Lockport Powerhouse Tailrace Barrier

Project Number 25-605-21

Service Area Stickney

Location Lockport Powerhouse

Engineering Consultant

In-house design

Engineering Contractor

To be determined

Estimated \$208,000 Construction Cost

Contract Award Date

August 2025

Substantial Completion Date December 2025

Project Description This project entails installing a boat barrier at the tailrace of the Lockport Powerhouse to prevent boaters from traveling or drifting dangerously close to the powerhouse during generator and pit gate operations.

Project Justification Recreational boaters and fishermen are often dangerously close to the tailrace of the powerhouse despite warning signs. The installation of a barrier will keep them at a safe distance.

Project Status Planning

