

III.K.13.F. TECHNICAL ANALYSIS OF STATE CONTROLLABLE SOURCES

1. Overview/Purpose

40 CFR §51.308(f)(2)(i) of the RH Rule requires states to submit plans for improvement that include enforceable emissions limits, compliance schedules, and other measures necessary to make reasonable progress towards natural visibility conditions at Class I areas. To achieve these goals, states are required to develop a LTS that must “include emission limits, schedules of compliance and other measures as may be necessary to make reasonable progress” and “identify all anthropogenic sources of visibility impairment considered by the state in developing its long-term strategy”. In developing these goals, the state is to select sources and consider four factors when evaluating for potential control measures for the selected sources: 1) cost of compliance; 2) time necessary for compliance; 3) energy and non-air quality environmental impacts; and 4) remaining useful life. Consideration of visibility benefits is an optional fifth factor that states may consider per EPA’s August 2019 “Guidance on Regional Haze State Implementation Plans for the Second Implementation Period.”

DEC used a two-step approach to select sources for evaluation. The initial step (step one) involved an AOI and WEP analysis, which was followed by a final Q/d analysis (step two) to select sources for evaluation under the four factors. In step one, DEC initially identified twenty-six point and area sources using the WEP analysis identified in Section 2a. In step two, DEC refined the list to six point sources subject to analyses using the Q/d analysis outlined in Section 2e. Of the six point sources; one facility had a four-factor analysis conducted, two facilities were partially evaluated with on-going four-factor analyses pending if existing emissions units (EUs) aren’t retired, and three facilities were not evaluated because they recently went through a Best Available Control Technology (BACT) analysis for the Fairbanks North Star Borough (FNSB) Serious PM_{2.5} nonattainment area. A list of the final six sources selected for evaluation are shown in Table III.K.13.F-1.

Table III.K.13.F-1. Facility Selection for Review

| Facility | Review Section |
|------------------------------|----------------|
| North Pole Power Plant | 3a |
| Healy Power Plant | 3b |
| Chena Power Plant | 3c |
| Eielson Air Force Base | 3d |
| Fort Wainwright | 3e |
| Fairbanks Campus Power Plant | 3f |

2. Source Selection

a. Why the Focus on Sulfur Dioxide (SO₂) in the Four Factor Analysis?

EPA guidance¹ allows for the elimination of pollutants from consideration in a four-factor analysis. States can focus on the PM species that “dominate visibility impairment at the Class I areas affected by emissions from the state and then select only sources with emissions of those dominant pollutants and their precursors”. Further, EPA guidance states that it may be reasonable for a state to not consider measures for control of the remaining pollutants from sources that have been selected on the basis of emissions of the dominant pollutants.

The selection of sources in Alaska to undergo a four-factor analysis was based solely on SO₂ emissions. SO₂ is a precursor pollutant of sulfate which dominates visibility impairment at Alaska Class I areas as shown in Figure III.K.13.F-2 and Section III.K.13.D. Other pollutants represent a smaller percentage of overall visibility impairment readings at the IMPROVE monitors. Sulfate domination is even more evident (> 95%) in the annual extinction composition attributable to human-caused pollution (Figure III.K.13.F-3). As in the first RH planning period, elimination of less important haze species allows for focus on the most influential species by state regulators. Given the dominance of sulfate to visibility at Alaska Class I areas, DEC elected to focus on SO₂ sources in the four-factor analysis.

Sources of SO₂ can be from natural or anthropogenic origins as described in Section III.K.13.E. Important natural SO₂ sources are volcanoes and oceanic DMS. Uncontrollable anthropogenic sources of SO₂ come from international industry operations including energy production, and marine shipping. In Alaska, anthropogenic SO₂ comes primarily from electrical generation and oil and gas development.

¹ Technical Guidance on Tracking Visibility Progress for the Second Implementation Period of the Regional Haze Program, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, EPA-454/R-18-010, December 2018. Page 12, Step 3.a

Figure III.K.13.F-2. Average extinction on the 2014-2018 MID at DENA1 and SIME1

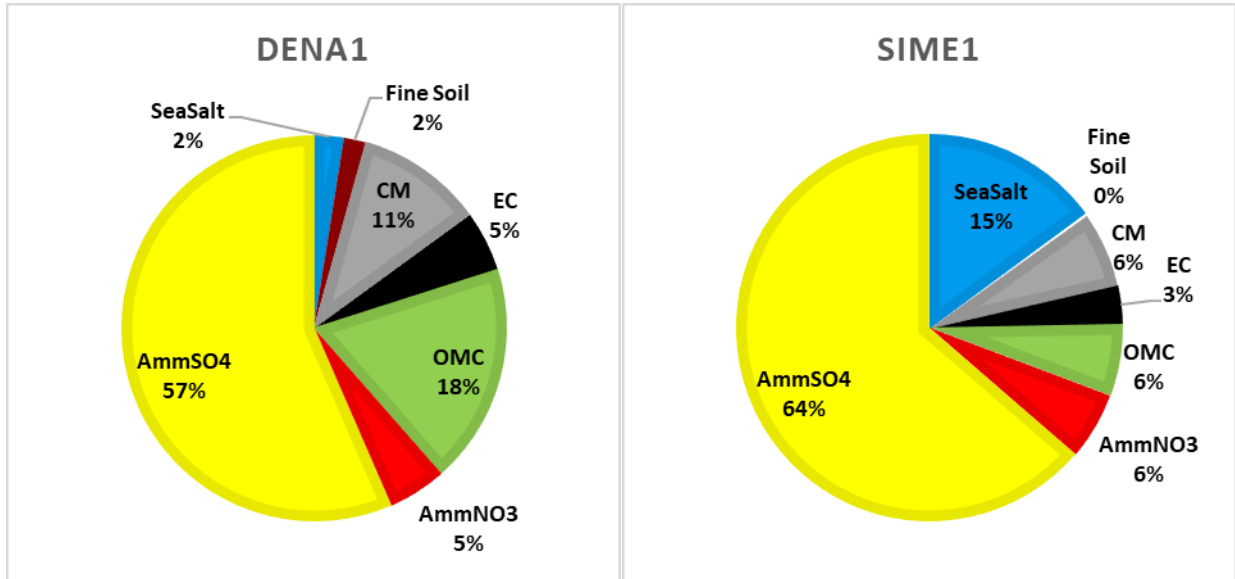
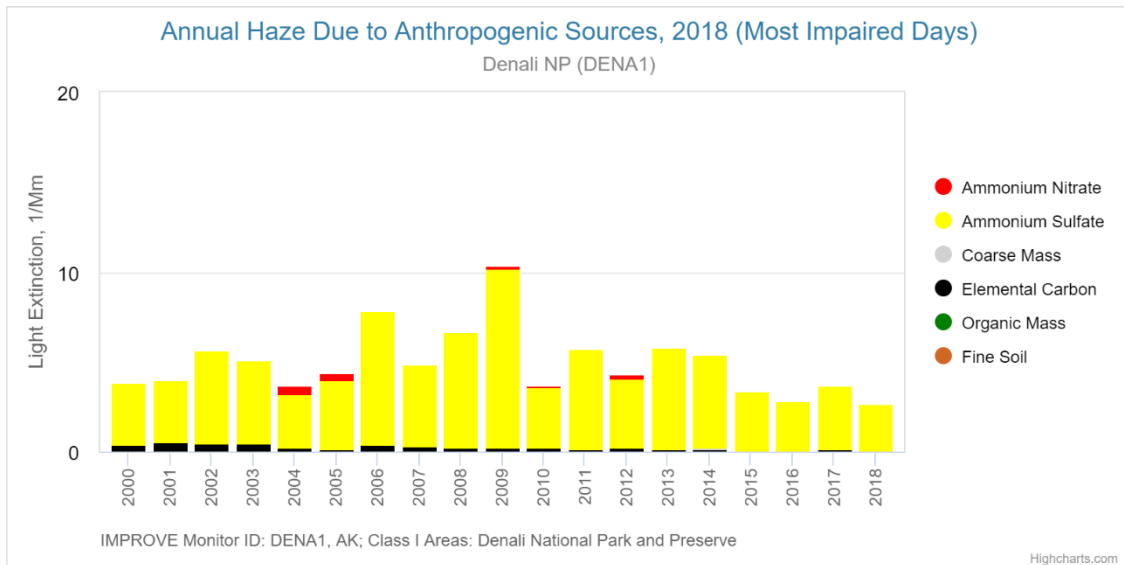
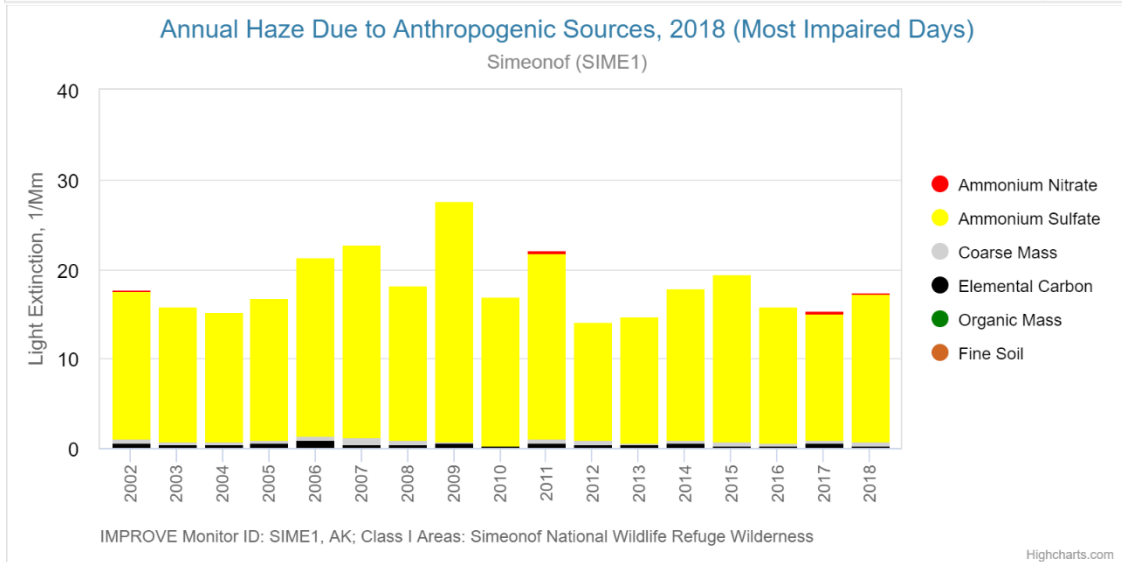
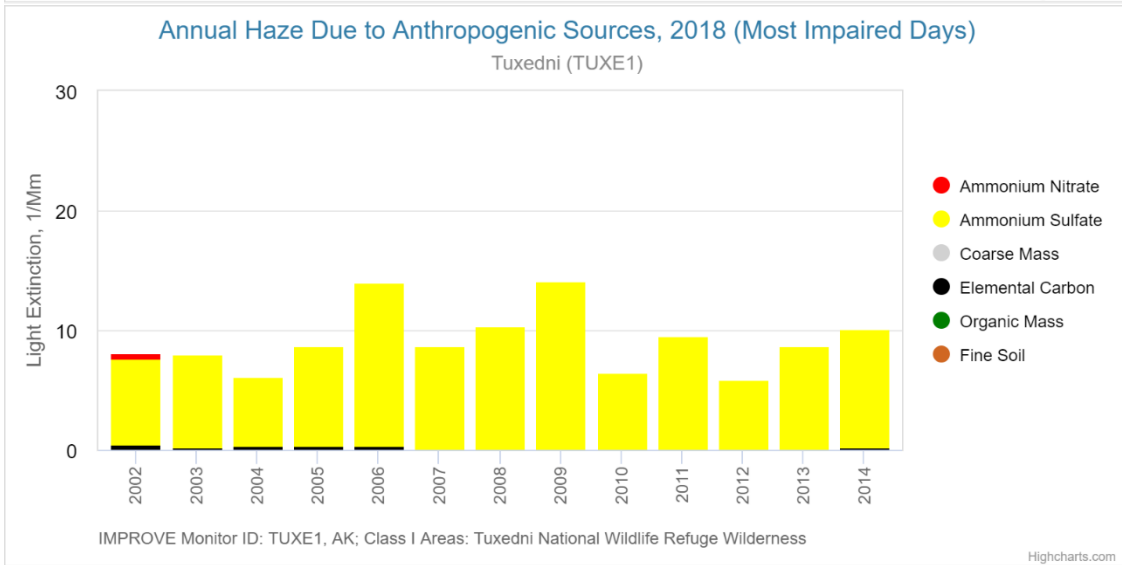
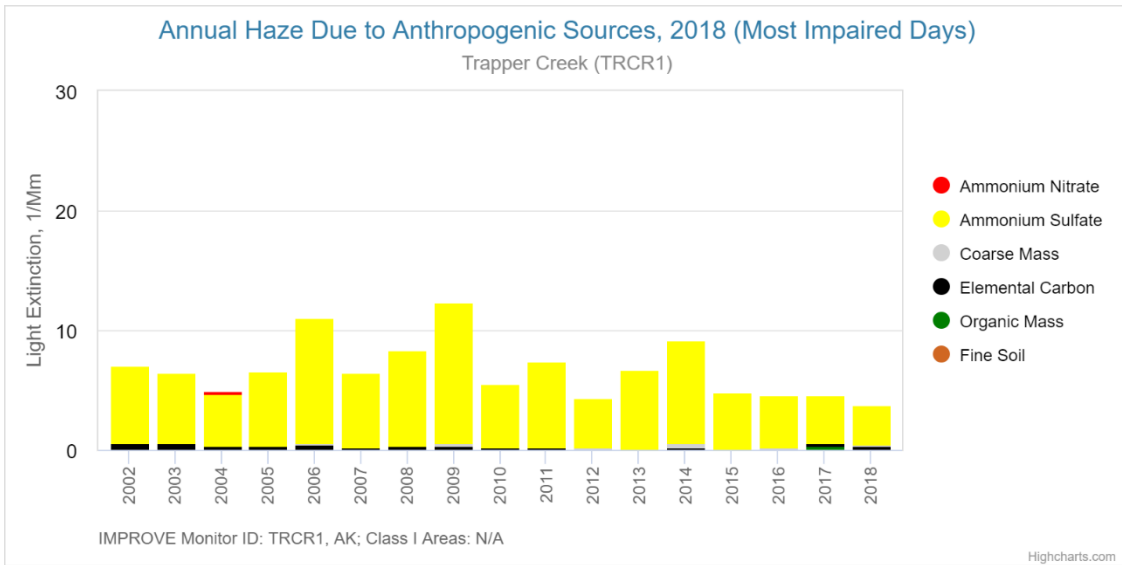


Figure III.K.13.F-3 Extinction on the 2002-2018 MID attributable to anthropogenic sources





b. Source Selection Strategy: Step One (WEP Analysis) Overview

Many states are selecting sources for review and analysis using the Q/D method (quantity of actual emissions in tons per year divided by distance in kilometers to the IMPROVE monitor) to apply to point sources of NO_x and of SO₂. In Alaska, the Q/D source selection was based on the parameters in the WRAP tool². The WRAP Q/D Tool establishes a threshold of 10 tons per year per km (tpy/km) for Q/D and 25 tpy for Q and only facilities with a distance less than 400 km were included. As noted in the EPA Guidance, the Q/D methodology does not take into consideration topography, transport direction/pathway and dispersion, and photochemical processes.

