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Hello,

I'm submitting a comment regarding the 2024 Mill and Overlay - Cretin/Bayard Area, Phase 2 project.

In general I do not object to the idea of the project. However I want to stress that the city is missing a huge opportunity to consider networked geothermal anytime they rip up a street. I would urge the city to come up with at least some pilot projects for projects such as this as this would make great progress toward environmental stability and has great potential to help with inequities within our heating/cooling systems.

Please consider formulating a city wide plan to form pilot projects for networked geothermal energy whenever the city street is already being redone.

Thank you,

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