

BEFORE THE  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

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Joint Application of Dairyland Power Cooperative, Northern  
States Power Company-Wisconsin, and Wisconsin Public Power, Inc.,  
For Authority to Construct and Place in Service 345 kV Electric Transmission  
Lines and Electric Substation Facilities for the CapX Twin Cities-Rochester-  
LaCrosse Project, Located in Buffalo, Trempealeau, and LaCrosse  
Counties, Wisconsin

5-CE-136

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CLEAN WISCONSIN'S REQUEST TO INTERVENE OUT OF TIME

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Clean Wisconsin hereby requests leave to intervene in the above-captioned docket, pursuant to Wis. Admin. Code PSC 2.21(3).

Clean Wisconsin is a nonprofit (501c3) organization that works to protect Wisconsin's air and water and advocate for clean energy. Founded in 1970 as Wisconsin's Environmental Decade, we have 10,000 members statewide and have been a full party in many Public Service Commission of Wisconsin proceedings, including prior construction, rate, and generic dockets.

Clean Wisconsin's members have a substantial interest in, and will be affected by decisions that are made by the Commission in this docket. Wis. Admin. Code §PSC 2.21(4) allows the Commission to consider a request for intervention out of time if such intervention will not disrupt or impede the disposition of this case, or prejudice or place a burden on other parties. Clean Wisconsin requests intervention out of time because new information and issues have arisen since intervention requests were due, in which Clean Wisconsin has a significant interest.

Therefore, Clean Wisconsin requests that the Commission grant its request to intervene as a full party in the above-captioned docket in order to advocate on behalf of its members.

Dated this 26<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2011.

Respectfully submitted,

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