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June 24, 2011: BOULDER'S ENERGY FUTURE - PART 2 - Steve Pomerance and Ken Regelson join Duncan Campbell on Connections to explore the technical, political, and economic aspects of Xcel Energy's proposal to Boulder for increased wind energy. They conclude that Boulder should continue to explore its options, including looking for similar proposals on the open market. In reality, going with Xcel's wind proposal would not alter the utility's generation mix, which is mostly coal, and would further constrain Boulder in a new 20-year franchise agreement.

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