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President's Message By Larry Browning

The end of summer (and our first meeting) always seems to sneak up on me. You would think after a few years I'd catch on that I have a column to write, but I always seem to get behind. I hope everyone has had a good summer.

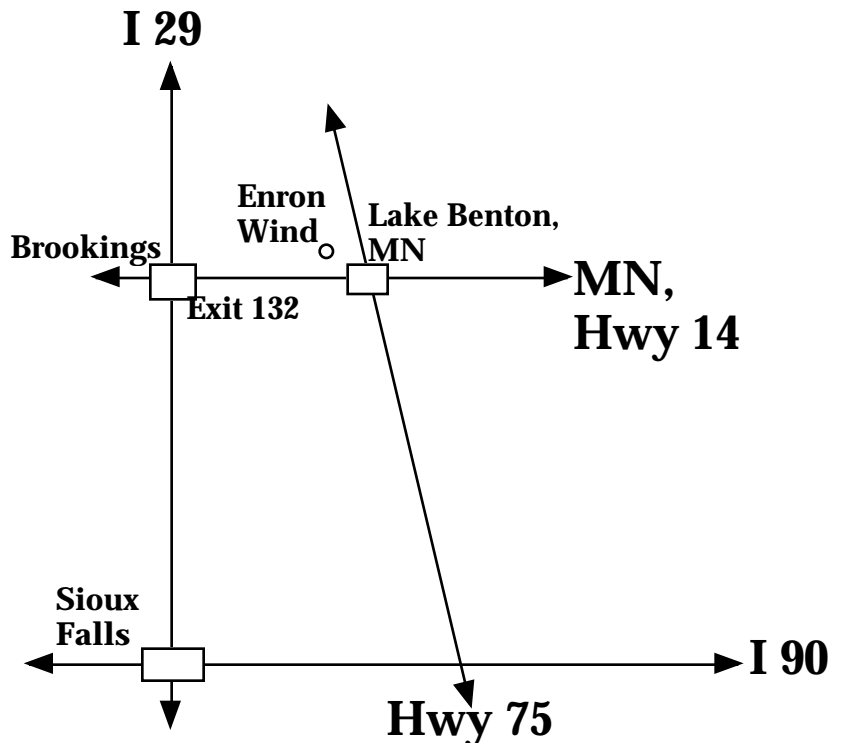
Keeping with our (relatively new) tradition, our first meeting in September is a field trip/activity. Enron Wind at Highway 14 West in Lake Benton, MN has agreed to give us a tour. Having seen their facility once before, I think that should be a fun experience and quite impressive. Because of scheduling, we agreed to take the tour first and then go to dinner. That way we won't inconvenience our hosts as much. The tour should start at 5:30 PM at their facility. Tim Masters is arranging car pooling from the NWS office if you would prefer not to drive. A year or two ago, Art and Dan toured a similar facility in Iowa and were quite impressed. I know there is considerable interest in this region about wind power. There are also several good restaurants in Lake Benton we can choose from after the tour.

Hope to see you on September 11.

Larry

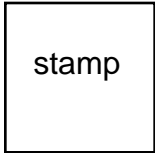
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meeting Tuesday,
September 11, 2001
5:30 PM at the Enron office in
Lake Benton, MN.

Meet at NWS office in Sioux Falls by
3:30 PM if you want to car pool
otherwise meet at the Enron office by
5:15 PM.





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