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Riverview has a recent history of manure spills in western Minnesota. In Arizona, the company recently agreed to pay \$11 million to residents affected by the over pumping of the dairy operation. The proposed Stevens County site sits within five miles of eight different protected waterfowl and wildlife production areas and is part of the Pomme de Terre River watershed, just 25 miles from its confluence with the Minnesota River. A facility of this scale located in such a vulnerable area calls for a thorough environmental review.