

Center to Grand Forks Project



▶ CGF Project Weekly Status Report

Case No. PU-09-670

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Week 112

Extraordinary Events

Safety: One Accident resulting in Serious Injury

Environmental: None

Damage: None

Threatened or endangered Species: None

Cultural or Historical: None

Attachments: None

Construction Summary To-Date:

Foundations Installed = Completed

Structures Set = Completed

Spans of Conductor Pulled = 1234 of 1336

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Safety/Damages

On June 23, 2014 a Minnkota employee was injured while working in the Prairie 345 kV substation associated with the Center to Grand Forks 345 kV Transmission Line Project.

The Technical Maintenance worker suffered a hand injury requiring surgery which was performed late in the evening on June 23rd . The result of the surgery was the amputation of a finger.

The accident happened in the late afternoon in Grand Forks County and was the result of climbing on a structure and the lodging of the workers wedding ring while dismounting from the structure.

Environmental

None.

Work Progress

Survey: None

No material delivery this past week.

Wire Stringing: Conductor: 157-171, 233-252
OHGW: 72-88, 127-167 OPGW: 127-146

Restoration: BI-yard, 344-342, 358-359, 395

Work Planned for Next Week

Survey: None

Wire Stringing: Conductor: 279-322; OHGW: 232-266; OPGW: 147-169, 230-250

Restoration: BI-Yard, 233-238, 210, 153-151

Land Owner/Public Issues

No new issues at this time.

Cultural or Historical Events

None.

Extraordinary Events

As reported in the Incident Report dated 6/30/2014 and repeated in this report in the Safety section.

Structure Move Requests

None.