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2009	Community Outreach table at IGH 5K Walk/Run	Successfully filled 2009 CAC vacancies	<p>Greenhouse Gas Discussion by Peter Ciborowski MPCA</p> <p>USA Today study on air toxics (The Smokehouse Effect: Toxic Air & America's Schools) presented by Kari Palmer/MPCA</p> <p>AECOM (Formerly STS) analysis of air monitor data</p> <p>Ground water remediation delivered by FHR.</p>	MNStar Program & FHR's Recert	<p>New CAC Members: Apple Valley: Connie O'Sullivan</p> <p>Rosemount: Mark Koetke</p> <p>Inver Grove Heights: Jesse Swenson</p> <p>Vermillion: Vacant</p>		

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2008	<p>CAC Community Survey conducted</p> <p>Community meeting & 10th anniversary celebration</p>	<p>CAC membership recruitment/ selection process moved to March - May. New members will begin terms in September.</p> <p>Membership and Operations Committee disbanded in April 2008</p>	<p>STS analysis of air monitor data</p> <p>Ground water remediation delivered by FHR.</p> <p>Update of air emissions following FHR expansion</p>	<p>Railroad transit safety presentation</p> <p>Dennis Hendershot (Baker Report participant) presented OSHA investigation from Texas City explosion</p>	<p>New CAC Members: Apple Valley: Dave Gugino Keith Sjostrom</p> <p>Hastings: Mary Conroy</p> <p>Rosemount: Jake Czapiewski Ray Martin</p> <p>Inver Grove Heights: Shirley Pike</p>		

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2007	<p>Updated SEP application and process</p> <p>New website</p>	<p>Successfully filled 2007 CAC vacancies</p> <p>Comparison and Evaluation of key characteristics of CAC participants</p>	<p>STS will continue the air monitor reports on an annual basis.</p> <p>Ground water report will be given annually.</p> <p>Plant expansion as a result of the ULSD project is finished but will continue to monitor.</p> <p>Monitor the possibility of an increase of contaminants going out to the Mississippi due to the water reuse system now in place to eliminate new wells being drilled.</p> <p>Due to redundancy of one of our air monitors, we'd like to move one to a location where it will be of more use.</p> <p>Would like to continue to track what is going on with the crude project.</p> <p>Want to watch recycled water with FHR.</p>	<p>New group startup</p> <p>MN Star</p> <p>Reverse 911 Familiarization</p> <p>Start work on Baker Report</p>	<p>New CAC Members:</p> <p>Apple Valley: Kenneth Parker</p> <p>Empire Township/Farmington: David King</p> <p>Eagan: Edward Florez Fred Mitchell</p> <p>Inver Grove Heights: Eric Mahler</p> <p>Vermillion Township: Steve Nielsen</p>		

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2006	Grants awarded to Red Pine Tree Trust (\$15,000) and School of Environmental Studies (\$17,000)	Successfully filled 2006 CAC vacancies	<p>STS will continue the air monitor reports on an annual basis.</p> <p>Ground water report will be given annually.</p>	The CAC Safety Committee recognized that FHR received the MNSTAR award: MN's OSHA award and certification for outstanding safety practices and operations.	<p><u>New CAC Members:</u> Coates: Kristen Engelman</p> <p>Empire Township: Kari Barker</p> <p>Inver Grove Heights: Michael Griffith (within 2 miles of refinery) Michelle Kelly</p> <p>Nininger Township: Velita Frandrup Margaret Flower</p> <p>Rosemount: Zac Lagen (within 2 miles of refinery) Roger Tippett Robert Golla</p> <p>Vermillion Township: Jessica Walus</p> <p>FHR Representative: Becky Kenow</p>		

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2005	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FHR presented first “Refinery 101” overview/presentation to the full CAC at its January meeting • Developed a new and expanded CAC website, separate from FHR and with an increased focus on community input and access to information. • Created and produced a new CAC brochure. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Developed an expanded recruited process to ensure successful recruitment of 10 new members – largest new member recruitment since the Council was established in 1998. • Received and processed over 80 of applications for 10 openings. • Interviewed 35 candidates and selected 10 new members. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Held a community meeting in November 2005 to present all CAC independent environmental reports and findings on FHR air emissions and groundwater issues from 2000 – 2005. • Worked with FHR to identify possible problems with neighbor’s wells given the plant’s increased new for water supplies. FHR created innovative water re-use project to address Council member concerns. • Oversaw updated air monitoring data analysis and documentation by STS consultants. • Made report accessible to public on the CAC website. • Identified a new air monitoring location on the SWt corner of the refinery. • Annual ground-water report. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FHR Emergency Preparedness Network/ Reverse 911 contracted with Eagan • Developed and piloted the newly established FHR Emergency Preparedness Network (EPN – an emergency telephone notification system) to homes and businesses within a 3-mile radius of the refinery. Project represents a unique collaboration with the City of Eagan • Participated in community meetings informing communities and citizens about the FHR EPN program. Worked with FHR to promote the program and educate community members. 	<p><u>New CAC Members:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dennis Wipperman • Harvey James Radke • Gary Anger • Lisha Mathews <p><u>FHR Representative:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Susan Carter 		

