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Project Name: Fargo to St. Cloud 345 kV Transmission Project

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Impact: I would like the PUC to consider the environmentally sensitive areas near St. Wendel (areas referred to as Sheperd's lake and the north end of the St. Wendel tamarack bog)when considering the routing of the 345Kv line from Fargo to Monticello. The routing of the line through the St. Wendel bog is especially concerning when considering the unique ecosystem it represents.

Mitigation: On the route from Fargo to St. Cloud, the PUC should consider the inclusion of the Interstate 94 corridor as an alternate route, with slight detours and possible short-distance undergrounding in high population density or problematic areas.

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This information has also been entered into a centralized database for future analysis.

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