Alaska contracted with Ramboll to run HYSPLIT back trajectories to develop AOI and WEP for each Class I area. While the WEP analysis includes facility point and other anthropogenic sources (e.g., nonpoint facilities, mobile sources), only point sources are considered for a full four factor analysis. A complete analysis of the HYSPLIT modeling and WEP analysis are presented in Section III.K.13.G (Modeling). In short, the modeling used facility emissions from the National Emissions Inventory (NEI) for 2014 and 2017 and ranked facilities by their potential contributions to the WEP SO₄. The benefit of using two emission inventory years is that it provides ranges of emissions and an opportunity to identify changes in point source emissions that can be used in sector projections. Alaska used these rankings to determine the sources that are most likely contributing to visibility impairment. Alaska is already very close to natural visibility in the Class I areas; more information on current monitoring data can be found in Section III.K.13.D and for the long-term strategy in Section III.K.13.I. By focusing on sources that are likely to have the highest impact on Class I areas, any control measures implemented would theoretically result in the most reductions of impairment.

The analysis focuses on the IMPROVE MID from 2014 to 2018 at the IMPROVE sites representing Class I areas in the state, with exception of those at Tuxedni Class I area. TUXE1 site stopped operating in 2014 so the MID from 2012 to 2014 were used instead of the 2014-2018 period. The KPBO1 IMPROVE monitor started operating in 2016 and was not included in the analysis of MID as no impairment metric data is available for the site. Instead, the WEP analysis was performed for the top 20% measured visibility extinction days (Top 20%) at TUXE1 and KPBO1 for the 3 most recent years of available data (2012 to 2014 and 2016 to 2018, respectively). Table III.K.13.F-4 identifies the years of the analysis period and the analyzed metric for each IMPROVE site.

² Regional Haze Four-factor Analysis Screening tool developed by Ramboll.
http://views.cira.colostate.edu/data/tss/ramboll/WRAP_Q_Over_D_Analyses/WRAP_Threshold_Analysis.xlsx

Table III.K.13.F-4. Alaska Class I Areas and IMPROVE monitoring sites included in the Area of Influence and Weighted Emissions Potential analysis

| Class I Area | IMPROVE Site | Analysis Period | Analyzed Metric |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Denali National Park and Preserve | DENA1 | 2014 - 2018 | MID |
| | TRCR1 | 2014 - 2018 | MID |
| Simeonof Wilderness Area | SIME1 | 2014 - 2018 | MID |
| Tuxedni National Wildlife Refuge | TUXE1 | 2012 – 2014 | MID, Top 20% |
| | KPBO1 | 2016 – 2018 | Top 20% |

c. Step One Methods Used for Initial Source Selection

Step 1a: Identify areas of high WEP

For each Class I area, images of the WEP generated from all analysed altitudes (i.e., 100 m, 200 m, 500 m, and 1,000 m) are examined, and the areas with SO_x WEP values of 5 percent (%) or more are identified. The highest WEP percentage does not point to a specific facility but rather an area where a variety of sources may potentially influence a Class I area. This occurs in Cook Inlet and in the FNSB. For any facility within the WEP area of 5% or greater, its location is confirmed using the corresponding DEC issued permits, and it then gets included in the selected sources.

Step 1b: Point Source Facility Selection

DEC ranked source facilities by WEP SO₄ values. Generally, there is a sharp decline in WEP values that separate major contributing sources from the rest. Table III.K.13.F-5 demonstrates this situation for the Denali Class I area where the steep decline from the WEP SO₄ rankings from approximately 4000 to less than a 1000 that could be used as a logical cutoff point for facility consideration. Only the highest emitting facilities above this cutoff are selected given that they are also located within the 5% WEP area described in Step 1a. It is possible that the WEP areas (Step 1a) do not match with any of the highest emitting facilities and in that case, additional facilities can be considered.

An additional step is used to identify facilities with extensive emission changes that may warrant further consideration related to their potential impacts. These can be seen when a facility appears in 2014 and is no longer listed in 2017. A review of permits issued by DEC is used to see if there are substantial changes at that facility. An example of this is Clear Air Force Station (Clear AFS). The point source emissions in 2014 included use of coal in their electrical generation units. By 2017, they had contracted to purchase electricity, and their emissions had been drastically reduced. In all cases, 2017 inventories are considered closer to potential future emissions.

Table III.K.13.F-5. Ranked point facilities by WEP SO₄ at DENA1

| | 2014 Point Source Facilities | SO₂ emissions (Q, tpy) | Q/D (tpy/km) | EWRTxQ_SO4 | WEP SO₄ |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|---------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|
| 1 | Healy Power Plant | 444.94 | 31.69 | 13,644,281 | 971,737 |
| 2 | Clear Air Force Station | 213.21 | 3.34 | 3,275,622 | 51,286 |
| 3 | Chena Power Plant | 655.00 | 4.75 | 2,171,173 | 15,784 |
| 4 | Fort Wainwright (EGU) | 654.74 | 4.76 | 2,172,035 | 15,753 |
| 5 | Eielson Air Force Base | 268.05 | 1.93 | 1,002,245 | 7,203 |
| 6 | UAF Campus Power Plant | 201.99 | 1.48 | 669,816 | 4,896 |
| 7 | GVEA North Pole Power Plant | 148.37 | 1.09 | 554,759 | 4,063 |
| 8 | TAPS PS #07 | 25.77 | 0.14 | 1212 | 175 |
| | 2017 Point Source Facilities | SO₂ emissions (Q, tpy) | Q/D (tpy/km) | EWRTxQ_SO4 | WEP SO₄ |
| 1 | Healy Power Plant | 296.40 | 21.11 | 9,089,280 | 647,333 |
| 2 | Chena Power Plant | 627.60 | 4.55 | 2,081,175 | 15,094 |
| 3 | Fort Wainwright UGU | 460.04 | 3.34 | 1,525,532 | 11,090 |
| 4 | Eielson Air Force Base | 262.81 | 1.89 | 982,647 | 7,062 |
| 5 | GVEA North Pole Power Plant | 247.24 | 1.81 | 924,430 | 6,770 |
| 6 | UAF Campus Power Plant | 163.81 | 1.20 | 543,224 | 3,971 |
| 7 | GVEA Zehnder Facility | 29.56 | 0.21 | 98,019 | 706 |

Step 1c: Nonpoint Facility Selection

The ranked source lists include permitted facilities that were reported to EPA in the nonpoint category. If they are close to a Class I area, the contribution can still be significant. For example, the Trident Seafoods Sand Point facility emitted 0.089 tons of SO₂ in 2017 but because of its proximity to the SIME1 IMPROVE monitor, it has the highest WEP SO₄ in the ranked facility list (Table III.K.13.F-6). The second highest was the Steelhead Platform, which emitted approximately 44.7 tons of SO₂ in 2017. The Steelhead Platform's WEP SO₄ was significantly lower because of its distance from the Class I area. As such, the Sand Point Facility and Steelhead Platform are advanced to the second step of DEC's source selection criteria.

In most cases, sources can be identified in the areas with SO_x WEP of 5% or more. In some cases, no single point, nonpoint, nonroad, or mobile source can be identified. For example, east of the KPB01 IMPROVE monitor and in Western Anchorage and north of Anchorage, there are three locations identified with a WEP of 5% or greater. In this specific example, the point sources located in the WEP area that may be contributors are low on the ranking of individual source WEP (see Step 1b) so there could be multiple contributing sources.

DEC looked at the permit locations with relation to the WEP area to resolve some of these questions. In some cases, DEC determined that the emissions are from nonroad and area sources such as airstrips, railroad, and marine port facilities which will be addressed on a sector basis. For SIME1 in particular, the number of sources available for Q/d and WEP analysis are limited to sources like Trident Seafood with a small emissions profile.

Table III.K.13.F-6. SIME1 2017 Point Facilities With Highest WEP

| | Facility Name | SO ₂ emissions (Q, tpy) | Q/D (tpy/km) | EWRTxQ_SO4 | WEP SO ₄ |
|---|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------|------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Trident Seafoods; Sand Point Facility | 0.089 | 0.073 | 7,350.4 | 6,048 |
| 2 | Hilcorp - Steelhead Platform | 44.7 | 0.055 | 54,302.0 | 67.3 |

Step 1d: Compiling the Source list Selection

A master list was compiled after applying Steps 1a – 1c and includes those sources that appear at more than one IMPROVE monitor. For facilities that appear at more than one IMPROVE monitor it is assumed that emission controls could result in improved visibility at more than one Class I area.

Sources that have a high WEP value in 2017 that do not appear in >5% WEP selection criteria are included. The master list of sources that are advanced to Step Two are found in Table III.K.13.F-7.

d. Step One Preliminary Source Selection Results

Table III.K.13.F-7 identifies the sources identified in the Step One WEP analysis that are advanced to the Step Two Q/d analysis for final selection. The criteria used for each source selection is also noted as well as where the location of the final review for the source is located between this chapter for sources that were selected after Step Two and the appendix of this chapter for sources that were not advanced beyond Step Two. For point sources selected because of their ranking on the WEP SO₄ (either based on 2014 or 2017 emissions or both) the criteria are shown as ‘Rank point YEAR’. For source sectors selected because they are within the 5% WEP area for the MID, the criteria are listed as ‘MID WEP’ (or ‘Top 20% WEP for KPBO1).

Table III.K.13.F-7. Preliminary Facility Selection From Step One

| | Sector | Facility | Denali | | Simeonof | Tuxedni | | Review Section Location |
|---|-------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|-------|----------|---------|------|-------------------------|
| | | | DENA1 | TRCR1 | SIME1 | KPB01 | TUXE | |
| 1 | Power Plant | GVEA North Pole Power Plant | Rank point 2014/2017 | | | | | III.K.13.F 3a |

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|----|-----------------------------|--|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|
| 2 | Power Plant | Healy Power Plant* | Rank point 2014/2017 | Rank point 2014/2017 | | | | III.K.13.F 3b |
| 3 | Power Plant | Chena Power Plant | Rank point 2014/2017 | | | | | III.K.13.F 3c |
| 4 | Nat. Security | Eielson Air Force Base | Rank point 2014/2017 | | | | | III.K.13.F 3d |
| 5 | Power Plant | Fort Wainwright EGU | Rank point 2014/2017 | | | | | III.K.13.F 3e |
| 6 | Power Plant | UAF Power Plant | Rank point 2014/2017 | | | | | III.K.13.F 3f |
| 7 | Nat. Security | Clear Air Force Base | Rank point 2014 | | | | | III.K.13.F Appendix 2a |
| 8 | Manufact./ Seafood Process. | Trident Seafoods - Sand Point Facility | | | Rank point 2014/2017 | | Rank point 2014 (MID) | III.K.13.F Appendix 2b |
| 9 | Oil & Gas | Christy Lee/Drift River | | | | | Rank point 2014/2017 (MID) | III.K.13.F Appendix 2c |
| 10 | Power Plant | Bernice Lake Combustion Plant | | Rank point 2014 | | Rank point 2014 (Top 20%) | | III.K.13.F Appendix 2d |
| 11 | Power Plant | JBER-Electric, Gas, Drinking Water & Sanitary Services | | | | | | III.K.13.F Appendix 2e |
| 12 | Power Plant | Matanuska Electric - Eklutna EGU | | | | | | III.K.13.F Appendix 2f |
| 13 | Oil & Gas | Platform A | | Rank point 2014 | | Rank point 2014 (Top 20%) | | III.K.13.F Appendix 2g |
| 14 | Oil & Gas | Monopod Platform | | Rank point 2014 | | Rank point 2014 (Top 20%) | Rank Point 2014 (MID, Top 20%) | III.K.13.F Appendix 2h |

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|----|------------|--|--|----------------------|--|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 15 | Oil & Gas | Grayling Platform | | Rank point 2014 | | Rank point 2014 (Top 20%) | Rank Point 2014 (MID, Top 20%) | III.K.13.F Appendix 2i |
| 16 | Oil & Gas | Dolly Varden Platform | | Rank point 2014/2017 | | Rank point 2014 (Top 20%) | Rank point 2014/2017 (MID, Top 20%) | III.K.13.F Appendix 2j |
| 17 | Oil & Gas | King Salmon | | Rank point 2014 | | Rank point 2014 (Top 20%) | Rank Point 2014 (MID, Top 20%) | III.K.13.F Appendix 2k |
| 18 | Oil & Gas | Steelhead | | Rank point 2017 | | | Rank Point 2017 (MID, Top 20%) | III.K.13.F Appendix 2l |
| 19 | Oil & Gas | BlueCrest Cosmopolitan | | | | Rank point 2017 (Top 20%) | | III.K.13.F Appendix 2m |
| 20 | Transport, | Ted Stevens International (ORL) | | MID WEP | | Top 20% WEP | Top 20% WEP | III.K.13.F Appendix 3a |
| | Transport | Ted Stevens International (Aviation Non-Point) | | MID WEP | | Top 20% WEP | Top 20% WEP | III.K.13.F Appendix 4h |
| 21 | Transport | Port of Anchorage (ORL) | | MID WEP | | | | III.K.13.F Appendix 3b |
| | Transport | Port of Anchorage (Marine Sector) | | MID WEP | | | | III.K.13.F Appendix 4a |
| 22 | Transport | Port McKenzie | | MID WEP | | | | III.K.13.F Appendix 4g |
| 23 | Transport | Trapper Creek Aviation | | MID WEP | | | | III.K.13.F Appendix 4i |
| 24 | Transport | Homer Aviation, Port | | MID WEP | | Top 20% WEP | | III.K.13.F Appendix 4j, 4k, & 4l |
| 25 | Transport | Ninilchik | | MID WEP | | Top 20% WEP | Top 20% WEP | III.K.13.F Appendix 4m |

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|----|-----------|--------------------|--|------------|--|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| 26 | Transport | Alaska Railroad | | MID WEP | | | | III.K.13.F Appendix 4c & 4n |
|----|-----------|--------------------|--|------------|--|--|--|-----------------------------------|

e. Step Two Methods Used for Final Source Selection

After initial review of the 26 point and area sources identified in Step One, DEC determined that the list of point sources included numerous facilities with low actual SO₂ emissions that could not meaningfully be lowered any further. This included sources such as Trident Seafoods Sand Point Facility and Clear Air Force Base with SO₂ emissions below 0.1 tpy as well as multiple sources combusting ULSD, pipeline quality natural gas, and/or low sulfur fuel gas in the Cook Inlet area that had over-reported their actual SO₂ emissions in the 2014 NEI. Therefore, DEC included a second step (Step Two) to ensure that only the sources who are potentially contributing to haze in Class I areas and have a potential to reduce their actual SO₂ emissions would be evaluated.

For Step Two DEC used a Q/d approach as outlined in Footnote 25 and Section II.B.3.b of the August 20, 2019, Guidance on Regional Haze document (Guidance Document). The Guidance Document outlines that instead of quantifying and considering visibility impacts for the purpose of selecting sources, a state may also develop a reasonable surrogate metric for such impacts (e.g., the emissions/distance relationship). This approach involves a stationary source's actual emissions in tons per year (Q) divided by the distance to the nearest Class 1 area in kilometers (d). As was previously stated, the NEI for 2014 involved multiple sources over-reporting their actual SO₂ emissions and is more outdated than 2017 (e.g., Clear Air Force Base has since retired their coal-fired boilers). Therefore, DEC chose to use the SO₂ values reported in the 2017 NEI in the Step Two Q/d analysis as that is more representative of current and future emissions.

