

WORK REPORT – MISSOURI – AUGUST 2010

By: Joe Lewandowski

ASSOCIATED ELECTRIC

Thomas Hill, MO – Unit 3 outage scheduled for September 18 for 6 weeks. Units 1 and 2 will each have a week-long outage after Unit 3 is completed. This job will take 100 Boilermakers on days and 60 on nights.

K.C.P. & L.

Iatan, MO – AComPower has 20 Boilermakers left on days at Unit 2. They will have a 10-day outage around the end of August, working 2 shifts of 12 hours repairing factory welds.

There are no outages scheduled for the rest of the K.C.P. & L. system at this time due to the large up-coming outage at LaCygne. There may be some small inspections at Sibley and Lake Road in St. Joseph.

CITY UTILITY

Springfield, MO – The Boldt Company still has 40 Boilermakers on Southwest Unit 2 and they are finishing up quickly.

James River will have outages this fall, but they are still unsure if they will bring in outside contractors or use plant hands.

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Columbia, MO – M.C.I. out of St. Louis is the Project Manager for this job. The existing boiler demolition is set to begin in late 2010 or early 2011 with new parts to be on site by April 2011.

WORK REPORT – KANSAS – AUGUST 2010

By: Larry Horseman

WESTAR

Lawrence, KS – Day & Zimmermann NPS has a small outage scheduled to begin September 18. Sterling Boiler has 15 Boilermakers on site on the baghouse project.

St. Mary's, KS – A small outage scheduled to begin around October 15.

BOARD OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

Kansas City, KS – There will be short outages at Quindaro – Q1 10/16/10, Q2 10/31/10, and Nearman 11/14/10.

K.C.P. & L.

LaCygne, KS – Enerfab will have a cyclone replacement job (105 days) and outage starting in November. Manpower will peak at 350 – 400 Boilermakers. Pre-outage work started on August 2 with a small crew unloading trucks.

NCRA REFINERY

McPherson, KS – Piping & Equipment has 6 Boilermakers working 5-10's on vessels. Construction & Turnaround Services will have an outage this fall with pre-outage starting in September. There is a pre-job conference scheduled for August 25; more details will be known after this meeting.

COFFEYVILLE RESOURCES

Coffeyville, KS – AMI has a small crew working on an auxiliary boiler.

SUNFLOWER ELECTRIC

Great Bend, KS – Piping & Equipment will have a small outage

WORK REPORT - EASTERN IOWA – AUGUST 2010

By: Tom Dye

Lansing, IA – Jamar has 5 Boilermakers on site tearing out duct work and fans.

Ames, IA – Azco will be replacing the bottom half of the boiler water walls starting in September – THIS JOB HAS BEEN PUSHED BACK – STARTING DATE UNKNOWN AT THIS TIME.

They are looking to do a super heater replacement in the Spring of 2011.

Palo, IA – Day & Zimmermann NPS will be on site Monday, June 14. They are looking at an October 1 start date for the outage. I will know more in the next few weeks.

Ottmwa, IA – There will be an outage this fall, then a larger outage in the spring.

Alliant is looking at doing a few weeks at each of their plants as usual; no large projects for fall as of now.

WORK REPORT - NEBRASKA & WESTERN IOWA – AUGUST 2010

By: Scot Albertson

MID-AMERICAN ENERGY

Council Bluffs, IA – Hayes Mechanical has 9 Boilermakers on site.

Sioux City, IA – Hayes Mechanical currently have 3 Boilermakers on site performing on-going maintenance work. Unit 1 tentatively scheduled for October 15 – 4 weeks for 30 Boilermakers.

Plans are going forward to do the HQCS work on Units 3 and 4 at Sioux City nothing will happen in 2010.

Mid-American Energy is moving forward with plans to build a nuclear plant in Iowa within the next 2 years.

N.P.P.D.

Hallam, NE — A new 250 megawatt Coal Fired Unit is in the planning stages. Timeframe is not known.

O.P.P.D.

Nebraska City, NE – 5-1/2 weeks on Unit 1 scheduled for September 24th – manpower unknown at this time.

Ft. Calhoun, NE – This job will take approximately 20 Boilermakers on site March 24, 2011.

North Omaha, NE – Units 1 through 5 will all come down consecutively starting in January 2011.

In regards to the outages, the main concern with our customers is with manpower as well as absenteeism. That is the main reason they say that they have started looking more and more at the non-union sector.

We have several new projects in the works as well as more in the planning stages.

AURORA ETHANOL

Aurora, NE - This job has been put out for bids, including non-union – this job went non-union.

CITY UTILITIES

Hastings, NE—B&W currently has 2 Boilermakers on site. The catalyst loading will take place early to mid-September taking approximately 15 Boilermakers. This job is paying \$80 per day subsistence. THIS PROJECT IS EXTREMELY IMPORTANT FOR MANY REASONS, THE MOST OF WHICH IS THEY ARE ALREADY PLANNING A 3RD UNIT THERE.