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Comment Period Closes Wednesday, September 15, 2021, at 4:30 p.m.

Comments must be post-marked or received electronically by the comment deadline.

How to comment:

- Submit this form to the Environmental Review Manager at the public meeting
- Mail this form remembering to affix appropriate postage
- Mail comments in a separate envelope to the address on this form
- Fax comments to the Environmental Review Manager: 651-539-0109
- Email comments to the Environmental Review Manager: bill.storm@state.mn.us
- Use the online comment form: <https://mn.gov/commerce/energyfacilities/#comment>

Comments do not need to be on this form to be accepted. We encourage you to provide comments in whatever way is most convenient for you. If commenting by email or fax use "Public Comment: Sherco Solar Project" in the subject line.

THANK YOU for participating in the permitting process! By commenting you are helping inform the Public Utilities Commission's decision regarding this project.

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Environmental Assessment Scoping Comment Period

Sherco Solar Project

*Docket Nos. E-002/GS-21-191 (Site Permit), E-002/TL-21-190
(Route Permit for East 345 kV Transmission Line), E-002/TL-21-
189 (Route Permit for West 345 kV Transmission Line)*

Sherco Solar, LLC, proposes to construct a 460-megawatt photovoltaic solar energy generating system and two associated transmission lines Sherburne County.

Comments will be used to focus the environmental assessment on potential human or environmental impacts and other issues important to making an informed permit decision. Please be as detailed as possible. Use additional pages as needed. Contact the Environmental Review Manager, William Cole Storm, with any questions about commenting or submitting your comments. For help suggesting alternative sites refer to: *How to Suggest Alternative Power Plant Sites or Transmission Line Routes* available at: <https://mn.gov/commerce/energyfacilities/>.

For additional project information visit: <https://mn.gov/eera/web/project/14335/> or contact the Environmental Review Manager at: bill.storm@state.mn.us; 651-539-1844; or toll free 1-800-657-3794.

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- What potential human and environmental impacts of the proposed project should be considered?
- Are there any methods to minimize, mitigate, or avoid potential impacts of the proposed project?
- Are there any unique characteristics of the proposed site or project that should be considered?
- Are there any items missing or mischaracterized in the certificate of need or site permit applications?