For Step Two, DEC chose an SO₂ Q/d threshold of 1.0 for stationary sources. As a result, all stationary sources with 2017 NEI reported SO₂ emissions values divided by distance to the nearest Class 1 area of 1.0 and above made it past this step to final evaluation. The Guidance Document states on page 13 that when using a Q/d surrogate for visibility impacts a "reasonably selected threshold for this metric" shall be used. The Guidance Document also goes on to state that, "since primary PM and PM precursors may have very different visibility impacts per ton of emissions, it may be best to evaluate Q/d metrics on an individual pollutant basis. Additionally, since the magnitude of Q/d may vary considerably when total emissions are considered versus emissions of individual primary PM and precursor pollutants, appropriate pollutant-specific Q/d thresholds for primary PM and each precursor may need to be considered as part of the analysis.

DEC has chosen an SO₂ Q/d of 1.0 and above as a reasonable surrogate threshold metric. The Guidance Document did not specify a minimum value to use for Q/d source selection and DEC notes that an SO₂ Q/d value of 1.0 should be considered conservative enough to capture all sources with SO₂ emissions that could meaningfully impact visibility in Class 1 areas. DEC notes that the Q/d threshold of 1.0 for SO₂ emissions is more conservative than the threshold of 10.0 for combined PM and precursor pollutants used in the Federal Land Managers' Air Quality Related Values Work Group (FLAG) 2010 Guidance Document for Prevention of Significant Deterioration permitting.

f. Final Source Selection

After completing the two-step source selection process for stationary sources in Alaska, DEC has identified the following list of six sources that warrant evaluation as can be seen below in Table III.K.13.F-8.

Table III.K.13.F-8. Final Facility Selection for Review

| Facility | Nearest Monitor | Distance to Monitor – d (km) | Quantity of SO ₂ Emissions – Q (tpy) | Q/d SO ₂ | Section Number |
|------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|---|---------------------|----------------|
| North Pole Power Plant | Denali N.P. | 122 | 247.2 | 2.0 | 3a |
| Healy Power Plant | Denali N.P. | 6 | 296.4 | 49.4 | 3b |
| Chena Power Plant | Denali N.P. | 119 | 627.6 | 5.3 | 3c |
| Eielson Air Force Base | Denali N.P. | 133 | 262.8 | 2.0 | 3d |
| Fort Wainwright | Denali N.P. | 119 | 460.0 | 3.9 | 3e |
| Fairbanks Campus Power Plant | Denali N.P. | 117 | 163.8 | 1.4 | 3f |

DEC notes that the second step in the source selection process resulted in only selecting stationary sources that have impacts on Denali National Park. This was a result of the largest emitting stationary source near the Tuxedni National Wildlife Refuge (Hilcorp's Steelhead Platform) only having SO₂ emissions of 44.7 tons in 2017. Additionally, the largest emitting source near the Simeonof Wilderness Area (Trident Seafoods Akutan Seafood Processing Facility) only emitted 2.8 tons of SO₂ in 2017. DEC will continue to monitor emissions from stationary sources in Alaska which may result in additional sources nearer to Tuxedni National Wildlife Refuge or Simeonof Wilderness Area warranting full four-factor analyses in future rounds of RH. See Section III.K.13.H Long-Term Strategy for the approach identified for monitoring new sources or major changes in existing sources for addressing possible future impacts.

3. Four-Factor Analysis

a. Golden Valley Electric Association, North Pole Power Plant

i. Introduction

The NPPP is an electric generating facility owned and operated by GVEA that currently operates under Title V Operating Permit AQ0110TVP04 Rev. 1. The standard industrial classification (SIC) code for this stationary source is 4911 - Electric Services. The power plant contains two fuel oil-fired simple cycle gas combustion turbines, two fuel oil-fired combined cycle gas

combustion turbines, one fuel oil-fired emergency generator, and two propane fired boilers. These EUs are listed below in Table III.K.13.F-9. The stationary source also owns insignificant EUs that include several gas-fired heaters.

Table III.K.13.F-9. Golden Valley Electric Association, North Pole Power Plant Emissions Units

| EU ID | Emissions Unit Name | Emissions Unit Description | Fuel | Rating/Size | Installation or Construction Date |
|--------------|----------------------------|---|-------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| 1 | GT#1 | GE Frame 7, Series 7001 Regenerative Gas Turbine | Fuel Oil | 672 MMBtu/hr (60.5 MW) | 1976 |
| 2 | GT#2 | GE Frame 7, Series 7001 Regenerative Gas Turbine | Fuel Oil | 672 MMBtu/hr (60.5 MW) | 1977 |
| 5 | GT#3 | GE LM6000PC Gas Turbine (water injection for NO _x control) (oxidation catalyst for CO control) | Naphtha/LSR Jet A | 455 MMBtu/hr (43 MW, nominal) | 2005 |
| 6 | GT#4 | GE LM6000PC Gas Turbine (water injection for NO _x control) (oxidation catalyst for CO control) | Naphtha/LSR Jet A | 455 MMBtu/hr (43 MW, nominal) | Not Installed ¹ |
| 7 | Emergency Generator | Mitsubishi Engine #0A8829 (Generac Gen Set #5231150100) | Fuel Oil | 565 hp | 2005 |
| 11 | Building Boiler | Bryan Steam RV500 Boiler | Propane | 5.0 MMBtu/hr | 2005 |
| 12 | Building Boiler | Bryan Steam RV500 Boiler | Propane | 5.0 MMBtu/hr | 2005 |

Table Notes: ¹ Estimated installation is 2024.

The NPPP recently went through an emissions control analysis as a part of the planning requirements triggered when the FNSB nonattainment area was designated as “Serious” with respect to nonattainment of the 2006 24-hour PM_{2.5} National Ambient Air Quality Standards (NAAQS), which was published in Federal Register Vol. 82, No. 89, May 10, 2017, pages 21703-21706. CAA section 189(b)(1)(B) and 40 C.F.R. § 51.1010 describe the Serious area attainment plan requirements for best available control measures (BACM). Large stationary sources are a subgroup of emissions sources that are given special attention in the required BACM analysis (large stationary sources are subject to best available control technologies or

BACT analyses). Per federal requirement, DEC evaluated all point sources with emissions greater than 70 TPY of PM_{2.5} or for any individual PM_{2.5} precursor (NO_x, SO₂, NH₃, VOCs).

This evaluation resulted in the following emissions controls contained in Table III.K.13.F-10, which are those required in Table 7.7-15 of the Amendments to: State Air Quality Control Plan Vol II: III.D.7.7 Control Strategies document; adopted November 19, 2019.³

Table III.K.13.F-10. Summary of BACT

| Pollutant | BACT Emission Limit | BACT Control Device or Operational Limitation | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|---|---|--|--|
| EUs 1 and 2 Fuel Oil-Fired Simple Cycle Gas Turbines - 672 MMBtu/hr (each) | | | |
| NO _x | Precursor Demonstration* | No additional control | N/A |
| PM _{2.5} | 0.012 lb/MMBtu (3-hr avg.) | Low Ash Fuel, Limited Operation, and Good Combustion Practices | Existing |
| SO ₂ | 1,000 ppmw sulfur deliveries fuel on curtailment days | Certified Statement or Approved Analysis of Sulfur Content | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 Effective no later than October 1, 2020 |
| | 15 ppmw sulfur in fuel October 1 – March 31 (natural gas optional) | Certified Statement or Approved Analysis of Sulfur Content | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2022 Effective no later than October 1, 2023 |
| EUs 5 and 6 - Combined Cycle Gas Turbines - 455 MMBtu/hr (each) | | | |
| NO _x | Precursor Demonstration* | No additional control | N/A |
| PM _{2.5} | 0.012 lb/MMBtu (3-hr avg.) | Low Ash Fuel, Limited Operation, and Good Combustion Practices | Existing |
| SO ₂ | 50 ppmw sulfur in fuel (except during startup) (natural gas optional) | Certified Statement of Sulfur Content | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 Effective no later than June 9, 2021 |
| EU 7 - Diesel-Fired Emergency Generator - 400 kW | | | |
| NO _x | Precursor Demonstration* | No additional control | N/A |
| PM _{2.5} | 0.32 g/hp-hr (3-hr avg.) | Good Combustion Practices, Positive Crankcase Ventilation, and Limited Operation | Existing |

³ Background and detailed information regarding Fairbanks PM_{2.5} State Implementation Plan (SIP) can be found at <http://dec.alaska.gov/air/anpms/communities/fbks-pm2-5-serious-sip/>.

| Pollutant | BACT Emission Limit | BACT Control Device or Operational Limitation | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|---|------------------------------------|---|---|
| SO ₂ | 0.05 weight percent sulfur in fuel | Certified Statement of Sulfur Content | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 Effective no later than June 9, 2021 |
| EUs 11 and 12 - Propane-Fired Boilers 5.0 MMBtu/hr (each) | | | |
| NO _x | Precursor Demonstration* | No additional control | N/A |
| PM _{2.5} | 0.008 lb/MMBtu (3-hr avg.) | Good Combustion Practices and Propane as Fuel | Existing |
| SO ₂ | 120 ppmv sulfur in fuel | Certified Statement of Sulfur Content | Existing |

The previously mentioned analysis for the NPPP resulted in multiple SO₂ emissions limits. The requirement to combust fuel with a maximum sulfur content of 1,000 ppmw in EUs 1 and 2 on curtailment days has already gone into effect. Meanwhile, additional sulfur limiting requirements will go into effect on June 9, 2021, and October 1, 2023, such as requiring ULSD be combusted in EUs 1 and 2 from October 1 through March 31.

DEC compiled a list of SO₂ emissions at the stationary source using the EI submissions for years 2014-2019 which can be seen in Table III.K.13.F-11. As can be seen in Table III.K.13.F.11, EUs 1, 2, and 5 are the only EUs with sizeable SO₂ emissions over the past 6 years. Additionally, as can be seen in Table III.K.13.F-10 above, emergency diesel generator EU 7 has a new requirement to burn fuel with a maximum of 0.05 weight percent sulfur, and boiler EUs 11 and 12 are already required to burn propane, which is an inherently low sulfur fuel. Taking all of this into account, DEC has chosen to perform a four-factor analysis of the NPPP on EUs 1, 2, and 5. DEC has chosen to use the value from the highest actual emissions year, for each EU, for all cost analyses performed.

Table III.K.13.F-11. North Pole Power Plant SO₂ Emissions

| Calendar Year | EU ID | SO ₂ Emitted (tons) Emissions Inventory | SO ₂ Emitted (tons) Emissions Inventory |
|---------------|-------|--|--|
| 2019 | 1 | 17.04 | 268.4 |
| | 2 | 251.03 | |
| | 5 | 0.32 | |
| | 7 | 0.00 | |
| | 11 | 0.00 | |
| | 12 | 0.00 | |
| | 1 | 19.8 | |
| | 2 | 189.84 | |

| | | | |
|------|----|--------|-------|
| 2018 | 5 | 5.58 | 215.2 |
| | 7 | 0.00 | |
| | 11 | 0.00 | |
| | 12 | 0.00 | |
| 2017 | 1 | 31.68 | 269.5 |
| | 2 | 228.87 | |
| | 5 | 8.89 | |
| | 7 | 0.00 | |
| | 11 | 0.00 | |
| | 12 | 0.00 | |
| 2016 | 1 | 37.87 | 239.8 |
| | 2 | 190.76 | |
| | 5 | 11.20 | |
| | 7 | 0.00 | |
| | 11 | 0.00 | |
| | 12 | 0.00 | |
| 2015 | 1 | 8.47 | 149.1 |
| | 2 | 131.74 | |
| | 5 | 8.84 | |
| | 7 | 0.00 | |
| | 11 | 0.00 | |
| | 12 | 0.00 | |
| 2014 | 1 | 5.64 | 148.4 |
| | 2 | 138.15 | |
| | 5 | 4.58 | |
| | 7 | 0.00 | |
| | 11 | 0.00 | |
| | 12 | 0.00 | |

ii. SO2 Four-Factor Analysis

Section 169A(g)(1) of the CAA lists four factors that must be taken into consideration in determining reasonable progress and states are required to consider those four factors (i.e., cost of compliance, time necessary for compliance, energy and non-air environmental impacts, and remaining useful life of the source) in the control analysis step.

1. Cost of Compliance for the Fuel Oil-Fired Simple Cycle Gas Turbines (EUs 1 and 2)

The cost of compliance estimates the values of capital costs, annual operating and maintenance costs, annualized costs, and cost per ton of emission reductions that have been prepared according to EPA's Air Pollution Control Cost Manual. Costs are expressed in terms of cost

effectiveness in the standardized unit of dollars per ton of actual SO₂ emissions reduced. DEC used information from the BACT analyses completed for the Fairbanks Serious SIP for SO₂ to complete the cost of compliance analyses. This information included previous BACT determinations found in the RACT, BACT, & LAER Clearinghouse (RBLC) database; internet research; and BACT analyses submitted to DEC by GVEA for the NPPP and Zehnder Facility.

The RBLC was searched for all determinations in the last 10 years under the process code 15.190 for simple cycle gas turbines (rated at 25 MW or more) The search results for simple cycle gas turbines are summarized in Table III.K.13.F-12.

Table III.K.13.F-12. RBLC Summary of SO₂ Controls for Fuel Oil-Fired Simple Cycle Gas Turbines

| Control Technology | Number of Determinations | Emission Limits | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Ultra-Low Sulfur Diesel | 7 | 0.0015 | % S by wt. |
| Fuel Oil (0.1 % S by wt. or less) | 2 | 0.0026 – 0.055 | lb/MMBtu |
| Good Combustion Practices | 3 | 0.6 | lb/hr |

a. RBLC Review

A review of similar units in the RBLC indicates that limiting the sulfur content of fuel and good combustion practices are the principle SO₂ control technologies determined as BACT for fuel oil-fired simple cycle gas turbines. The lowest SO₂ emission rate listed in the RBLC is combustion of ULSD at 0.0015 percent sulfur by weight (% S by wt.).

i. Identification of SO₂ Control Technology for the Simple Cycle Gas Turbines

From research, DEC identified the following technologies as available for control of SO₂ emissions from fuel oil-fired simple cycle gas turbines rated at 25 MW or greater:

1. Ultra Low Sulfur Diesel (ULSD)

ULSD has a fuel sulfur content of 0.0015 % S by wt. or less. Using ULSD would reduce SO₂ emissions because the fuel oil-fired simple cycle gas turbines are mostly combusting No. 2 fuel oil that has a sulfur content averaging around 0.35 % S by wt. for half of the year (April 1 through September 31). Switching to ULSD for the other half of the year would result in around a 99.5 percent decrease in SO₂ emissions from the fuel oil-fired simple cycle gas turbines. DEC considers ULSD a technically feasible control technology for the fuel oil-fired simple cycle gas turbines.

