

# Center to Grand Forks Project



## ▶ CGF Project Weekly Status Report

Case No. PU-09-670

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Week 39

Extraordinary Events

Safety: One

Minor foot injury

Environmental: Two

Minor hydraulic fluid spill and a diesel fuel spill on the ROW

Damage: None

Threatened or endangered Species: None

Cultural or Historical: None

Attachments: None

Construction Summary To-Date:

Foundations Installed =545

Structures Set = 273

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## Safety/Damages

A worker on a setting crew in Steele County was prepping a structure for lifting when a section shifted on the dunnage and injured the side of his foot. Worker was taken to Cooperstown medical facility for x-rays; there were no broken bones and only bruising to side of foot. Worker returned to work the next day.

## Environmental

The Project EI discovered a diesel fuel spill near structure 729 on the ROW, the cause is being investigated and clean-up will be monitored.

With extreme cold weather impacting construction operations, the Project had a frozen/brittle hydraulic hose rupture during operations within the ROW. Approximately 1.5 gallons of hydraulic fluid was spilled before the leak was isolated. Hydraulic fluid was cleaned up from the ROW promptly and post-leak inspection by EI and CM were satisfactory. This being the 2<sup>nd</sup> week in a row that the same piece of equipment sprung a hydraulic leak; the equipment was removed from service until such time as a full overhaul of hoses can be made.

## Work Progress

Structure staking has been completed for structures 736-740, 744-748.

Material delivery continues with deliveries of structures and materials to the CI-Mercer, FI-Northwood, GI-Grand Forks yards. One (1) load to CI – Mercer, Four (4) loads to FI – Northwood, One (1) load GI – Grand Forks.

Foundation installation has completed 241, 721, 728-732, 1315 L & R and 1314 L over the past week for a total of 8 complete foundations, with 545 completed in total.

Line construction crews performed structure setting at 993-994, 1008, 1021-1036, 1216-1218, 1220-1230, 1233, 1234 and 1236 over the past week for a total of 34 structures, with 273 completed in total.

## Work Planned for Next Week

Structure staking at 70, 736-748, 757-764

Foundation installation of structures: 207, 241, 721-724, 728-735, 1219, 1222, 1267, 1302 L, 1313 L & R, 1314 L & R, 1315 L & R

Structure setting: 997-1034, 1216-1228

Wire Stringing: 788-816.

## Land Owner/Public Issues

Meetings with land owners at the Missouri River crossing locations have been scheduled for the upcoming week to discuss work practices, access, and set-up of equipment. Crews to perform that work are mobilizing next week.

## Cultural or Historical Events

None

## Extraordinary Events

See Safety and Environmental sections for details of three out of the ordinary events for this week.

## Structure Move Requests

None