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Sent: Thu, July 7, 2011 8:17:43 AM
Subject: Request to allow public comments prior to finalizing rules of order

Allen –

I am writing to request that the public be given an opportunity to comment on the rules of order prior to the committee taking action. We appreciate your efforts to minimize the need for attorney involvement in filing testimony etc., but remain concerned about the lack of evening hours for public comment. On behalf of Peoria Families Against Toxic Waste, I would like the opportunity to address the entire siting committee about the need to accommodate the public in the process.

Thanks for your time,

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Lyn Schmidt

From: Donnie Jones [jones.donnie85@yahoo.com]
Sent: Wednesday, July 13, 2011 8:38 AM
To: Landfill Public Comments
Subject: Peoria county clean energy

Hello,

I was curious to find out if you are aware of these micro turbines from Capstone? Could we use these here the same way Sheboygan did? It seems not only are they good for the environment, they will pay for themselves in a short time.

There are also many uses for these besides waste water to help the environment such as clean onsite power for buildings and landfill gas(see website) that would help make us carbon neutral. They run on many types of fuel including clean burning natural gas

<http://www.capstoneturbine.com>

City of Sheboygan Wins Sustainability Best Practices Award at Wastewater Treatment Plant

CHATSWORTH, Calif., July 7, 2011 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Capstone Turbine Corporation (www.capstoneturbine.com) (Nasdaq:CPST - News), the world's leading clean technology manufacturer of micro turbine energy systems, today announced that the City of Sheboygan, Wisconsin received a prestigious award from the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence Cities Initiative (GLSLCI) for nearing self-sufficiency at its wastewater treatment plant using Capstone microturbines.

The city of Sheboygan was the only GLSLCI member city in the U.S. and Canada to receive the Wege Small Cities Sustainability Best Practices Award, which recognizes GLSLCI member cities working to protect the Great Lakes and St. Lawrence River, restore them, and improve the quality of the water resources for future generations. GLSLCI is a bi-national coalition of mayors and other local officials that work actively with federal, state, and provincial governments.

Rather than flare excess methane gas -- the byproduct from sewage treatment processes that has a greenhouse gas impact on the atmosphere 21 times greater than carbon dioxide -- the Sheboygan plant uses the methane to fuel 10 Capstone C30 and two C200 microturbines in a combined heat and power (CHP) application. Using waste methane as fuel, the microturbines fulfill 90 percent of the plant's annual energy needs and nearly eliminate the need to purchase natural gas for heating.

More info

<http://finance.yahoo.com/news/City-of-Sheboygan-Wins-pz-725915626.html?x=0&.v=2>

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