2. No. 1 Fuel Oil (maximum sulfur content of 0.1 % S by wt.)

No. 1 fuel oil has a sulfur content of 0.1 % S by wt. (1,000 ppmw) or less. Using fuel with a sulfur content of 0.1 % S by wt. would reduce SO₂ emissions because the fuel oil-fired simple cycle gas turbines are mostly combusting No. 2 fuel oil that has a sulfur content of around 0.35 % S by wt. for half of the year (April 1 through September 31). Switching to No. 1 fuel oil would result in an approximate 67.5 percent decrease in SO₂ emissions from the fuel oil-fired simple cycle gas turbines. DEC considers low sulfur diesel a technically feasible control technology for the fuel oil-fired simple cycle gas turbines.

b. Eliminate Technically Infeasible SO₂ Technologies for the Simple Cycle Gas Turbines

All control technologies identified are technically feasible for the fuel oil-fired simple cycle gas turbines.

c. Rank point the Remaining SO₂ Control Technologies for the Simple Cycle Gas Turbines

The following control technologies have been identified and ranked for control of SO₂ from the fuel oil-fired simple cycle gas turbines (Table III.K.13.F-13):

Table III.K.13.F-13. Control Technologies

| Control Technology | Control Level |
|---------------------------|----------------------|
| Ultra Low Sulfur Diesel | 99.5% Control |
| No. 1 Fuel Oil | 67.5% Control |

Table Note: Control technologies already required at the stationary source, including burning ULSD for half the year and practicing good combustion practices, or those included in the design of the EU are considered 0% control for the purposes of this four-factor analysis.

d. Evaluate the Most Effective Controls

GVEA provided an economic analysis for the Serious SIP BACT exercise for switching the fuel combusted in the simple cycle gas turbines to ULSD. DEC used this cost analysis and an update provided by GVEA for the cost per gallon of ULSD, No. 1, and No. 2 fuel oils delivered to the NPPP between January 2019 and October 2020 to perform our cost analyses.

i. Department Evaluation of BACT for SO₂ Emissions from the Simple Cycle Gas Turbines

DEC's cost analyses calculated a cost per ton of SO₂ emissions removed resulting from a switch to ULSD. There is no capital cost involved with this fuel switch for EUs 1 and 2. Therefore, the only value driving cost for the evaluation was the yearly cost difference in fuel prices between No. 2 fuel oil compared to ULSD and No. 1 fuel oil. From January 2019 through October 2020, the average price per gallon of ULSD delivered to the NPPP was \$1.918. This is \$0.250 more per gallon than the cost of No. 2 fuel oil at 1.668. Note that during this same time period, the average price per gallon for No. 1 fuel oil was \$1.618, which is \$0.05 cheaper than No. 2 fuel oil. EUs 1 and 2 are already required to switch to ULSD (SO₂ BACT) for half of the year (October through

March). Therefore, the RH cost calculations used half of the total fuel used during the highest SO₂ emitting year as well as half of the total SO₂ emissions for that year.

A summary of these analyses is shown in Table III.K.13.F-14 and Table III.K.13.F-15.

Table III.K.13.F-14. Department Economic Analysis for Technically Feasible SO₂ Controls for EU 1

| Control Alternative | 2016 SO ₂ Emissions (tons) | Emission Reduction (tpy) | Total Capital Investment (\$) | Total Annualized Costs (\$/year) | Cost Effectiveness (\$/ton) |
|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| ULSD | 18.94 | 18.85 | N/A | \$206,296 | \$10,946 |
| No. 1 Fuel Oil | 18.94 | 12.90 | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Capital Recovery Factor = 0.0 (There is no capital investment involved with this cost calculation) | | | | | |

Table III.K.13.F-15. Department Economic Analysis for Technically Feasible SO₂ Controls for EU 2

| Control Alternative | 2019 SO ₂ Emissions (tons) | Emission Reduction (tpy) | Total Capital Investment (\$) | Total Annualized Costs (\$/year) | Cost Effectiveness (\$/ton) |
|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| ULSD | 125.34 | 124.72 | N/A | \$1,420,905 | 11,393 |
| No. 1 Fuel Oil | 125.34 | 83.78 | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Capital Recovery Factor = 0.0 (There is no capital investment involved with this cost calculation) | | | | | |

DEC's cost of compliance economic analysis indicates the level of SO₂ reduction does not justify the use of ULSD for the fuel oil-fired simple cycle gas turbines at the NPPP (\$11,393/ton). No. 1 fuel oil (maximum sulfur content of 0.1 percent by weight) costs approximately \$0.05 per gallon less to purchase than No. 2 fuel oil from Petro Star, Inc.'s North Pole Refinery, and would result in approximately 13 less tons of SO₂ emissions from EU 1 in 2016 and 84 less tons of SO₂ emissions from EU 2 in 2019; for the highest emitting years reviewed for the respective turbines. No. 1 fuel oil contains a slightly lower fuel heat content of 133.4 MMBtu/kgal compared to No. 2 fuel oil at 138.3 MMBtu/kgal as reported by GVEA in the 2019 NEI.⁴ However, the 3.5% reduction in fuel heat content in No. 1 fuel oil compared to No. 2 fuel oil is offset by the 3.1% reduction in price.

Therefore, DEC finds it cost effective for the NPPP to switch to combusting No. 1 fuel oil in EUs 1 and 2. This finding is predicated on the assumption that GVEA will be able to purchase No. 1 fuel oil from the Petro Star North Pole Refinery. If the North Pole Refinery is not able to

⁴ [National Emissions Inventory \(NEI\) | Air Emissions Inventories | US EPA](#)

supply GVEA with No. 1 fuel oil due to shortages in supply, the NPPP may continue to burn No. 2 fuel oil in EUs 1 and 2 until such time as No. 1 fuel oil is again available.

e. Selection of SO₂ Controls for the Simple Cycle Gas Turbines

DEC's finding is that the control selected for this RH evaluation for SO₂ emissions from the fuel oil-fired simple cycle gas turbines is as follows:

SO₂ emissions from EUs 1 and 2 shall be controlled by limiting the sulfur content of fuel combusted in the turbines to no more than 0.1 percent by weight (1,000 ppmw, No. 1 fuel oil).⁵

Compliance with the proposed fuel sulfur content limit will be demonstrated with fuel shipment receipts and/or fuel test results for sulfur content.

2. Cost of Compliance for the Fuel Oil-Fired Combined Cycle Gas Turbine (EU 5)

The cost of compliance estimates the values of capital costs, annual operating and maintenance costs, annualized costs, and cost per ton of emission reductions that have been prepared according to EPA's Air Pollution Control Cost Manual. Costs are expressed in terms of cost effectiveness in the standardized unit of dollars per ton of actual SO₂ emissions reduced. DEC used information from the BACT analyses completed for the Fairbanks Serious SIP for SO₂ to complete the cost of compliance analyses. This information included previous BACT determinations found in the RBLC database, internet research, and BACT analyses submitted to DEC by GVEA for the NPPP and Zehnder Facility.

The RBLC was searched for all determinations in the last 10 years under the process code 15.290 for combined cycle gas turbines (rated at 25 MW or more) The search results for combined cycle gas turbines are summarized in Table III.K.13.F-16.

Table III.K.13.F-16. RBLC Summary of SO₂ Controls for Fuel Oil-Fired Combined Cycle Gas Turbines

| Control Technology | Number of Determinations | Emission Limits |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|
| Ultra-Low Sulfur Diesel | 1 | 0.0015 % S by wt. |

a. RBLC Review

A review of similar units in the RBLC indicates that limiting the sulfur content of fuel is the principle SO₂ control technologies determined as BACT for fuel oil-fired combined cycle gas turbines. The lone SO₂ limit listed in the RBLC is for combustion of ULSD.

⁵ In the event that the North Pole Refinery is not able to supply GVEA with No. 1 fuel oil due to shortages in supply, the North Pole Power Plant may continue to burn No. 2 fuel oil in EUs 1 and 2 until such time as No. 1 fuel oil is again available.

i. Identification of SO₂ Control Technology for the Fuel Oil-fired Combined Cycle Gas Turbines

From research, DEC identified the following technologies as available for control of SO₂ emissions from fuel oil-fired combined cycle gas turbines rated at 25 MW or greater:

1. Ultra Low Sulfur Diesel (ULSD)

The methods by which combusting ULSD reduces sulfur emissions was discussed in detail in Section 1.a.ii.1.a.ii - Identification of SO₂ Control Technology for the fuel oil-fired simple cycle turbines, and will not be repeated here. DEC considers ULSD a technically feasible control technology for the fuel oil-fired combined cycle gas turbines

2. Light Straight Run Turbine Fuel (LSR)

EU 5 typically combusts LSR when not in startup. The sulfur content of the LSR is limited to no more than 50 ppmv as required by Condition 5.1 of Minor Permit AQ0110MSS01. DEC considers operating LSR a technically feasible control technology for the fuel oil-fired combined cycle gas turbines.

b. Eliminate Technically Infeasible SO₂ Technologies for the Combined Cycle Gas Turbines

All control technologies identified are technically feasible for the fuel oil-fired combined cycle gas turbines.

c. Rank point the Remaining SO₂ Control Technologies for the Combined Cycle Gas Turbines

The following control technology has been identified and ranked for control of SO₂ from the fuel oil-fired combined cycle gas turbines (Table III.K.13.F-17):

Table III.K.13.F-17. Control Technology

| Control Technology | Control Level |
|---------------------------|----------------------|
| Ultra Low Sulfur Diesel | 77.2% Control |

Table Note: Control technologies already required at the stationary source, including burning LSR except during startup and practicing good combustion practices, or those included in the design of the EU are considered 0% control for the purposes of this four-factor analysis.

d. Evaluate the Most Effective Controls

GVEA provided an economic analysis for the Serious SIP BACT exercise for switching the fuel combusted in the combined cycle gas turbine to ULSD. DEC used this cost analysis and an update provided by GVEA for the cost per gallon of No. 1 fuel oil, ULSD and LSR delivered to the NPPP between January 2019 and October 2020 to perform our cost analysis.

i. Department Evaluation of BACT for SO₂ Emissions from the Combined Cycle Gas Turbines

DECs cost analysis calculated a cost per ton of SO₂ emissions removed resulting from a switch to ULSD. There is no capital cost involved with this fuel switch for EU 5. Therefore, the only value driving cost for the evaluation was the yearly cost difference in fuel prices between LSR and No. 1 (used during start-up) compared to ULSD.

A summary of these analyses is shown in Table III.K.13.F-18.

Table III.K.13.F-18. Department Economic Analysis for Technically Feasible SO₂ Controls for EU 5

| Control Alternative | 2016 SO₂ Emissions (tons) | Emission Reduction (tpy) | Total Capital Investment (\$) | Total Annualized Costs (\$/year) | Cost Effectiveness (\$/ton) |
|--|---|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|
| ULSD | 10.75 | 8.30 | N/A | \$12,802,923 | \$1,542,463 |
| Capital Recovery Factor = 0.0 (There is no capital investment involved with this cost calculation) | | | | | |

DEC's cost of compliance economic analysis indicates the level of SO₂ reduction does not justify the use of ULSD for the fuel oil-fired combined cycle gas turbine at the NPPP (\$1,542,463/ton). Therefore, there is no emission limit or control selected for EU 5 as a part of the RH economic analysis. DEC notes that this analysis was based on actual emissions and therefore only EU 5 was evaluated. However, the Permittee is authorized to install an identical fuel oil-fired combined cycle gas turbine (EU 6) under prior air quality permitting. Therefore, this evaluation for EU 5 is also considered an evaluation for EU 6 upon installation.

3. Time Necessary for Compliance

DEC chose to require GVEA to make a switch to fuel oil with a maximum sulfur content of 0.1 percent by weight (1,000 ppmw, No. 1 fuel oil) for EUs 1 and 2. GVEA shall submit a permit application by January 1, 2024, to make this fuel switch enforceable and the requirement to combust No. 1 fuel oil will be effective January 1, 2025.

4. Energy and Non-Air Quality Environmental Impacts

No. 1 fuel oil contains slightly less fuel heat content at 133.4 MMBtu/kgal compared to No. 2 fuel oil at 138.3 MMBtu/kgal as reported by GVEA in the 2019 NEIs. This results in approximately a 3.5% reduction in fuel heat content compared to No. 2 fuel oil. Therefore, the stationary source will have to combust slightly more fuel to make the same power output. However, this slight increase in fuel consumption will be offset by the approximately 68% reduction in SO₂ emissions resulting from combusting the lower sulfur fuel oil.

5. Remaining Useful Life of the Source

At this time, DEC anticipates the NPPP will be operating indefinitely. DEC continues to track changes at point sources through its Title I and Title V permitting programs and is considering whether to include requirements to maintain operating and maintenance schedules on site, that could be included in operating permit renewals. This would include maintaining an anticipated equipment replacement schedule and potentially dates for expected source retirement.

DEC Regional Haze Findings for GVEA's North Pole Power Plant

Finding: DEC finds that it is cost effective and feasible for GVEA to switch EUs 1 and 2 to fuel oil with a maximum sulfur content of 0.1 percent by weight (1,000 ppmw, No. 1 fuel oil). This finding is predicated on the assumption that GVEA will be able to purchase No. 1 fuel oil from the Petro Star North Pole Refinery. If the North Pole Refinery is not able to supply GVEA with No. 1 fuel oil due to shortages in supply, the NPPP may continue to burn No. 2 fuel oil in EUs 1 and 2 until such time as No. 1 fuel oil is again available.

On or before January 1, 2024, GVEA shall submit a Title I permit application to DEC that includes a RH requirement to limit the sulfur content of fuel combusted in EUs 1 and 2 to fuel oil with a maximum sulfur content of 0.1 percent by weight (1,000 ppmw, No. 1 fuel oil) to be effective no later than January 1, 2025. A summary of DEC's findings is as follows:

Table III.K.13.F-19. Final Determination for GVEA – North Pole Power Plant

| Pollutant | Regional Haze Controls | Regional Haze Determination | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|---|---|---|---|
| <i>EUs 1 and 2 – Fuel Oil-Fired Simple Cycle Gas Turbines - 672 MMBtu/hr (each)</i> | | | |
| SO ₂ | Clean Fuel Switch to No. 1 fuel oil | Switch to fuel oil with a maximum sulfur content of 0.1 percent by weight (1,000 ppmw, No. 1 Fuel Oil)* | Submit permit application by January 1, 2024 Expect permit issuance by January 1, 2025 |
| <i>EUs 5 and 6 – Combined Cycle Gas Turbines - 455 MMBtu/hr (each)</i> | | | |
| SO ₂ | Already Effectively Controlled (50 ppmw sulfur limit in fuel except during startup) | No Additional Control | N/A |

* This finding is predicated on the assumption that GVEA will be able to purchase No. 1 fuel oil from the Petro Star North Pole Refinery. If the North Pole Refinery is not able to supply GVEA with No. 1 fuel oil due to shortages in supply, the NPPP may continue to burn No. 2 fuel oil in EUs 1 and 2 until such time as No. 1 fuel oil is again available.

b. Golden Valley Electric Association: Healy Power Plant

The Healy Power Plant is an electric generating facility owned and operated by GVEA, and GVEA is the Permittee for the stationary source's Title V Operating Permit AQ0173TVP03. The SIC code for this stationary source is 4911 – Electrical Power Generation. The primary power generating units include two coal-fired steam generators: the 25-MW Foster-Wheeler Unit No. 1 (EU 1) and the 54-MW TRW Integrated Entrained Combustion System (EU 2) formerly known as the Healy Clean Coal Project (HCCP). The stationary source also operates two Cleaver

Brooks standby building boilers (EUs 3 and 4), one standby diesel generator (EU 5), and a firewater pump engine (EU 13). These emissions units (EUs) are listed below in Table III.K.13.F-20.

