



August 1, 2023

Mr. Jim Macy, Director
Nebraska Department of Environment and Energy
P.O. Box 98922
Lincoln, Nebraska 68509-8922

RE: CCR Rule Notification – Notification of Intent to Retrofit CCR Unit
Whelan Energy Center Fossil Fuel Combustion Ash Disposal Area
NDEE Facility ID No. 58048, NDEE Permit No. NE0204129

Dear Mr. Macy:

The Public Power Generation Agency (PPGA) and City of Hastings/Hastings Utilities (City), in response to the Federal Coal Combustion Residuals (CCR) Rule, 40 CFR Part 257 Subpart D, is notifying you of the availability of the Notification of Intent to Retrofit a CCR unit known as the WEC Temporary Ash Disposal Area, an existing CCR surface impoundment at the Whelan Energy Center (WEC), 4520 East South Street, Hastings, NE 68901. This notification was completed in accordance with 40 CFR §257.102(k)(5) of the federal CCR Rule. The notification was placed in the facility's operating record on July 31, 2023 and has been placed on the City's CCR Rule Compliance Data and Information internet site (CCR website).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Marty Stange". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Marty Stange,
Environmental Director

Cc: Daniel LeMaistre, NDEE
Michael Behrens, NDEE
Keith Leonhardt, PPGA Operating Agent