

Center to Grand Forks Project



▶ CGF Project Weekly Status Report

Case No. PU-09-670

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Week 7

Extraordinary Events

Safety: 1 Minor Injury

Environmental: None.

Damage: None

Threatened or endangered Species: None

Cultural or Historical: None

Attachments: Three

Griggs County Building and CU Permits
Logan Center Township CUP
Wells County CUP

Construction Summary To-Date:

Foundations Installed = 30

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Safety

One OSHA Recordable injury occurred over the past week.

A GSI technician who struck his own hand with a hammer while preparing to perform concrete testing during a foundation pour at Structure 873. GSI technician requested to be transported to medical facility in Cooperstown, where x-rays showed no fractures and only bruising. Employee returned to work the next day. Injury investigation was completed and proper tool usage was reviewed with employee.

Environmental

Several reviews were performed on recently installed erosion controls near foundation locations and site access points. Environmental Inspector and Construction Manager both held on-site briefings/training in several areas to ensure proper installation, correct minor deficiencies, and ensure proper application of erosion controls per project specifications.

Work Progress

Survey crews have complete ESA marking to structure 1250 in Grand Forks Co.

Structure staking was completed for structures 790 – 817, working west.

Tree clearing has progressed to Structure 1234.

Material delivery continues with deliveries of structures to the DI-Foster laydown yard. Twenty two (22) loads worth of material was delivered to DI

and five (5) loads to E3-Sheyenne yard over the past week.

Foundation installation has completed 873, 874, 876, 877, 885, 898, 901 and 902 over the past week.

EI-Griggs laydown area civil work was completed. Crews mobilized to FI-Northwood laydown yard and will be developing that area, which will complete July 6th.

Work Planned for Next Week

ROW marking to 1253, then to 788 westward.

ESA marking to Structure 1253, then to 788 westward.

Structure staking of structures on hold until construction work catches up.

Tree Clearing to Structure 1334/Prairie Substation.

Foundation installation of Structures 792 – 795, 821 – 827, 866 – 868, 872 – 875, and 879 (3 drill rigs).

Land Owner/Public Issues

No new land owner issues occurred during the past week.

Meetings with Eddy and Foster Co. to discuss man-camp for Michels crews and road maintenance has been scheduled for Tuesday June 19th at 10:00 and 11:30 AM respectfully.

Met with Griggs Co. road personnel to review several of the roads that have been used for construction work to review the maintenance and work being done to keep road conditions up, and received some positive feedback on the work being performed.

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One minor injury requiring medical attention.

Additional Filing Documents

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