Table III.K.13.F-20. Healy Power Plant Emission Unit Inventory

| EU ID | Emissions Unit Name | Emissions Unit Description | Rating/Size | Construction Date |
|--------------|--|---|--------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 | Unit No. 1 | Foster-Wheeler Boiler, pulverized coal fired steam generator with a 12 module ICA baghouse, SN 78-266 | 327 MMBtu/hr | November 1967 |
| 2 | Unit No. 2 | TRW Integrated Entrained Combustion System, pulverized coal-fired steam generator with Joy activated recycle spray dryer absorber and Joy pulse jet fabric filter, SN 1 | 658 MMBtu/hr | 1996 |
| 3 | Auxiliary Boiler No. 1 | Cleaver Brooks CB 189-300, Standby process and building boiler, SN L-39759, Diesel-fired | 12.554 MMBtu/hr | 1967 |
| 4 | Auxiliary Boiler No. 2 | Cleaver Brooks CB 100-800-15, Standby process and building boiler, SN OLO94777, Diesel-fired | 23.0 MMBtu/hr | 1996 |
| 5 | Diesel Generator No. 1 | Electro-Motive Diesel, EMD 20-645-E4, SN 67-B1-1152 (engine) Standby diesel generator, SN A-20-D (generator) | 2.75 MW | 1967 |
| 6 | Crusher System | Crusher System2 SN 885247 (Secondary Crusher No. 1) SN 844034 (Secondary Crusher No. 2) | 12,000 cfm | 1996 |
| 73 | Limestone Storage Silo | Limestone Storage Silo with baghouse | 800 cfm | 1996 |
| 8 | Flyash Storage Silo | Flyash Storage Silo with baghouse | 5,000 cfm | 1996 |
| 9 | Sodium Bicarbonate Handling System | Sodium bicarbonate handling system4 | 440 cfm | 1998 |
| 10 | Coal Handling System (dust collector #2) | Coal Handling System5 | 20,000 cfm | 1996 |

| EU ID | Emissions Unit Name | Emissions Unit Description | Rating/Size | Construction Date |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|---|---|-------------------|
| 13 | Firewater Pump Engine | Caterpillar Diesel Model 3406B, Diesel-fired firewater pump engine; SN 6TB14931 | 264 hp | 1997 |
| Fugitive Emission Sources | | | | |
| 11 | Haul Road | Haul Road (located on GVEA property) from Usibelli Coal Mine property line to coal pile | 0.25 miles | 1967 |
| 12 | Coal Storage Pile | Open Coal Storage Piles | Up to 15-day coal supply, with both EU IDs 1 and 2 in operation | 1967 |

For the second implementation period RH SIP update, DEC performed a limited review in place of a full four-factor analysis because the stationary source already has dry sorbent injection (DSI) emissions controls installed on EU 1 and has spray dry absorber (SDA) emissions controls installed on EU 2. Additionally, GVEA is under a Consent Decree (CD) with the EPA which requires GVEA to decide on or before December 31, 2022, to either install SCR (or an alternative NO_x control technology approved by EPA) on EU 1 or retire the boiler. The deadline to have SCR installed on EU 1 or have the EU retired is no later than December 31, 2024. DEC looked back over the previous six-year period (2014-2019) for which data is currently available to determine the source's SO₂ emissions. Table III.K.13.F-21 shows SO₂ emissions reported to DEC through the NEI for 2014 and 2016 through 2019 (the years that NEI information was available for the source) and used the emissions fee estimate for 2015.

Table III.K.13.F-21. Healy Power Plant SO₂ Emissions

| Calendar Year | Coal-Fired Boilers SO ₂ Emitted (tons) | Other EUs SO ₂ Emitted (tons) | Total SO ₂ Emitted (tons) |
|---------------|---|--|--------------------------------------|
| 2019 | 318.09 | 0.00 | 318.09 |
| 2018 | 376.02 | 0.00 | 376.02 |
| 2017 | 296.40 | 0.00 | 296.40 |
| 2016 | 427.20 | 0.00 | 427.20 |
| 2015 | 689.00 | 0.00 | 689.00 |
| 2014 | 444.94 | 0.00 | 444.94 |

As can be seen from Table III.K.13.F-21, the SO₂ emissions emitted at the Healy Power Plant are from the two coal-fired boilers EUs 1 and 2, which DEC focused on. Condition 44 of Operating Permit AQ0173TVP03 limits EU 2 to a SO₂ emissions rate of not more than 0.10 lb/MMBtu, and Condition 44.1 requires EU 2 to use SDA when in operation. Condition 45 of Operating Permit AQ0173TVP03 limits EU 1 to a SO₂ emissions rate of not more than 0.30 lb/MMBtu, and Condition 45.1 requires EU 1 to use DSI when in operation. Section II.B.3.f. of the Guidance

Document discusses selecting sources that already have effective emission control technology in place. The Guidance Document states the following:

“It may be reasonable for a state not to select an effectively controlled source. A source may already have effective controls in place as a result of a previous RH SIP or to meet another CAA requirement. In general, if post-combustion controls were selected and installed recently (see illustrative examples below) to meet a CAA requirement, there will be only a low likelihood of a significant technological advancement that could provide further reasonable emission reductions having been made in the intervening period. If a source owner has recently made a significant expenditure that has resulted in significant reductions of visibility impairing pollutants at an emissions unit, it may be reasonable for the state to assume that additional controls for that unit are unlikely to be reasonable for the upcoming implementation period. A state that does not select a source or sources for the following or any similar reasons should explain why the decision is consistent with the requirement to make reasonable progress, i.e., why it is reasonable to assume for the purposes of efficiency and prioritization that a full four-factor analysis would likely result in the conclusion that no further controls are necessary.”

In addition, Section II.B.3.f. of the Guidance Document also goes on to state:

“BART-eligible units that installed and began operating controls to meet BART emission limits for the first implementation period, on a pollutant-specific basis. Although the Regional Haze Rule anticipates the re-assessment of BART-eligible sources under the reasonable progress Rule provisions, if a source installed and is currently operating controls to meet BART emission limits, it may be unlikely that there will be further available reasonable controls for such sources. However, states may not categorically exclude all BART-eligible sources, or all sources that installed BART controls, as candidates for selection for analysis of control measures.”

Section II.B.3.d. of the Guidance Document discusses the option to consider the four statutory factors when selecting sources and states the following:

“EPA expects that, typically, states are more likely to select sources based on visibility impacts and not consider the four reasonable progress factors (i.e., cost of compliance, remaining useful life, time necessary for compliance, and energy and non-air quality environmental impacts) until after a source is selected. However, in some cases, a state may already have information on one or more of the four reasonable progress factors at the time of source selection. If so, the state may consider that information at the source-selection stage. In particular circumstances, that information may indicate that it is reasonable to exclude the source for evaluation of emission control measures because it is clear at this step that no additional control measures would be adopted for the source. The source-selection step is intended to add flexibility and discretion to the state planning process – ultimately, the state decides which sources to consider for reasonable progress.”

DEC has chosen not to perform a full four-factor analysis on the Healy Power Plant because the two coal-fired boilers already have SO₂ emissions controls. Additionally, EU 1 may be retired in

the near future and already went through a BART analysis during the first implementation period RH SIP that found additional SO₂ controls on the EU to be cost ineffective. In the case of EU 2, the coal-fired boiler has an emissions limit of 0.10 lb/MMBtu with SDA, which is half the emissions limit given in the Guidance Document's example of a coal-fired boiler electrical generating unit that is equipped with flue gas desulfurization (which includes DSI and SDA) that meets a 0.2 lb/MMBtu emission rate. Although EU 1 has a less stringent emissions limit of 0.30 lb/MMBtu, the boiler is equipped with DSI using sodium bicarbonate, which the EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual estimates can achieve control efficiencies of 50 to 70%.⁶ The emissions data reported via the NEI from the continuous emissions monitoring system for EU 1 over the previous three-year period for which data is available (2017-2019) showed an average SO₂ emissions rate of 0.26 lb/MMBtu. Additionally, the CD requires GVEA to decide on or before December 31, 2022, to either install SCR (or an alternative control technology approved by EPA) on EU 1 or retire the boiler. As of September 30, 2021, GVEA has yet to decide on adding additional controls or retiring the EU.

The 2010 Regional Haze BART determination⁷ for Healy EU 1 found that the incremental cost effectiveness for the addition of a spray dry absorber system was \$29,813 per ton of SO₂ removed and for a wet scrubber system was \$12,033 per ton of SO₂ removed. In line with the Guidance Document, DEC believes that there has been no significant cost reductions in the previous decade that would warrant re-evaluating the addition of these two types of controls for EU 1 as they would still be considered cost ineffective. However, the previous BART determination found that optimizing the already installed DSI system on EU 1 would cost \$4,218 per ton of SO₂ removed. It is possible that a re-evaluation of DSI optimization for EU 1 could result in a cost effectiveness finding by DEC. Therefore, in the event that GVEA chooses not to retire EU 1, DEC will require that GVEA complete a full four-factor analysis for DSI optimization and submit the final four factor analysis to DEC by July 1, 2023. Alternatively, GVEA may establish an enforceable emission limit for SO₂ of 0.20 lb/MMBtu by submitting an application for a permit amendment by January 1, 2024. It would be expected that a permit would be issued by January 1, 2025, which would result in EU 1 being considered an effectively controlled EU per the Guidance Document.

Final Determination for GVEA Healy Power Plant

The conclusion of DEC's limited review for GVEA's Healy Power Plant is that EU 2 is effectively controlled, and the stationary source is in the process of deciding to retire the older coal-fired boiler EU 1 or add on SCR controls. EU 1 has the highest SO₂ emissions per MMBtu of energy consumed in all GVEA's emissions unit inventory, and the Healy Power Plant is their closest stationary source to a Class I area (Denali). Therefore, if GVEA decides to retire EU 1 this would result in a shift of electricity generation to other EUs owned by GVEA's fleet of emissions units, which would result in a net reduction of SO₂ emissions. If GVEA elects not to retire EU 1, there will be a reduction in NO_x emissions as SCR would be installed which should have a positive impact on visibility. Additionally, DEC will require GVEA to complete a full four-factor analysis for DSI optimization and submit the final four factor analysis to DEC by

⁶ EPA Air Pollution Control Cost Manual Section 5 SO₂ and Acid Gas Controls Chapter 1.2.1.3: <https://www.regulations.gov/document?D=EPA-HQ-OAR-2015-0341-0082>.

⁷ See the Appendix III.K.6 Best Available Retrofit Technology (BART) Documentation PDF on DEC's website: <https://dec.alaska.gov/air/anpms/regional-haze/sip/>.

July 1, 2023, or establish an enforceable emission limit for SO₂ of 0.20 lb/MMBtu by submitting an application for a permit amendment by January 1, 2024. It would be expected that a permit would be issued by January 1, 2025, which would result in EU 1 being considered effectively controlled EU per the Guidance Document. DEC will continue to monitor the status of GVEA's decision with respects to their CD with the EPA. A summary of DEC's RH findings are as follows:

Table III.K.13.F-22. Final Determination for GVEA – Healy Power Plant

| Pollutant | Regional Haze Controls | Regional Haze Determination | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|---|--|---|---|
| <i>EU 1 – Coal-Fired Boiler with DSI - 327 MMBtu/hr</i> | | | |
| SO ₂ | Option 1 – Consent Decree | Retire EU 1 by December 31, 2024 | Decision by December 31, 2022 Retirement effective no later than December 31, 2024 |
| | Option 2 – Four Factor Analysis | Submit a four-factor analysis for DSI optimization to DEC | Submit Four-Factor Analysis by July 1, 2023 |
| | Option 3 – Enforceable Limit | Establish enforceable emission limit of 0.20 lb/MMBtu | Submit permit application by January 1, 2024 Expect permit issuance by January 1, 2025 |
| <i>EU 2 – Coal-Fired Boiler with SDA - 658 MMBtu/hr</i> | | | |
| SO ₂ | Already Effectively Controlled (0.10 lb/MMBtu emission rate with Spray Dry Absorber) | No Additional Controls | N/A |

c. Aurora Energy, LLC: Chena Power Plant

The Chena Power Plant is an electric generating facility owned and operated by Aurora Energy, LLC (Aurora), and Aurora is the permittee for the stationary source's Title V Operating Permit AQ0315TVP04 Revision 1. The SIC code for this stationary source is 4911 - Electric Services. The Chena Power Plant is a co-generation power plant that is designed to supply the local power grid with up to 27.5 megawatts of electrical power and provide steam and hot water heat to commercial and residential customers in the city of Fairbanks. The power producing units consist of four coal-fired boilers. These EUs are listed below in Table III.K.13.F-23 and Table III.K.13.F-24.

Table III.K.13.F-23. Chena Power Plant Emission Unit Inventory

| EU ID | Emissions Unit Name | Emissions Unit Description | Rating/Size | Installation or Construction Date |
|--------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| 1 | Coal Preparation Plant | Exhaust and Fugitive Emissions | 75 tons/hour | 1950 ¹ |
| 2 | Coal Stockpile | Fugitive Emissions | 0.59 acre | 1950 ² |
| 3 | Ash Vacuum Pump Exhaust | Ash System Baghouse Exhaust | 24,187 tons/yr (of ash) | 1997 |
| 4 | Chena 1 Coal-Fired Boiler | Full Stream Baghouse Exhaust | 76.8 MMBtu/hr | 1952 |
| 5 | Chena 2 Coal-Fired Boiler | Full Stream Baghouse Exhaust | 76.8 MMBtu/hr | 1952 |
| 6 | Chena 3 Coal-Fired Boiler | Full Stream Baghouse Exhaust | 76.8 MMBtu/hr | 1954 |
| 7 | Chena 5 Coal-Fired Boiler | Full Stream Baghouse Exhaust | 254.7 MMBtu/hr | 1970 |

Table Notes: ¹ EU ID 1 was modified in 1990.

² EU ID 2 was modified in 2013.

Table III.K.13.F-24. Chena Power Plant Fugitive Emission Unit Inventory

| EU ID | Emissions Unit Name | Emissions Unit Description | Rating/Size | Installation or Construction Date |
|--------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------|--|
| 8 | Truck Bay Ash Loadout | Bottom of silo – Fugitive Emissions | N/A | 1952 |
| 9 | Paved Roadways | Fugitive Emissions | N/A | 1950 |

The Chena Power Plant recently went through an emissions control analysis as a part of the designation of the FNSB nonattainment area as “Serious” with regard to nonattainment of the 2006 24-hour PM_{2.5} NAAQS which was published in Federal Register Vol. 82, No. 89, May 10, 2017, pages 21703-21706. CAA section 189(b)(1)(B) and 40 C.F.R. § 51.1010 describe the Serious area attainment plan requirements for BACM/BACT. Large stationary sources are a subgroup of emissions sources that are given special attention in the required BACM/BACT analysis. Per federal requirement, DEC evaluated all point sources with emissions greater than 70 TPY of PM_{2.5} or for any individual PM_{2.5} precursor (NO_x, SO₂, NH₃, VOCs). This evaluation resulted in the following emissions controls contained in Table III.K.13.F-25, which are those required in Table 7.7-10 of the Amendments to: State Air Quality Control Plan Vol II: III.D.7.7 Control Strategies document; adopted November 19, 2019.³

Table III.K.13.F-25. BACT and SIP Findings Summary Table for Chena Power Plant

| Pollutant | BACT Emission Limit | BACT Control Device or Operational Limitation | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|---|----------------------------|--|---|
| <i>EUs 4 through 7 - Coal-Fired Boilers - 497 MMBtu/hr (combined)</i> | | | |
| NO _x | Precursor Demonstration* | No additional control | N/A |
| SO ₂ | 0.25% sulfur by weight | Certified Statement of Sulfur Content | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 Effective no later than June 9, 2021 |
| | 0.301 lb/MMBtu (3-hr avg.) | No Additional Controls (periodic source testing) | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 Effective no later than June 9, 2021 |

Section II.B.3.f. of the Guidance Document discusses selecting sources that have recently undergone emission control technology review. The Guidance Document states the following:

“New, reconstructed, or modified emission units that went through Best Available Control Technology (BACT) review under the Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) program or Lowest Achievable Emission Rate (LAER) review under the nonattainment new source review program for major sources and received a construction permit on or after July 31, 2013,46 on a pollutant-specific basis. The statutory considerations for selection of BACT and LAER are also similar to, if not more stringent than, the four statutory factors for reasonable progress.”

