The Huntley power plant, like many aging coal-fired power plants, has taken a substantial financial hit in recent years, with little likelihood of a recovery in the near future. A recent report by the Institute for Energy Economics and Financial Analysis found that earnings generated by the plant have dropped dramatically in recent years due to decreased power demand, increased energy efficiency, low natural gas prices, and noncompetitive coal prices. Given that the plant is located in a region with substantial excess energy capacity, the Huntley units appear ripe for retirement.

- **7% PER YEAR**
  The projected increase in the cost of coal from 2013 - 2020

- **43%**
  The percentage increase in coal costs for Huntley from 2005-2012

- **18%**
  The percentage of time Huntley ran in 2012

- **18%**
  Capacity factors at Huntley’s remaining un-retired units have declined dramatically since 2008.

- **$110 MILLION**
  Huntley’s estimated pre-tax earnings in 2005

- **$-3 MILLION**
  Huntley’s estimated pre-tax earnings in 2012

- **50%**
  The increase in coal transportation costs since 2007

- **$6 MILLION**
  Huntley’s estimated pre-tax earnings in 2020

- **55 and 56**
  The ages of Huntley’s coal burning units

- **57**
  The average age of retirement of a coal burning unit

- **The Plant Is Outdated**

- **3,613 Megawatts**
  Projected peak energy demand in NYS in 2032

- **4,464 Megawatts**
  The amount of energy we can produce in NYS right now

- **We Don’t Need the Electricity**

- **36,613 Megawatts**
  Huntley’s estimated pre-tax earnings in 2005

- **37,920 Megawatts**
  The amount of energy we can produce in NYS right now

- **37,920 Megawatts**
  Huntley's estimated pre-tax earnings in 2020

- **Huntley is Losing Millions**

- **$-3 Million**
  Huntley’s estimated pre-tax earnings in 2012

- **$-6 Million**
  Huntley’s estimated pre-tax earnings in 2020

- **The Plant is Outdated**

- **Profits Are Down**

- **Coal Costs More**

- **Transportation Costs More**

- **The Huntley Power Plant**

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