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ENERGY DEVELOPMENT AND TRANSMISSION COMMITTEE

Thursday, September 5, 2024 Dakota Gasification Company 420 Co Road 26 Beulah, North Dakota

- 10:00 a.m. Call to order Roll call Consideration of the <u>minutes of the June 12-13, 2024, meeting</u>
- 10:05 a.m. Tour of Dakota Gasification Company and Great Plains Synfuels Plant
- 12:30 p.m. Recess
- 1:15 p.m. Presentation by Mr. Dale Johnson, Senior Vice President and Plant Manager, Dakota Gasification Company, regarding an overview of the Dakota Gasification Company and future projects
- 2:15 p.m. <u>Presentation</u> by Mr. Gavin McCollam, Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, Basin Electric Power Cooperative, regarding the Pioneer Generation Station Phase IV expansion and electricity generation in the Bakken region
- 2:45 p.m. <u>Presentation</u> by Mr. Jeremy Severson, Vice President of Transmission, Basin Electric Power Cooperative, regarding transmission expansion
- 3:15 p.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of reports from the <u>Department of</u> <u>Transportation</u> regarding the <u>deployment and administration</u> of electric vehicle charging stations, the Transmission Authority regarding the authority's <u>annual report</u> and the <u>reliability of the electrical grid</u>, and the Agriculture Commissioner regarding the <u>postproduction royalty oversight program</u>.
- 3:20 p.m. Discussion of legislator proposals regarding the committee's study of advanced nuclear energy and transmission in the state
- 3:45 p.m. Comments by interested persons
- 3:55 p.m. Committee discussion and final motions
- 4:00 p.m. Adjourn

A livestream of the meeting will be available to the public at: https://video.ndlegis.gov.

Committee Members

Senators: David Hogue (Chairman), Brad Bekkedahl, Keith Boehm, Ryan Braunberger, Dale Patten, Merrill Piepkorn

Representatives: Dick Anderson, Mike Brandenburg, Alisa Mitskog, Corey Mock, Todd Porter, Don Vigesaa

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