DEC Regional Haze Findings for Chena Power Plant

DEC’s recent analysis of the Chena Power Plant for the Serious nonattainment area resulted in a limit on the sulfur content of the coal received at the stationary source as well as an SO₂ limit on the coal-fired boilers themselves. Taking into consideration the BACT analysis recently performed for the nonattainment area and the sulfur limits already imposed by this effort, DEC will not further evaluate the Chena Power Plant for the second implementation period of RH planning. A summary of DEC’s RH findings are as follows:

Table III.K.13.F-26. Final Determination for Chena Power Plant

| Pollutant | Regional Haze Controls | Regional Haze Determination | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|---|--|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <i>EUs 4 through 7 - Coal-Fired Boilers - 497 MMBtu/hr (combined)</i> | | | |
| SO ₂ | Already Effectively Controlled (0.301 lb/MMBtu; 0.25% sulfur by weight in coal)* | No Additional Controls | N/A |

* Background and detailed information regarding Fairbanks PM_{2.5} State Implementation Plan (SIP) can be found at <http://dec.alaska.gov/air/anpms/communities/fbks-pm2-5-serious-sip/>.

d. US Air Force: Eielson Air Force Base

The Eielson Air Force Base (Eielson AFB) is owned and operated by the United States Air Force (USAF), and the USAF is the permittee for the stationary source's Title V Operating Permit AQ0264TVP02 Revision 5. The SIC code for this stationary source is 9711 – National Security. Eielson AFB consists of an operational airfield, residential housing, office buildings, gas stations, utilities, military police and fire departments, public schools, chapels, hospital facilities, retail stores, recreational facilities, and more. The stationary source's EUs are listed below in Table III.K.13.F-27.

Table III.K.13.F-27. Eielson Air Force Base Emission Unit Inventory

| EU ID | Emission Unit Name | Emission Unit Description | Rating/Size | Install Date |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Coal Fired Boilers1 | | | | |
| 1 | CH&PP Main Boiler #1 | Springfield Boiler | 120,000 lb/hr | 1952 |
| 2 | CH&PP Main Boiler #2 | Springfield Boiler | 120,000 lb/hr | 1952 |
| 3 | CH&PP Main Boiler #3 | Springfield Boiler | 120,000 lb/hr | 1952 |
| 4 | CH&PP Main Boiler #4 | Springfield Boiler | 120,000 lb/hr | 1952 |
| 5A | CH&PP Main Replacement Boiler #5 | Coal-Fired Boiler | 120,000 lb/hr | 2016 |
| 6A | CH&PP Main Replacement Boiler #6 | Coal-Fired Boiler | 120,000 lb/hr | 2014 |
| Liquid Fuel Fired Boilers | | | | |
| 7 | Auxiliary Heating Plant Boiler #1 | Cleaver Brooks Boiler | 58.7 MMBtu/hr | 2002 |
| 8 | Auxiliary Heating Plant Boiler #2 | Cleaver Brooks Boiler | 58.7 MMBtu/hr | 2002 |
| 9 | Missile Storage Boiler #1 | Cleaver Brooks Boiler | 3.3 MMBtu/hr | 1991 |
| 10 | Missile Storage Boiler #2 | Cleaver Brooks Boiler | 2.9 MMBtu/hr | 1993 |
| 11 | Alert Hangar Boiler #1 | Cleaver Brooks Boiler | 6.0 MMBtu/hr | 2008 |
| 12 | Alert Hangar Boiler #2 | Cleaver Brooks Boiler | 6.0 MMBtu/hr | 2008 |
| 13 | Waste Water Treatment Boiler #12 | Cleaver Brooks Boiler | 6.7 MMBtu/hr | 2012 |
| 14 | Waste Water Treatment Boiler #2 | Cleaver Brooks Boiler | 6.7 MMBtu/hr | 2012 |
| 15 | Auxiliary Heating Plant II Boiler #1 | --TBD; Not Installed-- | 98 MMBtu/hr | TBD |

| EU ID | Emission Unit Name | Emission Unit Description | Rating/Size | Install Date |
|---|---|----------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| 16 | Auxiliary Heating Plant II Boiler #2 | --TBD; Not Installed-- | 98 MMBtu/hr | TBD |
| Propane Fired Heaters | | | | |
| 17 | Corrosion Control Heater #1 | Midco Burner | 17.0 MMBtu/hr | 1987 |
| 18 | Corrosion Control Heater #2 | Midco Burner | 17.0 MMBtu/hr | 1987 |
| Diesel and Gasoline Fired Internal Combustion Engines | | | | |
| 19 | CH&PP Main Auxiliary Generator | EMD Diesel Engine | 2,500 kW | 1987 |
| 20 | CH&PP Auxiliary Power Generator #1 | Onan Diesel Engine | 1,125 kW | 1998 |
| 21 | CH&PP Auxiliary Power Generator #2 | Onan Diesel Engine | 1,125 kW | 1998 |
| 22 | CH&PP Auxiliary Power Generator #3 | Onan Diesel Engine | 1,125 kW | 1998 |
| 23 | CH&PP Auxiliary Power Generator #4 | Onan Diesel Engine | 1,125 kW | 1998 |
| 24 | Waste Water Treatment Generator | Caterpillar Diesel Engine | 500 kW | 1994 |
| 25 | Central Avenue (Clinic) Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 300 kW | 2006 |
| 26 | Refueling Station Generator- Oscar Row | Onan Diesel Engine | 750 kW | 1994 |
| 27 | Engineer Hill Generator | Onan Diesel Engine | 150 kW | 1987 |
| 28 | Alert Hangar Generator | Komatsu Diesel Engine | 100 kW | 1985 |
| 29 | Power Plant Fire Pump | Caterpillar Diesel Engine | 196 hp | 1987 |
| 30 | Missile Maintenance Generator | Onan-Cummins Diesel Engine | 125 kW | 2011 |
| 31 | Control Tower Generator | Onan Diesel Engine | 125 kW | 2005 |
| 32 | Telephone Exchange Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 125 kW | 2003 |
| 33 | Command Post Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 80 kW | 2009 |
| 34 | Airfield Lighting Generator | Onan Diesel Engine | 300 kW | 2003 |
| 35 | Fire Pump P8 (Thunder Dome #1) | Cummins Diesel Engine | 340 hp | 1989 |
| 36 | Fire Pump P9 (Thunder Dome #2) | Cummins Diesel Engine | 340 hp | 1989 |
| 37 | Fire Pump P10 (Thunder Dome #3) | Cummins Diesel Engine | 340 hp | 1989 |
| 38 | Fire Pump P11 (F-16 Hangar Pump #1) | Cummins Diesel Engine | 340 hp | 1986 |
| 39 | Fire Pump P12 (F-16 Hangar Pump #2) | Cummins Diesel Engine | 340 hp | 1986 |

| EU ID | Emission Unit Name | Emission Unit Description | Rating/Size | Install Date |
|-------|---|----------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| 40 | Fire Pump P13 (F-16 Hangar Pump #3) | Cummins Diesel Engine | 340 hp | 1986 |
| 41 | Fire Pump P19 (Hog Pen A-10s) | Detroit Diesel Engine | 235 hp | 1994 |
| 42 | Fire Pump P20 (Hog Pen A-10s) | Detroit Diesel Engine | 235 hp | 1994 |
| 43 | Fire Pump P6 – Fire Support | Caterpillar Diesel Engine | 121 hp | 1989 |
| 44 | Fire Pump P5 – Fire Support | Caterpillar Diesel Engine | 121 hp | 1990 |
| 45 | Fire Pump P1 – Fire Support | Caterpillar Diesel Engine | 121 hp | 1989 |
| 46 | Taxi Way #3 Fire Pump | Caterpillar Diesel Engine | 121 hp | 1989 |
| 47 | Pumphouse #3 Fire Pump | Caterpillar Diesel Engine | 121 hp | 1989 |
| 48 | Fire Pump P2 | Caterpillar Diesel Engine | 120 hp | 1989 |
| 49 | Communications Squadron Emergency Generator | Onan Diesel Engine | 100 kW | 2003 |
| 50 | Water Treatment Plant Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 300 kW | 2012 |
| 51 | Utilidor (Auxiliary Heat Plant) Emergency Generator | Onan Diesel Engine | 500 kW | 2002 |
| 52 | E-2 Complex Fuel Tank Emergency Generator | Kohler Power Diesel Engine | 475 kW | 2002 |
| 53 | Fuel Hydrant System Emergency Generator | Caterpillar Diesel Engine | 556 kW | 2002 |
| 54 | Joint Mobility Complex (JMC) Emergency Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 800 kW | 2002 |
| 55 | North ILS Generator | Onan Diesel Engine | 60 kW | 1993 |
| 56 | DET 460 Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 60 kW | 2010 |
| 57 | Conventional Munitions Fire Pump #1 | Detroit Diesel Engine | 120 hp | 1999 |
| 58 | Conventional Munitions Fire Pump #2 | Detroit Diesel Engine | 120 hp | 1999 |
| 59 | New Security Forces Facility Generator (CSC) | Cummins Diesel Engine | 350 kW | 2005 |
| 60 | Fire Stationary No. 1 Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 80 kW | 2003 |
| 61 | Base Supply Fire Pump | Cummins Diesel Engine | 208 hp | 1993 |
| 62 | 354 Wing MOC Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 100 kW | 2004 |
| 63 | F-Well pump | Cummins Diesel Engine | 230 hp | 2010 |
| 65 | Aircraft Arrestor Engine NW3 | Waukesha Gas Engine | 65 hp | 1970 |
| 66 | Aircraft Arrestor Engine NE | Waukesha Gas Engine | 65 hp | 1970 |
| 67 | Aircraft Arrestor Engine $\frac{3}{4}$ W | Waukesha Gas Engine | 65 hp | 1970 |
| 68 | Aircraft Arrestor Engine $\frac{3}{4}$ E | Waukesha Gas Engine | 65 hp | 1970 |
| 69 | Aircraft Arrestor Engine SE | Waukesha Gas Engine | 65 hp | 1970 |
| 70 | Aircraft Arrestor Engine SW | Waukesha Gas Engine | 65 hp | 1970 |

| EU ID | Emission Unit Name | Emission Unit Description | Rating/Size | Install Date |
|---|---|---|--------------------|---------------------|
| 71 | Loop Refueling (Type III Hydrant) Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine Emergency Generator | 450 kW | 2006 |
| 73 | 4 Bay Loop Hangar | Cummins Diesel Engine | 100 kW | 2010 |
| 74 | 8 Bay Loop Hangar | Cummins Diesel Engine | 200 kW | 2010 |
| 75 | Missile Maintenance Well Pump Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 60 kW | 2006 |
| 76 | E-2 Farm Fire Pump Emergency Generator | Deere Diesel Engine | 120 hp | 2005 |
| 77 | Dining Facility Emergency Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 230 kW | 2010 |
| 78 | Red Flag Emergency Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 50 kW | 2009 |
| 80 | Cooling Pond Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 350 kW | 2010 |
| Hush House (Jet Engine Test Facility) | | | | |
| 81 | Hush House | N/A | N/A | 1989 |
| Portable Asphalt/Rock Crusher Diesel Fired Internal Combustion Engines | | | | |
| 82 | Recycle Plant Engine | John Deere Diesel Engine | 450 hp | 2007 |
| 83 | Jaw Crusher Engine | John Deere Diesel Engine | 450 hp | 2008 |
| 84 | Hydrascreen Engine | Deutz Diesel Engine | 96 hp | 2007 |
| Fire Training | | | | |
| 85 | Fire Training | Fire Training Burn | N/A | N/A |
| Portable Asphalt/Rock Crusher Fugitives | | | | |
| 86 | Crusher #1 | Cobra 1000 Recycling Plant | 150 TPH | 2007 |
| 87 | Conveyor Transfer Point #1 | Transfer Point (Recycling Plant to Superior Stackable Conveyor) | 150 TPH | 2007 |
| 88 | Conveyor Transfer Point #2 | Transfer Point (Superior Stackable conveyor to 683 Hydrascreen) | 150 TPH | 2007 |
| 89 | Screening | Findlay 683 Hydrascreen | 150 TPH | 2007 |
| 90 | Conveyor Transfer Point #3 | Transfer Point (683 Hydrascreen to Oversize Return Conveyor Belt) | 50 TPH | 2007 |
| 91 | Conveyor Transfer Point #4 | Transfer Point (Oversize Conveyor Belt Return to Cobra 1000 Recycle Plant) | 50 TPH | 2007 |
| 92 | Conveyor Transfer Point #5 | Transfer Point (683 Hydrascreen to Second Deck Oversize Return Conveyor Belt) | 50 TPH | 2007 |
| 93 | Fines Screening | 683 Hydrascreen Fines Screen | 100 TPH | 2007 |
| 94 | Conveyor Transfer Point #6 | Transfer Point (Fines Screen to Fines Belt) | 100 TPH | 2007 |

| EU ID | Emission Unit Name | Emission Unit Description | Rating/Size | Install Date |
|---|--|---|-------------|--------------|
| 95 | Conveyor Transfer Point #7 | Transfer Point (Fines Belt to Superior Radial Stacking Conveyor) | 100 TPH | 2007 |
| 96 | Conveyor Transfer Point #8 | Transfer Point (Conveyor Discharge onto Asphalt Pile) | 100 TPH | 2007 |
| 97 | Jaw Crusher Feed | Jaw Crusher Dump Point | 150 TPH | 2008 |
| 98 | Conveyer Transfer Point #9 | Transfer Point (Jaw Crusher Screen to Superior Conveyer # 1) | 100 TPH | 2008 |
| 99 | Conveyer Transfer Point #10 | Transfer Point (Superior Conveyer # 1 to Superior Conveyer # 2) | 100 TPH | 2008 |
| 100 | Conveyer Transfer Point #11 | Transfer Point (Superior Conveyer # 2 discharge on to Asphalt Stockpile) | 100 TPH | 2008 |
| 101 | Crusher #2 | Jaw Crusher | 150 TPH | 2008 |
| 102 | Conveyer Transfer Point #12 | Transfer Point (Jaw Crusher Conveyer to Recycling Plant Feed Conveyer) | 150 TPH | 2008 |
| 103 | Conveyer Transfer Point #13 | Transfer Point (Jaw Crusher Conveyer to Cobra 1000 Recycling Plant) | 150 TPH | 2008 |
| Jet Kerosene (JP-8) Storage Tanks | | | | |
| 104 | South Ramp Loop Tank #6167 | AST – Internal Floating Roof Tank | 420,000 gal | 2006 |
| 105 | South Ramp Loop Tank #6268 | AST – Internal Floating Roof Tank | 420,000 gal | 2006 |
| 106 | Tanker Row Tank #3241-5 | AST – Internal Floating Roof Tank | 420,000 gal | 2000 |
| 107 | Tanker Row Tank #3244-6 | AST – Internal Floating Roof Tank | 420,000 gal | 2000 |
| Other Regulated Sources | | | | |
| 109 | Aircraft Corrosion Control Facility | Regulated Surface Coating | N/A | 1987 |
| 110 | Sandwich Belt Conveyer | Regulated Coal Processing System | N/A | 1994 |
| 111 | Coal Tripper System | Coal Tripper system with 6 identical 2,500 cfm Pulse Jet Collector Bin Vent Filters | 150 TPH | 2010 |
| Insignificant CI RICE Subject to NESHAP Subpart ZZZZ | | | | |
| 64A | A Water Well Pump Generator ⁵ | Cummins Diesel Engine | 60 kW | 2012 |
| 64B | B Water Well Pump Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 60 kW | 2012 |
| 112 | North Glideslope Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 23 kW | 2001 |

