APPENDIX B ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

ABC American Bird Conservancy

ADT Average Daily Traffic

AECI Associated Electric Cooperative, Inc.

ACHP Advisory Council on Historic Preservation

AFB Air Force Base

AP Associated Press

APLIC The Edison Electric Institute's Avian Power Line Interaction

Committee

AQRV Air Quality Related Values

ASM Archeological Survey of Missouri

ASTM American Society for Testing and Materials

ASU Air Separation Unit

ATSDR Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry

AWEA American Wind Energy Association

BACT Best Available Control Technology

BAF Bioaccumulation Factor

BFE Base flood elevation

bgs Below ground surface

BLS Bureau of Labor Statistics

BMP Best Management Practices

BNSF Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railroad

BOR Bureau of Reclamation (US Department of Interior)

Btu British thermal unit

CA Conservation Area (Missouri)

CAA Clean Air Act

CadnA Computer Aided Design for Noise Abatement

CAMR Clean Air Mercury Rule

CAO Conservation Area Opportunity

CEDDS Complete Economic and Demographic Data Series

CEQ Council on Environmental Quality

CERCLIS Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and

Liability Information System

CFB Circulating Fluidized Bed (boiler coal technology)

CFCs Chlorofluorocarbons

CFR Code of Federal Regulations

cfs Cubic feet per second

CH₃Hg Methylmercury

CH4 Methane

CHP Combined-Heat-and-Power

Cl Chloride

Cm/sec Centimeters per second

CO Carbon monoxide

CO₂ Carbon dioxide

COE Cost of Electricity

COS Carbonyl sulfide

CPR Cardio-pulmonary Resuscitation

CRP Conservation Reserve Program

CSP Concentrating Solar Power

CSR Code of State Regulations

CT Combustion turbine

CWA Clean Water Act

dB Decibel

dBA A-weighted Decibel

dbh Diameter at breast height

DEIS Draft Environmental Impact Statement

DEQ Department of Environmental Quality (Montana)

DNR Department of Natural Resources (Missouri)

DO Dissolved oxygen

DOD Department of Defense (U.S.)

DOE Department of Energy (U.S.)

DOI Department of Interior (U.S.)

DOT Department of Transportation

DSM Demand Side Management

EA Environmental Assessment

EERE Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (U.S. DOE)

EGU Electric Generating Unit

EIA Energy Information Administration (U.S. DOE)

EIS Environmental Impact Statement

EMF Electric and magnetic field

EPA Environmental Protection Agency (U.S.)

EPRI Electric Power Research Institute

EPAct2005 Energy Policy Act of 2005

FAA Federal Aviation Administration

FAC Faculative

FACW Faculative wetland

FC Fecal coliform bacteria

FD Forced Draft

FDA Food and Drug Administration (U.S.)

FEIS Final Environmental Impact Statement

FEMA Federal Emergency Management Agency

FERC Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

FHWA Federal Highway Administration.

FGD Flue Gas Desulfurization

FIRM Flood Insurance Rate Map

FPPA Farmland Protection Policy Act

fps Feet per second

G&T Generation and Transmission

GAO Government Accountability Office (U.S.) [formerly the General

Accounting Office]

GAP Gap analysis program

GE General Electric

GHC Geo-Heat Center, Oregon Institute of Technology

GHG Greenhouse Gas

Gpm Gallons per minute

H₂ Hydrogen

H2O Water

H2S Hydrogen sulfide

H2SO4 Sulfuric Acid

Ha Hectare

HAP Hazardous Air Pollutant

HC Hydrocarbons

Hg Mercury

HGWA Hercules Glades Wilderness Area

HNO3 Nitric Acid

HUD Department of Housing and Urban Development (U.S.)

Hz Hertz

IAEA International Atomic Energy Association

IBA Important Bird Area

ID Induced Draft

IGCC Integrated Gasification Combined Cycle

INEEL Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratory (U.S.