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2004	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School of Environmental Sciences (SES) awarded SEP funds to develop low level ozone awareness campaign • CAC/Committee members Participated in SES Earth Day Conference • Committee asked FHR to explore idea of developing a “Refinery 101” • Committee members worked with FHR to develop “Refinery 101” • Committee members asked FHR for help in developing a new flow chart that more accurately depicted the workings of the refinery. Completed Dec ‘04 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pine Bend Are Industrial Group (PBA-IG) explored by FHR at the request of the CAC. FHR participates in PBA-IG meetings. • CAC new member mentorship program created 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Well issue and response • Water ULSD (public meeting) – awareness of water problem issue identified by FHR • Recognition of FHR by EPA Tom Skinner in Washington Post • Air monitoring data analysis STS consultants – document and presentation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FHR presents on its new safety initiative and program, “MN Star” 	<p><u>New CAC Members:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dave Andrews • Pam McDonald • Vern Meier <p><u>FHR Representative:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Steve Orne 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FHR Low Sulfur diesel fuel programs and MPCA / EAW presentations. 	

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2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Committee members attend Clean Air MN conference. Members presented on panel regarding public participation. Committee interest in working on ozone issues was identified. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meetings went to 9 months from 12 months a year (still 2nd Monday every month) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Committee presents air monitoring recommendations to FHR - document 		<u>New CAC Members:</u> Kyle Cloutier Michael Mortenson	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Steve S. breaks into retreat meeting room! 	

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2001	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plans and strategies developed to participate in community events • Started press releases (new members, meetings, etc.) 1st CAC brochure developed, produced and distributed CAC promo / communication tools developed: calling cards, t-shirts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exit interview form and process started for members leaving the CAC • 1st membership recruitment campaign and selection committee process established • Worked with Membership & Operations Committee consultant, Nancy Leland, to develop and produce the CAC Membership Recruitment and Selection manual. • Formalized and documented the CAC membership selection process as originally established by the MN League of Women Voters. • Established the Membership Selection Committee. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Air monitor placement recommendation and approvals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Qwest presents on emergency preparedness network (“Reverse 911”) 	<p><u>New CAC Members:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • John Bergman • Steve Sandberg 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAC held its June meeting in a boys locker room – Rosemount Community Center during tornado! 	

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2000	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supplemental Environmental Project grants (SEP grants) – est. criteria, promoted the CAC SEP grants, held first review process • Awarded the 1st SEP grants - \$100,000: Hastings Middle School, Pine Bend Elementary, Dakota County Environmental Program, Rosemount Elementary, Parkview Elementary, Head Start and Stewards to our Parks • CAC website – developed and online! 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Five CAC Committees created and purpose statements for each created: Environment, Safety, Membership & Operations, Communication, and Community affairs • CAC meeting template created 			<p><u>New CAC Members:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Debbie Andrews • Don Halterman <p>FHR Susan Yanish (alternate for Rick Johnson)</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2000 – 2005: Annual groundwater updates / reports form FHR to CAC

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1999		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluation process and evaluation process • CAC general operating practices review ad approved • First CAC Community Meeting August 2, 1999: Review Koch's Groundwater Clean-up Efforts with the community. • Second Community Meeting held, November 1, 1999: CAC solicited input/feedback from community members on CAC activities. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "FHR Groundwater Risk Evaluation and Corrective Measure Study, Executive Summary" Koch report presented to the CAC. • FHR begins annual Groundwater update • MPCA presented on document, "Health Risk Assessment • "Air Quality and Health Effects" presentation and document presented to the CAC by the MN Department of Health 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Qwest presents on emergency preparedness network ("Reverse 911") 	<p><u>New CAC Members:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dan Lorenz 		<p>MPCA perspective: CAC sponsored community meetings demonstrated strong commitment of CAC members and Koch</p>

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1998		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First CAC meeting held December 5, 1998 at Southview Country Club. 			<p><u>Original CAC Members as Selected by the League of Women Voters:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Barbara Burns • Paula Johnson • Mike Gores • William Wurstenberg • Joseph Krisnik • William Raker • Patricia Ryman • Gary Stevens • Juliana Gabor • Bob Heidenrich • Dave Erlandson • Dennis Schueller • Harry Benjamin • Sharon St. Clair • Otto Ped • Joan Schnieder • Lora Lambert • Thomas Myers • William Nelson <p><i>MPCA Representative</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scott Parr <p>FHR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rick Johnson • Fran Shepardson • Jeff Wilkes • Phillip Guillemette (Koch Environmental Manager) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tense times. Moved to education and discussion and involvement of full CAC 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAC general operational practices revised and approved: committee structure, membership manual, selecting 3rd party consultants, privacy policy, meeting practices and principles, meeting guidelines for visitors, etc.