.101
Cass-RE	1.567	0.000	1.567
Grand Forks-S	1.184	1.147	1.172
McHenry-SP	0.682	0.000	0.682
Pembina-SP	0.840	0.000	0.840
Pierce-SP	1.276	0.000	1.276
Richland-SP	1.261	0.000	1.261
Rolette-SP	1.592	0.000	1.592
Traill-SP	1.087	0.000	1.087
Ward-SP	0.931	0.000	0.931
No Dak-RE	1.567	0.000	1.567
No Dak-SP	1.110	1.114	1.111

SO DAK COUNTIES	ELEC RATE	GAS RATE	TOT RATE
Brookings SP	0.789	0.000	0.789
Davison-SP	0.000	0.000	0.000
Hanson-SP	1.010	0.000	1.010
Hutchinson-SP	0.919	0.000	0.919
Lake-SP	0.901	0.000	0.901
Lincoln-SP	0.879	0.000	0.879
McCook-SP	0.951	0.000	0.951
Miner-SP	0.986	0.000	0.986
Minnehaha-SP	0.784	0.000	0.784
Minnehaha-RE	1.518	0.000	1.518
Moody-SP	0.814	0.000	0.814
Sanborn-SP	0.835	0.000	0.835
Turner-SP	1.201	0.000	1.201
So Dak-RE	1.518	0.000	1.518
So Dak-SP	0.800	0.000	0.800

SP = State Property
RE = Real Estate

Personal Property includes transmission lines and distribution system. When estimating taxes in North and South Dakota, use the State Property for the appropriate county. THESE RATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

Property Tax Assumption
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Docket No.: EL12-046

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Requestor: South Dakota Public
Utilities Commission

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Date Received: August 16, 2012

Question:

Please refer to “SDPUC-2-004-Att C.xls” provided by the Company in response to DR 2-4 (b).

- a. DR 2-4 (b) requested the following, “Please provide revised PF19 work papers to reflect actual costs incurred.” The Company provided SDPUC-2-4-Att C.xls which contained actual costs through June 2012, and projected costs for the remainder of 2012. As originally requested, please provide revised PF19 work papers to reflect actual costs incurred, removing all projected expenditures.
- b. On a going forward basis, if additional costs are incurred related to this project, please resubmit PF19 work papers to reflect the most recent actual costs.

Response:

- a) Please see Attachment A for the updated PF19 work papers that reflect actual costs incurred through June 2012. As requested by South Dakota Commission Staff, all projected expenditures have been excluded. Exclusion of the projected expenditures could result in an understatement of the total revenue requirements associated with this project in the test year.
- b) The Company will monitor the activity for this project and recommend we update again after the August month end financial close in order to minimize multiple version of the work papers.

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Rate Analysis

	Total Company	SD Jurisdiction
Plant Investment	789	38
Depreciation Reserve	(247)	(12)
CWIP	-	-
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	1,284	62
	(248)	(12)
Average Rate Base	(248)	(12)
Tax Prefereced Items:		
Tax Depreciation & Removal Expense	6,432	311
Avoided Tax Interest	412	20
Debt Return	(7)	(0)
Equity Return	(12)	(1)
Current Income Tax Requirement	(1,870)	(90)
Book Depreciation	19	1
Annual Deferred Tax	2,541	123
ITC Flow Thru	-	-
AFUDC Expenditure	-	-
Property Taxes	-	-
Total Revenue Requirements	671	33

Last Authorized			
Capital Structure	Rate	Ratio	Weighted Cost
Long Term Debt	6.1300%	46.9600%	2.8800%
Short Term Debt	0.0000%	0.0000%	0.0000%
Preferred Stock	0.0000%	0.0000%	0.0000%
Common Equity	9.2500%	53.0400%	4.9100%
Required Rate of Return			7.7900%
Tax Rate (SD)	35.0000%		

Ave RB * Weighted Cost of St & LT Debt
Ave RB * Weighted Cost of Equity
(Eq Ret+Bk Depr+Def Tx+ITC-Tax Depr-ADUDC+Avoid Tax)* T/(1-T)

