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## Environmental Assessment Worksheets

*Comment Deadline: February 4, 2015*

### Project Title: Koch Pipeline Company, Clearbrook Tanks Project

**Project Description:** The Minnesota Pipe Line Company, LLC (MPL) is the owner of the Clearbrook Terminal (or Terminal) located south of County Road 74 in Clearwater County, Minnesota. It is an existing above-ground storage tank terminal that is currently comprised of eleven (11) crude oil tanks and support equipment. The Clearbrook Terminal is operated by Koch Pipeline Company, L.P (KPL) (the Proposer). KPL, as operator of the MPL Clearbrook Terminal, proposes to expand the existing Terminal by constructing four (4) field-erected 300,000 barrel (50,400,000 gallons total) external floating roof crude oil tanks (the Project). The existing tanks and proposed new tanks at the Terminal are used for temporary storage, segregation, and blending of crude oil delivered through existing pipelines. In addition to the tanks and their associated containment areas, the Project will require new infrastructure that will include a new 1,500 foot access road, two small buildings to house power zone centers as well as necessary pumps and piping. Pipelines from North Dakota and Canadian oil fields supply the Terminal, and the oil stored in the tanks is then transported from the Terminal via existing pipelines (including MPL Line 4) to the Twin Cities' refineries. MPL is planning to increase the capacity of Line 4 in a separate project.

A copy of the Environmental Assessment Worksheet will be posted on the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency website, at the following: <http://www.pca.state.mn.us/news/eaw/index.html>. Written comments on the EAW should be submitted to Patrice Jensen. A copy of the EAW may also be obtained by contacting Beth Tegdesch at 651-757-2100.

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## **Project Title: 125th Avenue/County State Aid Highway 14 Reconstruction Project**

**Project Description:** The 125th Avenue NE/CSAH 14 Reconstruction Project is approximately 1.5 miles long and extends from Radisson Road (CSAH 52) to just east of Harpers Street NE in the City of Blaine, Anoka County. The project proposes to reconstruct the highway as a four lane divided section with left and right turn lanes at key intersections. New traffic signals are proposed at Cloud Drive and Harpers Street and minor improvements to several local streets (near their intersection with 125th Ave. NE) are proposed. Minor improvements are included along Harpers Street between 125th Ave NE/CSAH 14 and 126th Ave NE. The improvements also include the construction of multi-use trails and sidewalks.

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### **EIS 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, Nicols Road Lift Station L-13 Improvements, 12-17-14 (10-13-14)
- Olmsted County, 55th Street Extension and Broadway Avenue North Reconstruction, 12-16-14 (10-27-14)
- Pope County, Larson Gravel Pit, 12-16-14 (11-10-14)

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### **Scoping EAW for AUAR**

*Comment Deadline: February 4, 2015*

## **Project Title: Interstate South Logistics Park**

**Project Description:** The proposed Interstate South Logistics Park project will entail the development of 175.8 acres of land in the City of Lakeville, MN. The land in question is generally bordered by County Road 70 (215th St W) to the north and County Road 9 (Dodd Blvd) to the east, and is primarily made up of open farm fields and wetlands. Complete development of the site would result in the construction of two or more buildings, depending upon the end user's needs, providing between approximately 2.2M and 3.0M square feet of

light industrial warehousing and distribution space. By State Statute, the proposed level of development requires a mandatory environmental review, so an Alternative Urban Areawide Review will be prepared based upon the findings resulting from this EAW scoping document. The public is asked to provide feedback on environmental issues of concern for this site for consideration during the study.

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| File Number | Company  | Crop    | Project            | County   |
|-------------|----------|---------|--------------------|--|
| 15-NO-001   | Monsanto | Soybean | Herbicide tolerant | Blue Earth, Brown(2), Clay(5), Cottonwood, Kandiyohi, Lac Qui Parle, Le Sueur, Mower(2), Norman, Redwood(6), Sibley, Steele(2), Waseca   |
| 15-NO-002   | Monsanto | Soybean | Herbicide tolerant | Benton, Blue Earth, Clay(3), Freeborn, Lincoln, Nobles, Polk, Redwood(3), Swift  |
| 15-NO-003   | Monsanto | Soybean | Herbicide tolerant | Brown(6), Chippewa(18), Clay(4), Cottonwood(5), Jackson(6), Kandiyohi(2), Lincoln(7), Lyon(14), Marshall(5), McLeod, Meeker(6), Norman(6), Redwood(56), Renville(46), Red Lake(2), Swift(9), Sibley, Watonwan(10), Yellow Medicine(14) |
| 15-NO-004   | Monsanto | Soybean | Herbicide tolerant | Blue Earth, Clay, Grant, Kandiyohi, Lac Qui Parle(2), McLeod, Norman(4), Polk, Renville, Rice, Traverse(2), Wilkin, Yellow Medicine  |

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