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June 7, 2011

Dennis Hinnah
Deputy Director, Western Region
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration
188 W. Northern Lights Blvd. Suite 520
Anchorage, Alaska 99503

Re: Notice of Amendment CPF 5-2011-6006M and Warning Letter CPF 5-2011-6007W

Dear Mr. Hinnah,

Golden Valley Electric Association (GVEA) has received your Notice of Amendment and Warning Letter concerning the recent PHMSA Public Awareness Program inspection in Fairbanks. GVEA is not contesting the notices and will revise the Public Awareness Plan to address the inadequacies identified in CPF 5-2011-6006M and CPF 5-2011-6007W.

GVEA requests 180 days to submit the amended PAP to your office. The additional time will allow a thorough revision of GVEA's PAP in accordance with the API RP 1162 Second Edition December 2010 and address deficiencies identified in CPF 5-2011-6006M and CPF 5-2011-6007W.

Please direct all PHMSA correspondence to myself, Mr. Gajdos is a pipeline support contractor for GVEA.

Please contact me at (907) 451-5674 if I can be of assistance.

Sincerely,

Paul Park

Paul Park
GVEA Power Supply Engineer and Pipeline Manager