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### Environmental Impact Statement Need Decision

The noted responsible governmental unit has determined the following project does not require preparation of an EIS. The dates given are, respectively, the date of the determination and the date the EAW notice was published in the EQB *Monitor*.

- Minnesota Pollution Control Agency, Minnesota Municipal Power Agency - Shakopee Distributed Generation Facility, 1-22-16 (11-9-15)

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### Alternative Urban Areawide Review Draft Order/Scoping for a Large Project

Comment Deadline: March 2, 2016

## Project Title: French Lake Golf Course Industrial Project

**Project Description:** The City of Dayton has completed work on a Scoping Environmental Assessment Worksheet (Scoping EAW) that examines the development of approximately 74.4

acres of land in the City of Dayton, MN. The land in question is generally situated between 113th Avenue North and 117th Avenue North in Southwest Dayton. The site currently holds an active golf course and a private rural home site. Complete development of the site would result in construction of up to 1.24M square feet of industrial warehousing and distribution space. By State Statute, this level of development requires a mandatory environmental review, so an Alternative Urban Areawide Review (AUAR) will be prepared based upon the findings resulting from this Scoping EAW. The public is asked to provide feedback on environmental issues of concern for this site and alternatives that could be considered by the RGU for additional study.

Copies of the Scoping EAW have been distributed to agencies listed on the most current Minnesota Environmental Quality Board distribution list. The Scoping EAW may be accessed by anyone electronically on the City of Dayton's website; and copies are available for review at City Hall and the Minneapolis Central Branch of the Hennepin County Public Library (300 Nicollet Mall, Minneapolis). All comments and questions can be directed to the City's Planning and Economic Development Director, Tina Goodroad. Tina may be reached by calling 763-421-3487, or by sending an email to: [tgoodroad@cityofdaytonmn.com](mailto:tgoodroad@cityofdaytonmn.com).

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**Notice**

## **Good Cause Exempt Rulemaking Relating to Recreational Trails**

The EQB will be engaged in "good cause" rulemaking to make its rules consistent with changes directed through statute adopted in the 2015 legislative session. Good cause rulemaking is a streamlined process that is limited to only rule amendments that do not require any interpretation of law. This means that the public will be invited to comment only on whether the EQB's proposed rule amendments accurately incorporate the legislative directives. Interested parties who wish to be notified of their opportunity to comment and the final adoption of these amendments are encouraged to register for GovDelivery at <https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/MNEQB/subscriber/new>

For additional information about this rulemaking, contact Erik Cedarleaf Dahl at [erik.dahl@state.mn.us](mailto:erik.dahl@state.mn.us) or 651-757-2364.