Dt Ret+Eq Ret+Cur Tax+Bk Depr+Def Tax+ITC+ADUDC+Prop Tax

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2011 Test-Year Actual
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Property Tax Rate 0.0000%
Demand Prod SD Jur % 5.7712%
Demand MN Co % 83.8019%
South Dakota Post I/A 4.8364%

CWIP (Not Allowed in SD)

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY
Production	-	-	-	-	-	-
COSS Adj (000's)	-	-	-	-	-	-

Plant

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY
Production	788,676.00	788,676.00	660,925.47	660,925.47	38,143.33	38,143.33
COSS Adj (000's)	789	789	661	661	38	38

Reserve

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY
Production	(246,818.00)	(246,818.00)	(206,838.17)	(206,838.17)	(11,937.04)	(11,937.04)
COSS Adj (000's)	(247)	(247)	(207)	(207)	(12)	(12)

Accumulated Deferred

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY
Production	1,284,459.00	1,284,459.00	1,076,401.05	1,076,401.05	62,121.26	62,121.26
COSS Adj (000's)	1,284	1,284	1,076	1,076	62	62

Book Depreciation

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual		Annual		Annual	
Production	19,057.22		15,970.31		921.68	
COSS Adj (000's)	-	19	-	16	-	1

Annual Deferred

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual		Annual		Annual	
Production	2,541,478.65		2,129,807.40		122,915.44	
COSS Adj (000's)	-	2,541	-	2,130	-	123

Tax Depreciation

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual		Annual		Annual	
Production	6,432,147.27		5,390,261.62		311,082.78	
COSS Adj (000's)	-	6,432	-	5,390	-	311

AFUDC (Not allowed in SD)

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual		Annual		Annual	
Production	-		-		-	
COSS Adj (000's)	-	-	-	-	-	-

Avoided Tax

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual		Annual		Annual	
Production	412,256.95		345,479.16		19,938.29	
COSS Adj (000's)	-	412	-	345	-	20

Property Tax

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual		Annual		Annual	
Production	-		-		-	
COSS Adj (000's)	-	-	-	-	-	-

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<u>Rate Analysis</u>	<u>Total Company</u>	<u>SD Jurisdiction</u>
Plant Investment	11,007	532
Depreciation Reserve	343	17
CWIP	-	-
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	2,684	130
	<u>7,980</u>	<u>385</u>
Average Rate Base	7,980	385
Tax Prefereced Items:		
Tax Depreciation & Removal Expense	430	21
Avoided Tax Interest	-	-
Debt Return	230	11
Equity Return	392	19
Current Income Tax Requirement	241	12
Book Depreciation	492	24
Annual Deferred Tax	(6)	-
ITC Flow Thru	-	-
AFUDC Expenditure	-	-
Property Taxes	127	6
Total Revenue Requirements	1,476	72

Last Authorized			
<u>Capital Structure</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Ratio</u>	<u>Weighted Cost</u>
Long Term Debt	6.1300%	46.9600%	2.8800%
Short Term Debt	0.0000%	0.0000%	0.0000%
Preferred Stock	0.0000%	0.0000%	0.0000%
Common Equity	9.2500%	53.0400%	4.9100%
Required Rate of Return			7.7900%
Tax Rate (SD)	35.0000%		

Ave RB * Weighted Cost of St & LT Debt
Ave RB * Weighted Cost of Equity
(Eq Ret+Bk Depre+Def Tx+ITC-Tax Depre-ADUDC+Avoid Tax)* T/(1-T)

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(000's)

<u>Rate Analysis</u>	<u>Total Company</u>	<u>SD Jurisdiction</u>
Plant Investment	10,218	494
Depreciation Reserve	590	29
CWIP	-	-
Accumulated Deferred Taxes	1,399	68
	<u>8,229</u>	<u>397</u>
Average Rate Base	8,229	397
Tax Prefereced Items:		
Tax Depreciation & Removal Expense	(6,002)	(290)
Avoided Tax Interest	(412)	(20)
Debt Return	237	11
Equity Return	404	19
Current Income Tax Requirement	2,110	102
Book Depreciation	473	23
Annual Deferred Tax	(2,548)	(123)
ITC Flow Thru	-	-
AFUDC Expenditure	-	-
Property Taxes	127	6
Total Revenue Requirements	803	39