| EU ID | Emission Unit Name | Emission Unit Description | Rating/Size | Install Date |
|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|--------------|
| 113 | ASOS/GPS Generator | Onan Diesel Engine | 30 kW | 2005 |
| 114 | Base Radio MARS Generator | Onan Diesel Engine | 35 kW | 2003 |
| 115 | TACAN South Glideslope Generator | Onan Diesel Engine | 35 kW | 2005 |
| 116 | Lift Station Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 30 kW | 1991 |
| 117 | South ILS Generator | Onan Diesel Engine | 35 kW | 2005 |
| 118 | Quarry Hill Generator | Deere Diesel Engine | 26 kW | 2004 |
| 119 | POL Control Generator | Kubota Diesel Engine | 20 kW | 2010 |
| 120 | Consolidated Munitions Generator | Onan Diesel Engine | 16 kW | 1999 |
| 121 | CE Control Generator | Onan Diesel Engine | 6 kW | 1985 |
| 122 | Fire Station #2 Generator | John Deere Diesel Engine | 55 kW | 1997 |
| 123 | Emergency Wastewater Pump Engine | John Deere 4039D Diesel Engine | 60 kW | 1991 |
| 124 | Emergency Wastewater Pump Engine | John Deere 4045D Diesel Engine | 63 kW | 2008 |
| 125 | Emergency Wastewater Pump Engine | John Deere 4045D Diesel Engine | 63kW | 2008 |
| 129 | North Slope Relay Generator | Cummins Diesel Engine | 60 kW | 2011 |
| Insignificant Gasoline Storage Tanks Subject to NESHAP Subpart CCCCCC | | | | |
| 126 | Horizontal Gasoline Fuel Tank | N/A | 25,948 gallons | 1987 |
| 127 | Horizontal Gasoline Fuel Tank | N/A | 25,948 gallons | 1987 |
| 128 | Horizontal Gasoline Fuel Tank | N/A | 25,948 gallons | 1987 |

Table Notes: Minor Permit AQ0264MSS05 was issued on August 9, 2010, and authorizes the stationary source to replace the existing coal-fired boilers EUs 1 through 6 with new coal-fired boilers EUs 1A, 2A, and 4A through 6A.

For the second implementation period RH SIP update, DEC performed a limited review in place of a full four-factor analysis because the stationary source is already in the process of installing DSI using sodium bicarbonate on the replacement coal-fired boilers EUs 1A, 2A, and 4A through 6A as the older coal-fired boilers EUs 1 through 6 are being phased out. Currently EUs 5A, and 6A have already been installed at the stationary source with sodium bicarbonate DSI controls. DEC looked back over the previous six-year period (2014-2019) for which data is currently available to determine the sources SO₂ emissions. Table III.K.13.F-28 shows SO₂ emissions reported to DEC in emission fee estimates from 2014 through 2019. Additionally, the SO₂ emissions reported in the NEI for 2014 and 2017 (the only year that NEI information was available for the source) are contained in Table III.K.13.F-28 as a footnote.

Table III.K.13.F-28. Eielson Air Force Base SO₂ Emissions

| Calendar Year | Coal-Fired Boilers SO ₂ Emitted (tons) | Other EUs SO ₂ Emitted (tons) | Total SO ₂ Emitted (tons) |
|---------------|---|--|---|
| 2019 | 237.98 | 3.66 | 241.64 |
| 2018 | 211.77 | 3.20 | 214.97 |
| 2017 | 238.90 | 1.70 | 240.60 ¹ |
| 2016 | 261.18 | 1.54 | 262.72 |
| 2015 | 263.10 | 2.30 | 265.40 |
| 2014 | 267.3 | 1.70 | 269.00 ¹ |

Table Notes: ¹ USAF reported 262.81 tons of SO₂ emissions in the 2017 NEI and 268.05 tons of SO₂ emissions in the 2014 NEI.

As can be seen from Table III.K.13.F-28, the sizeable SO₂ emissions emitted at the Eielson AFB are from the coal-fired boilers. DEC created Table III.K.13.F-29 below to differentiate the SO₂ emissions from the older coal-fired boilers EUs 1 – 4, as well as the newly installed coal-fired boilers with DSI, EUs 5A and 6A. Note that Table III.K.13.F-29 starts in 2017 as this is the first full year of operating both boiler EUs 5A and 6A.

Table III.K.13.F-29. Eielson Air Force Base SO₂ Emissions

| Year | EU ID | Coal Usage (tpy) | Coal Usage Percent of Total | SO ₂ E.F. (lb/ton) | SO ₂ E.F. % reduction From EUs 1-4 | SO ₂ Emissions (tons) |
|-------|----------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--|
| 2019 | 1 through 4 | 149,281 | 85% | 3.14 | 0% | 234.37 |
| | 5 | 11,832 | 7% | 0.27 | 91% | 1.6 |
| | 6 | 13,537 | 8% | 0.31 | 90% | 2.1 |
| | 5 & 6 | 25,369 | 15% | 0.29 | 91% | 3.7 |
| Total | | 174,650 | | | | 238.07 |
| 2018 | 1 through 4 | 120,945 | 72% | 3.14 | 0% | 189.88 |
| | 5 | 18,206 | 11% | 0.59 | 81% | 5.36 |
| | 6 | 27,670 | 17% | 1.20 | 62% | 16.6 |
| | 5 & 6 | 45,876 | 28% | 0.96 | 70% | 21.96 |
| Total | | 166,821 | | | | 211.84 |
| 2017 | 1 through 4 | 144,712 | 84% | 3.22 | 0% | 232.99 |
| | 5 | 23,066 | 13% | 0.49 | 85% | 5.70 |
| | 6 | 3,545 | 2% | 0.12 | 96% | 0.21 |
| | 5 & 6 | 26,611 | 16% | 0.44 | 86% | 5.91 |
| Total | | 171,323 | | | | 238.90 |

| | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|----------------|---------|-----|------|-----|--------|
| 2017 - 2019 Totals | 1 through 4 | 414,938 | 81% | 3.17 | 0% | 657.24 |
| | 5 | 53,104 | 10% | 0.48 | 85% | 12.66 |
| | 6 | 44,752 | 9% | 0.85 | 73% | 18.91 |
| | 5 & 6 | 97,856 | 19% | 0.65 | 80% | 31.57 |
| Total | | 512,794 | | | | 688.81 |

As can be seen from Table III.K.13.F-29 above, the newer coal fired boilers EUs 5A and 6A equipped with DSI controls emit approximately 80% fewer SO₂ emissions per ton of coal combusted, compared to EUs 1 through 4.

The USAF received authorization to do a phased replacement of the coal boilers with the issuance of Minor Permit AQ0264MSS05 on August 9, 2010. The permit application for this project anticipated that Eielson AFB would have the final boiler (EU 1A) installed in October 2019 and EU 3 demolished in 2020. However, the timeline for the replacement of the boilers has stalled with EU 6A starting up on October 28, 2014, and EU 5A starting up on October 10, 2016, and no significant progress towards boiler replacement has taken place since that date. Therefore, DEC will require the USAF to either submit an application for a permit amendment to establish an enforceable retirement date for the remaining coal-fired boilers EUs 1 through 4 or submit a full four-factor analysis for add on SO₂ pollution control technologies to include wet scrubbers, DSI, and SDA by July 1, 2023.

DEC Regional Haze Findings for Eielson Air Force Base

The conclusion of DEC's limited review for USAF's Eielson AFB is that the stationary source is still intending to replace the older coal-fired boilers without SO₂ emissions controls with newer coal-fired boilers with sodium bicarbonate DSI and SCR. The two boilers already replaced are averaging about 80% less SO₂ emissions per ton of coal consumed compared to the older boilers. In the years to come, as the older boilers are replaced, there will be a substantial decline in emissions from the stationary source which will result in a positive impact on visibility. DEC will require the USAF to either submit an application for a permit amendment to establish an enforceable retirement date for the remaining coal-fired boilers EUs 1 through 4 or submit a full four-factor analysis for add on SO₂ pollution control technologies to include wet scrubbers, DSI, and SDA by July 1, 2023. A summary of DEC's Regional Haze findings are as follows:

Table III.K.13.F-30. Final Determination for Eielson Air Force Base

| Pollutant | Regional Haze Controls | Regional Haze Determination | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|---|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| <i>EUs 1 – 4 Coal-Fired Boilers - 120,000 lb/hr</i> | | | |
| SO ₂ | Option 1 – Retire Existing EUs 1 – 4 | Submit permit application with enforceable retirement dates | Submit application by July 1, 2023 Retirement effective no later than December 31, 2024 |
| | Option 2 – Four Factor Analysis | Submit a four-factor analysis for DSI, wet scrubber, and SDA | Submit Four-Factor Analysis by July 1, 2023 |
| <i>EUs 5A – 6A Coal-Fired Boiler with DSI - 120,000 lb/hr</i> | | | |

| Pollutant | Regional Haze Controls | Regional Haze Determination | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|-----------------|---|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| SO ₂ | Already Effectively Controlled (0.20 lb/MMBtu emission rate with DSI) | No Additional Controls | N/A |

e. U.S. Army, Doyon Utilities: Fort Wainwright

Fort Wainwright is a military installation located within and adjacent to the city of Fairbanks, Alaska, in the Tanana River Valley. The EUs located within the military installation at Fort Wainwright are either owned and operated by a private utility company, Doyon Utilities, LLC. (DU) under Title V Operating Permit AQ1121TVP02 Revision 2, or by U.S. Army Garrison Fort Wainwright (Fort Wainwright or FWA) under Title V Operating Permit AQ0236TVP04. The two entities, DU and FWA, comprise a single stationary source operating under two permits. The stationary source includes coal-fired boilers for a combined heat and power plant, as well as emergency generator engines, fire pump engines, backup diesel fired boilers, and waste oil-fired boilers. These EUs are listed below in Table III.K.13.F-31 and Table III.K.13.F-32.

Table III.K.13.F-31. DU Fort Wainwright Emission Unit Inventory

| EU ID1 | Description of EU | Rating/Size | | Location |
|--------|--|-------------|----------|--|
| 1 | Coal-Fired Boiler 3 | 230 | MMBtu/hr | Central Heating and Power Plant (CHPP) |
| 2 | Coal-Fired Boiler 4 | 230 | MMBtu/hr | CHPP |
| 3 | Coal-Fired Boiler 5 | 230 | MMBtu/hr | CHPP |
| 4 | Coal-Fired Boiler 6 | 230 | MMBtu/hr | CHPP |
| 5 | Coal-Fired Boiler 7 | 230 | MMBtu/hr | CHPP |
| 6 | Coal-Fired Boiler 8 | 230 | MMBtu/hr | CHPP |
| 7a | South Coal Handling Dust Collector DC-01 | 13,150 | acfm | CHPP |
| 7b | South Underbunker Dust Collector DC-02 | 884 | acfm | CHPP |
| 7c | North Coal Handling Dust Collector NDC-1 | 9,250 | acfm | CHPP |
| 8 | Backup Generator Engine | 2,937 | hp | CHPP |
| 9 | Emergency Generator Engine | 353 | hp | Building 1032 |
| 14 | Emergency Generator Engine | 320 | hp | Building 1563 |
| 22 | Emergency Generator Engine | 35 | hp | Building 3565 |
| 23 | Emergency Generator Engine | 155 | hp | Building 3587 |
| 29 | Emergency Pump Engine | 75 | hp | Building 1056 |
| 30 | Emergency Pump Engine | 75 | hp | Building 3403 |
| 31 | Emergency Pump Engine | 75 | hp | Building 3724 |
| 32 | Emergency Pump Engine | 75 | hp | Building 4162 |
| 33 | Emergency Pump Engine | 75 | hp | Building 1002 |
| 34 | Emergency Pump Engine | 220 | hp | Building 3405 |

| EU ID1 | Description of EU | Rating/Size | Location |
|--------|--------------------------------|-------------|---------------|
| 35 | Emergency Pump Engine | 55 hp | Building 4023 |
| 36 | Emergency Pump Engine | 220 hp | Building 3563 |
| 51a | DC-1 Fly Ash Dust Collector | 3,620 acfm | CHPP |
| 51b | DC-2 Bottom Ash Dust Collector | 3,620 acfm | CHPP |
| 52 | Coal Storage Pile | N/A | CHPP |

Table III.K.13.F-32. U.S. Army Garrison Fort Wainwright Emission Unit Inventory

| EU ID | Description of EU | Rating/Size | Location |
|-------|------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------|
| 8 | Backup Diesel-Fired Boiler 1 | 19 MMBtu/hr | Basset Hospital |
| 9 | Backup Diesel-Fired Boiler 2 | 19 MMBtu/hr | Basset Hospital |
| 10 | Backup Diesel-Fired Boiler 3 | 19 MMBtu/hr | Basset Hospital |
| 11 | Backup Diesel-Electric Generator 1 | 900 kW | Basset Hospital |
| 12 | Backup Diesel-Electric Generator 2 | 900 kW | Basset Hospital |
| 13 | Backup Diesel-Electric Generator 3 | 900 kW | Basset Hospital |
| 22 | VOC Extraction and Combustion | N/A | |
| 23 | Fort Wainwright Landfill | 1.97 million cubic meters | |
| 24 | Aerospace Activities | N/A | |
| 26 | Emergency Generator | 324 hp | Building 2132 |
| 27 | Emergency Generator | 67 hp | Building 1580 |
| 28 | Emergency Generator | 398 hp | Building 3406 |
| 29 | Emergency Generator | 47 hp | Building 3567 |
| 30 | Fire Pump | 275 hp | Building 2089 |
| 31 | Fire Pump #1 | 235 hp | Building 1572 |
| 32 | Fire Pump #2 | 235 hp | Building 1572 |
| 33 | Fire Pump #3 | 235 hp | Building 1572 |
| 34 | Fire Pump #4 | 235 hp | Building 1572 |
| 35 | Fire Pump #1 | 240 hp | Building 2080 |
| 36 | Fire Pump #2 | 240 hp | Building 2080 |
| 37 | Fire Pump | 105 kW | Building 3498 |
| 38 | Fire Pump #1 | 120 hp | Building 5009 |
| 39 | Fire Pump #2 | 120 hp | Building 5009 |
| 40 | Waste Oil-Fired Boiler | 2.6 MMBtu/hr | Building 5007 |
| 50 | Emergency Generator Engine | 762 hp | Building 1060 |
| 51 | Emergency Generator Engine | 762 hp | Building 1060 |
| 52 | Emergency Generator Engine | 82 hp | Building 1193 |
| 53 | Emergency Generator Engine | 587 hp | Building 1555 |
| 54 | Emergency Generator Engine | 1,059 hp | Building 2117 |
| 55 | Emergency Generator Engine | 212 hp | Building 2117 |
| 56 | Emergency Generator Engine | 176 hp | Building 2088 |
| 57 | Emergency Generator Engine | 212 hp | Building 2296 |
| 58 | Emergency Generator Engine | 71 hp | Building 3004 |
| 59 | Emergency Generator Engine | 35 hp | Building 3028 |
| 60 | Emergency Generator Engine | 95 hp | Building 3407 |

| EU ID | Description of EU | Rating/Size | Location |
|-------|-------------------------------|-------------|---------------|
| 61 | Emergency Generator Engine | 50 hp | Building 3703 |
| 62 | Emergency Generator Engine | 18 hp | Building 5108 |
| 63 | Emergency Generator | 68 hp | Building 1620 |
| 64 | Emergency Generator | 274 hp | Building 1054 |
| 65 | Emergency Generator | 274 hp | Building 4390 |
| ??? | Distillate Fired Boilers (23) | Varies | Varies |
| ??? | Waste Oil-Fired Boiler | 2.5 gal/hr | Building 3476 |
| ??? | Waste Oil-Fired Boiler | 2.5 gal/hr | Building 3476 |

Fort Wainwright recently went through an emissions control analysis as a part of the planning requirements triggered when the FNSB nonattainment area was designated as “Serious” with respect to nonattainment of the 2006 24-hour PM_{2.5} NAAQS, which was published in Federal Register Vol. 82, No. 89, May 10, 2017, pages 21703-21706. CAA section 189(b)(1)(B) and 40 C.F.R. § 51.1010 describe the Serious area attainment plan requirements for BACM/BACT. Large stationary sources are a subgroup of emissions sources that are given special attention in the required BACM/BACT analysis. Per federal requirement, DEC evaluated all point sources with emissions greater than 70 TPY of PM_{2.5} or for any individual PM_{2.5} precursor (NO_x, SO₂, NH₃, VOCs).