DOE)

INL Idaho National Laboratory (U.S. DOE)

IPCC Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change

KCP&L Kansas City Power and Light

KDOT Kansas Department of Transportation.

kV Kilovolt

kWh Kilowatt-Hour

L90 90th Percentile-Exceeded Noise Level

lb Pound

Leq Equivalent Noise Levels

LESA Land Evaluation and Site Assessment

LOS Level-of-Service

MASS Missouri Agricultural Statistical Service

MBTA Migratory Bird Treaty Act

MD Metro Dateline

MDC Missouri Department of Conservation

DHSS Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services

MDNR Missouri Department of Natural Resources

MEA monoethanolamine

MGD Million gallons per day

MINT Missouri-Illinois-Nebraska Transmission

MIT Massachusetts Institute of Technology

MMBtu One million British thermal units

MO Missouri

MOA Missouri Office of Administration

MOA Memorandum of Agreement

MoDOT Missouri Department of Transportation

MP Measurement point

MSA Metropolitan Statistical Area

MSL Mean Sea Level

MSW Municipal Solid Waste

MW Megawatt

MWh Megawatthour

NA Natural Area

NAAQS National Ambient Air Quality Standards

NAS National Academy of Sciences

NASS National Agricultural Statistical Service

NDOR Nebraska Department of Roads

NEPA National Environmental Policy Act

NETL National Energy and Technology Laboratory (U.S. DOE)

NFIP National Flood Insurance Program

NFTA National Fire Protection Association

NFWR National Fish and Wildlife Refuge

NG National Geographic

NGCC Natural Gas Combined Cycle

NGVD National Geodetic Vertical Datum

NH3 Ammonia

NHL National Historic Landmark

NHPA National Historic Preservation Act

NIEHA National Institutes of Health, National Institute of Environmental

Health Sciences

NO₂ Nitrogen dioxide

NO₃N Nitrate nitrogen

NO Nitric Oxide

NOI Notice of Intent

NO_X Nitrogen oxides

NPDES National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System

NPL National Priorities List

NPS National Park Service

NRC Nuclear Regulatory Commission

NRCS Natural Resources Conservation Service

NREL National Renewable Energy Laboratory

NRHP National Register of Historic Places

NS Norfolk Southern

NSPS New Source Performance Standards

NSR New Source Review

NWI National Wetlands Inventory

NWPPC Northwest Power Planning Council

NWR National Wildlife Refuge

O&M Operations and Maintenance

O₂ Oxygen

O₃ Ozone

Pb Lead

PC Pulverized Coal

PCB Polychlorinated biphenyl

PM Particulate Matter

PM₁₀ Particulate Matter smaller than 10 microns in diameter

PM_{2.5} Particulate Matter smaller than 2.5 microns in diameter

PPM Parts per million

PRB Powder River Basin

PRS Power Requirements Study

PSD Prevention of Significant Deterioration

psi pounds per square inch

PTC Production Tax Credit

PV Photovoltaic

PW Production well

RCNM Roadway Construction Noise Model

RDF Refuse Derived Fuel

RGGI Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative

ROD Record of Decision

ROW Right-of-way

RUS Rural Utilities Service

RV Recreational vehicle

Scf standard cubic feet

SCGT Single Cycle Gas Turbine

SCPC Supercritical pulverized coal

SCR Selective Catalytic Reduction

SFHA Special Flood Hazard Area

SHPO State Historic Preservation Office

SIP State Implementation Plan

SNCR Selective Non-Catalytic Reduction

SPA Southwest Power Authority

SPCC Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasure

SO₂ Sulfur Dioxide

SO₄ Sulfate

SWPA Southwestern Power Administration

SWPPP Storm water Pollution Prevention Plan

Syngas Synthetic gas

TDS Total dissolved solids

TMDL Total Maximum Daily Load

TP Total phosphorus

Tph Tons per hour

TSS Total suspended solids

UADA University of Arkansas Department of Agriculture

UMC University of Missouri at Columbia

UP Union Pacific

U.S. United States

USACE U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

USC United States Code

USDA U.S. Department of Agriculture

USDA/RD U.S. Department of Agriculture, Rural Development

USFS U.S. Forest Service

USFWS U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

USGS U.S. Geological Survey

UWIG Utility Wind Integration Group

VOC Volatile Organic Compound

WTE Waste to Energy