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MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

In the Matter of the Application of Enbridge Energy,
Limited Partnership for a Certificate of Need for the
Line 3 Pipeline Replacement Project in Minnesota from the
North Dakota Border to the Wisconsin Border.

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In the Matter of the Application of Enbridge Energy,
Limited Partnership for a Route Permit for the Line 3
Pipeline Replacement Project in Minnesota from the North
Dakota Border to the Wisconsin Border

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1 MR. JOHN TURONIE: John. Last name is
2 T-U-R-O-N-I-E. And I live in McGregor.

3 So my comment would be approximately a
4 year ago we went to a similar discussion concerning
5 the Sandpiper line. And after both sides presented
6 their testimony, at least initially Governor Dayton
7 sided with building the Sandpiper line, saying it
8 was a safer way to transport oil versus truck or
9 rail. And I would say that we should look to that
10 as a precedent going forward.

11 So I wholeheartedly support Line 3 as
12 it shows on the map.

13 And I guess that's all.

14 (Comments concluded.)
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