This evaluation resulted in the following emissions controls contained in Table III.K.13.F-33, which are those required in Table 7.7-11 of the Amendments to: State Air Quality Control Plan Vol II: III.D.7.7 Control Strategies document; adopted November 19, 2019.³

Table III.K.13.F-33. BACT and SIP Findings Summary Table for Fort Wainwright

| Pollutant | BACT Emission Limit | BACT Control Device or Operational Limitation | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|--|---------------------------------|---|--|
| EUs 1 through 6 - Coal Fired Boilers - 230 MMBtu/hr (each) | | | |
| NO _x | Precursor Demonstration* | No additional control | N/A |
| PM _{2.5} | 0.045 lb/MMBtu (3-hr avg.) | Full Stream Baghouse | Existing |
| SO ₂ | 0.25% sulfur by weight | Certified Statement of Sulfur Content | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 Effective no later than June 9, 2021 |
| | 0.12 lb/MMBtu (3-hr avg.) | Dry Sorbent Injection (DSI) | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 Effective no later than October 1, 2023 |
| Emergency Engines, Generators, and Fire Pumps | | | |
| NO _x | Precursor Demonstration* | No additional control | N/A |
| PM _{2.5} | 0.015 - 1.0 g/hp-hr (3-hr avg.) | Good Combustion Practices and Limited Operation | Existing |

| Pollutant | BACT Emission Limit | BACT Control Device or Operational Limitation | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|---|----------------------------|---|---|
| SO ₂ | 15 ppmw sulfur in fuel | Certified Statement of Sulfur Content | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 Effective no later than June 9, 2021 |
| Fuel Oil Boilers | | | |
| NO _x | Precursor Demonstration* | No additional control | N/A |
| PM _{2.5} | 0.012 lb/MMBtu (3-hr avg.) | Good Combustion Practices and Limited Operation | Existing |
| SO ₂ | 15 ppmw sulfur in fuel | Certified Statement of Sulfur Content | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 Effective no later than June 9, 2021 |
| Material Handling Sources (Coal Prep and Ash Handling) | | | |
| PM _{2.5} | 0.0025 - 0.02 gr/dscf | Enclosed Emission Points and Good Operating Practices | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 Effective no later than June 9, 2021 |

Section II.B.3.f. of the Guidance Document discusses selecting sources that have recently undergone emission control technology review. The Guidance Document states the following:

“New, reconstructed, or modified emission units that went through Best Available Control Technology (BACT) review under the Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) program or Lowest Achievable Emission Rate (LAER) review under the nonattainment new source review program for major sources and received a construction permit on or after July 31, 2013,46 on a pollutant-specific basis. The statutory considerations for selection of BACT and LAER are also similar to, if not more stringent than, the four statutory factors for reasonable progress.”

DEC Regional Haze Findings for Fort Wainwright CHPP

DEC’s recent analysis of Fort Wainwright for the Serious nonattainment area resulted in a limit on the sulfur content of the coal received at the stationary source as well as the requirement to install dry sorbent injection to control SO₂ on the coal-fired boilers. Additionally, the diesel-fired engines and boilers were also required to combust ULSD. Taking into consideration the BACT analysis recently performed for the nonattainment area and the sulfur limits already imposed by this effort, DEC will not further evaluate Fort Wainwright for the second implementation period of RH planning. In addition to the previously performed BACT analysis requiring DSI, DU subsequently provided additional cost analyses for dry sorbent injection, spray dry absorbers, and wet scrubbers, which are included in the appendix to this chapter, Appendix III.K.13.F. A summary of DEC’s RH findings are as follows:

Table III.K.13.F-34. Final Determination for Fort Wainwright CHPP

| Pollutant | Regional Haze Controls | Regional Haze Determination | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|---|--|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <i>EUs 1 through 6 - Coal-Fired Boilers - 230 MMBtu/hr (each)</i> | | | |
| SO ₂ | Already Effectively Controlled (0.12 lb/MMBtu with DSI; 0.25% sulfur by weight in coal)* | No Additional Controls | N/A |

* Background and detailed information regarding Fairbanks PM_{2.5} State Implementation Plan (SIP) can be found at <http://dec.alaska.gov/air/anpms/communities/fbks-pm2-5-serious-sip/>.

f. University of Alaska: Fairbanks Campus Power Plant

The Fairbanks Campus Power Plant is owned and operated by the University of Alaska Fairbanks (UAF), and UAF is the Permittee for the stationary source's Title V Operating Permit AQ0316TVP02 Revision 1. The SIC code for the stationary source is 8211 – Colleges, Universities, and Professional Schools.

The Fairbanks Campus Power Plant is a co-generation power plant that is designed to supply electrical power and heat to the campus. The fuel consuming EUs consists of a 295.6 MMBtu/hr coal/woody biomass-fired boiler, two dual fuel-fired 180.9 MMBtu/hr boilers, a medical/pathological waste incinerator, and diesel-fired generators and boilers. These EUs are listed below in Table III.K.13.F-35.

Table III.K.13.F-35. Fairbanks Campus Power Plant Emission Unit Inventory

| EU ID | Description of EU | Rating / Size | Fuel Type | Installation or Construction Date |
|-------|--|----------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 3 | Dual-Fired Boiler | 180.9 MMBtu/hr | Dual Fuel | 1970 |
| 4 | Dual-Fired Boiler | 180.9 MMBtu/hr | Dual Fuel | 1987 |
| 8 | Peaking/Backup Diesel Generator | 13,266 hp | Diesel | 1999 |
| 9A | Medical/Pathological Waste Incinerator | 83 lb/hr | Medical / Infectious Waste | 2006 |
| 19 | Diesel Boiler | 6.13 MMBtu/hr | Diesel | 2004 |
| 20 | Diesel Boiler | 6.13 MMBtu/hr | Diesel | 2004 |
| 21 | Diesel Boiler | 6.13 MMBtu/hr | Diesel | 2004 |
| 23 | Diesel Generator Engine | 235 kW | Diesel | 2003 |
| 24 | Diesel Generator Engine | 51 kW | Diesel | 2001 |

| EU ID | Description of EU | Rating / Size | Fuel Type | Installation or Construction Date |
|-------|--|----------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 26 | Diesel Generator Engine | 45 kW | Diesel | 1987 |
| 27 | Diesel Generator Engine | 500 hp | Diesel | TBD |
| 28 | Diesel Generator Engine | 120 hp | Diesel | 1998 |
| 29 | Diesel Generator Engine | 314 hp | Diesel | 2013 |
| 105 | Limestone Handling System | 1,200 acfm | N/A | 2019 |
| 107 | Sand Handling System | 1,600 acfm | N/A | 2019 |
| 109 | Ash Handling System | 1,000 acfm | N/A | 2019 |
| 110 | Ash Handling System Vacuum | 2,000 acfm | N/A | 2019 |
| 111 | Ash Loadout to Truck | N/A | N/A | 2019 |
| 113 | Dual Fuel-Fired Circulating Fluidized Bed (CFB) Boiler | 295.6 MMBtu/hr | Coal/Woody Biomass | 2019 |
| 114 | Dry Sorbent Handling Vent Filter Exhaust | 5 acfm | N/A | 2019 |
| 128 | Coal Silo No. 1 with Bin Vent | 1,650 acfm | N/A | 2019 |
| 129 | Coal Silo No. 2 with Bin Vent | 1,650 acfm | N/A | 2019 |
| 130 | Coal Silo No. 3 with Bin Vent | 1,650 acfm | N/A | 2019 |

The Fairbanks Campus Power Plant recently went through an emissions control analysis as a part of the planning requirements triggered when the FNSB nonattainment area was designated as “Serious” with respect to nonattainment of the 2006 24-hour PM_{2.5} NAAQS, which was published in Federal Register Vol. 82, No. 89, May 10, 2017, pages 21703-21706. CAA section 189(b)(1)(B) and 40 C.F.R. § 51.1010 describe the Serious area attainment plan requirements for BACM/BACT. Large stationary sources are a subgroup of emissions sources that are given special attention in the required BACM/BACT analysis. Per federal requirement, DEC evaluated all point sources with emissions greater than 70 TPY of PM_{2.5} or for any individual PM_{2.5} precursor (NO_x, SO₂, NH₃, VOCs).

This evaluation resulted in the following emissions controls contained in Table III.K.13.F-36, which are those required in Table 7.7-16 of the Amendments to: State Air Quality Control Plan Vol II: III.D.7.7 Control Strategies document; adopted November 19, 2019.³

Table III.K.13.F-36. BACT and SIP Findings Summary Table for Fairbanks Campus Power Plant

| Pollutant | BACT Emission Limit | BACT Control Device or Operational Limitation | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|---|--------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| Dual Fuel-Fired Boiler – 295.6 MMBtu/hr | | | |
| NO _x | Precursor Demonstration* | No additional control | N/A |
| PM _{2.5} | 0.012 lb/MMBtu | Fabric Filters (Baghouse) | Existing |
| SO ₂ | 0.25% sulfur by weight | Certified Statement of Sulfur Content | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 |

| Pollutant | BACT Emission Limit | BACT Control Device or Operational Limitation | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|---|---|--|--|
| | | | Effective no later than June 9, 2021 |
| | 0.2 lb/MMBtu (30-day avg.) | No additional control | Existing |
| Diesel-Fired Engines | | | |
| NO _x | Precursor Demonstration* | No additional control | N/A |
| PM _{2.5} | 0.015 - 1.0 g/hp-hr (3-hr avg.) | Positive Crankcase Ventilation, Good Combustion Practices, and Limited Operation | Existing |
| SO ₂ | 15 ppmw sulfur in fuel | Certified Statement or Approved Analysis of Sulfur Content | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 Effective no later than June 9, 2021 |
| EUs 3, 4, and 19 through 21 - Fuel Oil-Fired Boilers | | | |
| NO _x | Precursor Demonstration* | No additional control | N/A |
| PM _{2.5} | 0.012 lb/MMBtu (Diesel 3-hr avg.) 0.0075 lb/MMBtu (N.G. 3-hr avg.) | Good Combustion Practices and Limited Operation | Existing |
| SO ₂ | 1,000 ppmw sulfur in fuel (Diesel) 0.60 lb/MMscf (Natural Gas) October 1 – March 31 | Certified Statement or Approved Analysis of Sulfur Content | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 Effective no later than October 1, 2020 |
| | 15 ppmw sulfur in fuel (Diesel) 0.60 lb/MMscf (Natural Gas) October 1 – March 31 | Certified Statement or Approved Analysis of Sulfur Content | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2021 Effective no later than October 1, 2023 |
| EU 9a – Pathogenic Waste Incinerator (83 lb/hr) | | | |
| NO _x | Precursor Demonstration* | No additional control | N/A |
| PM _{2.5} | 4.67 lb/ton | Limited Operation and Multiple Chamber Design | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 Effective no later than June 9, 2021 |
| SO ₂ | 15 ppmw sulfur in liquid fuel | Certified Statement of Sulfur Content | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 |

| Pollutant | BACT Emission Limit | BACT Control Device or Operational Limitation | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|--|-----------------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| | | | Effective no later than June 9, 2021 |
| Material Handling Sources (Coal Prep and Ash Handling) | | | |
| PM _{2.5} | 0.003 - 0.050 gr/dscf | Enclosed Emission Points, fabric filters, and vents | Title I Permit App. by June 9, 2020 |
| | 5.50E-05 lb/ton | Enclosure Emission Points | Effective no later than June 9, 2021 |

DEC's recent analysis of the Fairbanks Campus Power Plant for the Serious nonattainment area resulted in a limit on the sulfur content of the coal received at the stationary source. Additionally, the diesel-fired engines and pathogenic waste incinerator were also required to combust ULSD year-round, while the diesel-fired boilers were required to combust ULSD for half of the year from October through March. The Fairbanks Campus Power Plant also recently replaced two coal-fired boilers installed in 1962 with a new coal/woody biomass-fired circulating fluidized bed boiler that has considerably lower SO₂ emissions. Calendar year 2020 was the first year of new boiler operations after the retirement of the existing boilers and stationary source wide SO₂ emissions dropped from an average of 190.0 tons per year between 2014 through 2019 to 20.8 tons, an 89% decrease in emissions.

Section II.B.3.f. of the Guidance Document discusses selecting sources that have recently undergone emission control technology review. The Guidance Document states the following:

“New, reconstructed, or modified emission units that went through Best Available Control Technology (BACT) review under the Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) program or Lowest Achievable Emission Rate (LAER) review under the nonattainment new source review program for major sources and received a construction permit on or after July 31, 2013,⁴⁶ on a pollutant-specific basis. The statutory considerations for selection of BACT and LAER are also similar to, if not more stringent than, the four statutory factors for reasonable progress.”

DEC Regional Haze Findings for Fairbanks Campus Power Plant

Taking into consideration the BACT analysis recently performed for the nonattainment area and the sulfur limits already imposed by this effort, as well as the significant drop in SO₂ emissions as a result of replacing the existing coal-fired boilers, DEC will not further evaluate the Fairbanks Campus Power Plant for the second implementation period of RH planning. A summary of DEC's RH findings are as follows:

Table III.K.13.F-37. Final Determination for Fairbanks Campus Power Plant

| Pollutant | Regional Haze Controls | Regional Haze Determination | Effective Dates of Control/Limit |
|---|---|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <i>EU 113 – Dual Fuel-Fired Boiler – 295.6 MMBtu/hr</i> | | | |
| SO ₂ | Already Effectively Controlled (0.20 lb/MMBtu; 0.25% sulfur by weight in coal)* | No Additional Controls | N/A |

* Background and detailed information regarding Fairbanks PM_{2.5} State Implementation Plan (SIP) can be found at <http://dec.alaska.gov/air/anpms/communities/fbks-pm2-5-serious-sip/>.