Last Authorized			
<u>Capital Structure</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Ratio</u>	<u>Weighted Cost</u>
Long Term Debt	6.1300%	46.9600%	2.8800%
Short Term Debt	0.0000%	0.0000%	0.0000%
Preferred Stock	0.0000%	0.0000%	0.0000%
Common Equity	9.2500%	53.0400%	4.9100%
Required Rate of Return			7.7900%
Tax Rate (SD)	35.0000%		

Ave RB * Weighted Cost of St & LT Debt
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2013 Step Adjustment
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Demand MN Co % 5.7712%
South Dakota Post I/A 83.8019%
4.8364%

CWIP (Not Allowed in SD)

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY
Production	-	-	-	-	-	-
COSS Adj (000's)	-	-	-	-	-	-

Plant

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY
Production	10,218,178.00	10,218,178.00	8,563,027.31	8,563,027.31	494,189.43	494,189.43
COSS Adj (000's)	10,218	10,218	8,563	8,563	494	494

Reserve

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY
Production	590,298.00	590,298.00	494,680.94	494,680.94	28,549.03	28,549.03
COSS Adj (000's)	590	590	495	495	29	29

Accumulated Deferred

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY
Production	1,399,211.00	1,399,211.00	1,172,565.40	1,172,565.40	67,671.09	67,671.09
COSS Adj (000's)	1,399	1,399	1,173	1,173	68	68

Book Depreciation

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual
Production	-	473,106.45	-	396,472.19	-	22,881.20
COSS Adj (000's)	-	473	-	396	-	23

Annual Deferred

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual
Production	-	(2,547,925.35)	-	(2,135,209.85)	-	(123,227.23)
COSS Adj (000's)	-	(2,548)	-	(2,135)	-	(123)

Tax Depreciation

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual
Production	-	(6,002,005.92)	-	(5,029,795.00)	-	(290,279.53)
COSS Adj (000's)	-	(6,002)	-	(5,030)	-	(290)

AFUDC

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual
Production	-	-	-	-	-	-
COSS Adj (000's)	-	-	-	-	-	-

Avoided Tax

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual
Production	-	(412,256.95)	-	(345,479.16)	-	(19,938.29)
COSS Adj (000's)	-	(412)	-	(345)	-	(20)

Property Tax

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual	Annual
Production	-	126,578.82	-	106,075.46	-	6,121.83
COSS Adj (000's)	-	127	-	106	-	6

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CWIP (Not Allowed in SD)

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY
Production	-	-	-	-	-	-
COSS Adj (000's)	-	-	-	-	-	-

Plant

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY
Production	11,006,854.00	11,006,854.00	9,223,952.78	9,223,952.78	532,332.76	532,332.76
COSS Adj (000's)	11,007	11,007	9,224	9,224	532	532

Reserve

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY
Production	343,480.00	343,480.00	287,842.77	287,842.77	16,611.98	16,611.98
COSS Adj (000's)	343	343	288	288	17	17

Accumulated Deferred

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY	BOY	EOY
Production	2,683,670.00	2,683,670.00	2,248,966.45	2,248,966.45	129,792.35	129,792.35
COSS Adj (000's)	2,684	2,684	2,249	2,249	130	130

Book Depreciation

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual		Annual		Annual	
Production	492,163.67		412,442.50		23,802.88	
COSS Adj (000's)	-	492	-	412	-	24

Annual Deferred

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual		Annual		Annual	
Production	(6,446.70)		(5,402.46)		(311.79)	
COSS Adj (000's)	-	(6)	-	(5)	-	-

Tax Depreciation

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual		Annual		Annual	
Production	430,141.34		360,466.62		20,803.25	
COSS Adj (000's)	-	430	-	360	-	21

AFUDC (Not allowed in SD)

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual		Annual		Annual	
Production	-		-		-	
COSS Adj (000's)	-	-	-	-	-	-

Avoided Tax

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual		Annual		Annual	
Production	-		-		-	
COSS Adj (000's)	-	-	-	-	-	-

Property Tax

	Total Company		Total Company after IA		SD Jurisdiction	
	Annual		Annual		Annual	
Production	126,578.82		106,075.46		6,121.83	
COSS Adj (000's)	-	127	-	106	-	6

