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MEMORANDUM FOR JOHN SPITALERI SHAW
ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR ENVIRONMENT, SAFETY, AND HEALTH

FROM: JOHN H. KERSTEN
MANAGER

SUBJECT: Annual National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) Planning Summary

As requested in your memorandum of December 6, 2005, attached is the 2006 Annual NEPA Planning Summary for the Golden Field Office (GO). GO currently is conducting one Environmental Assessment (EA) and no Environmental Impact Statements (EISs). GO currently is reviewing numerous FY06 financial assistance awards under NEPA; it is likely that some of these projects will require formal EAs in FY06 and/or FY07.

Please contact Steve Blazek at 303-275-4723 with any questions regarding this planning summary.

Enclosure

cc: Othalene Lawrence, Environmental Scientist
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Annual NEPA Planning Summary Status of Ongoing NEPA Compliance Activities: Environmental Assessments

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*Title, Location	Estimated Cost	Estimated Schedule (**NEPA Milestones)	Description
LACOSAN Full Circle Effluent Pipeline Project Draft Initial Study/Mitigated Negative Declaration and Environmental Assessment	$500,000	Determination Date: 12/10/2004 Transmittal to State: EA Approval: FONSI:	Lake County Sanitation District (LACOSAN) and DOE are co-lead agencies in preparation of a joint NEPA/CEQA document. Proposed project entails expansion of an existing wastewater reuse system.
Environmental Assessment of a Biomass Combined Heat and Power Plant, Minneapolis, MN DOE/EA 1507	$80,000	Determination Date: 7/7/2004 Transmittal to State: EA Approval: FONSI:	Project is being re-evaluated by proponent; on hold.
	Total Estimated Cost $580,000.00		

*Please include projected NEPA milestones, if planned