

# Center to Grand Forks Project



## ► CGF Project Weekly Status Report

Case No. PU-09-670

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Week 2 (5/7/12 to 5/12/12)

Extraordinary Events

Safety: None

Environmental: None

Damage: None

Threatened or endangered Species: None

Cultural or Historical: None

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Minnkota Power 345 kV transmission line - Center to  
Grand Forks, week ending 5-15-2012

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## Safety

Safety briefs for foundation work were held with Tri-State Drilling field crews. Observations have been performed by construction management team to verify safety and job briefs are being performed.

No injuries or other safety issues occurred or were identified over the past week.

## Environmental

Environmentally sensitive areas (ESA), as defined from route and corridor environmental surveys, were marked from Structure 855 to 982.

No new environmental issues were identified over the past week.

## Work Progress

ROW marking is complete for Foster & Griggs Co. ROW marking near fence gate locations completed through eastern terminus.

Fence gate installation is complete eastward all the way to the eastern terminus at Prairie Substation.

Tree clearing started just east of Foster/Griggs Co. line and has progressed to east side of Sheyenne River.

Material delivery continues with deliveries of structures to the DI-Foster laydown yard. Twenty three (23) loads worth of material was delivered over the past week.

## Work Planned for Next Week

ROW marking for gate installation to western terminus at Center Substation.

ESA marking to Steel/Nelson Co. line.

Structure staking of structure 850 – 985.

Fence gate installation to McLean/Burleigh Co. line.

Tree Clearing to Nelson/Grand Forks Co. line.

Start of foundation excavation & installation work at Structure 935 off of ND-1 near Binford.

## Extraordinary Events

None to-date.