

# PUBLIC NOTICE

## **Availability of Draft Environmental Assessment BOILER REPLACEMENT PROJECT WAUPUN CENTRAL GENERATING PLANT DFD Project #12C3M**

The State of Wisconsin's Department of Administration, Division of Facilities Development retained GRAEF-USA to prepare an Environmental Assessment (EA) for the proposed Boiler Replacement Project, which will replace three coal-fired boilers within the Waupun Central Generating Plant in Waupun, Wisconsin. The EA is required by Wisconsin Administrative Code, Chapter DOC 335 in compliance with the Wisconsin Environmental Policy Act (WEPA).

The Waupun Central Generating Plant primarily provides steam to Department of Corrections Institutions. The steam is currently provided by three 64 year-old coal-fired boilers and one 43 year-old gas/oil boiler. The project will demolish and replace the three coal-fired boilers in the heating plant. The existing gas/oil boiler will also be demolished. The coal-fired boilers will be replaced with gas/oil package boilers and associated support equipment that includes controls, fuel system modifications, condensate and feedwater system modifications, and PLC based boiler controls. The scale of the equipment replacement requires utility, plumbing, electrical and demolition/construction of part of the building to allow the original equipment to be removed and to accommodate the new equipment. Minimal land disturbance will occur during utility upgrades. The existing boilers contain asbestos and their disassembly and removal will require appropriate abatement procedures.

The Draft Environmental Assessment (DEA) is available for public review at the circulation desk of the Waupun City Public Library located 123 S Forest St., Waupun City Hall located at 201 E. Main St., and online at <http://notices.graef-usa.com/WaupunCGP> and <http://doc.wi.gov/about/data-and-research/budget-information> beginning April 15, 2013.

Comments received during the 15 day public review period will be considered in preparation of the Final EA. Written comments related to the proposed project can be submitted by mail, or by e-mail. For consideration in the Final EA report, comments must be received by April 30, 2013 and should be sent to:

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