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**To:** PUC <[PUCPF@state.sd.us](mailto:PUCPF@state.sd.us)>  
**Subject:** Re: [EXT] Do NOT support EL25-028

Hello,

I am Colby Trooien and my wife and I live within two miles of the proposed power plant and I do not want this project to go forward. Likewise with everyone else, we will not tolerate the industrialization of our area. Please fight for us to keep our freedoms and place of life.

Please don't allow anyone to pave our prairie.

Thank you.

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