

August 20, 2014

The Public Service Commission convened in the Commission Hearing Room, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota, on August 20, 2014, 10:00 a.m. Present were Commissioners Kalk, Christmann, and Fedorchak.

Minutes

Mr. Kalk: I move the minutes of July 30, August 4, 14, 2014 be approved.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-11-696
Basin Electric Power Cooperative
345 kV Trans. Line - Mercer, Dunn,
McKenzie, Williams Counties
Siting Application

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission execute a contract with Keitu Engineers & Consultants, Inc. for construction inspection services in Basin Electric Power Cooperative, 345 kV Transmission Line, Mercer, Dunn, McKenzie, Williams, Siting Application, Case No. PU-11-696.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-12-39
Northern States Power Company
230 Kv Peace Garden Switching
Station Tran. Line
Public Convenience & Necessity

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue an application fee refund in the amount of \$9,643.73 in Northern States Power Company, 230 KV Peace Garden Switching Station- Tran. Line, Public Convenience and Necessity, Case No. PU-12-39.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-13-98
Nexus Communications, Inc.
Designated Eligible Carrier
Application

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission adopt the Order Granting Trade Secret Protection in Nexus Communications, Inc., Designated Eligible Carrier, Application, Case No. PU-13-98.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-13-195
Northern States Power Company
Red River Valley NG Units 1 & 2 -
Hankinson, ND
Public Convenience & Necessity

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission adopt the Order Dismissing Application in Northern States Power Company, Red River Valley NG Units 1 & 2 - Hankinson, ND, Public Convenience And Necessity, Case No. PU-13-195.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-13-203
Boomerang Wireless, LLC
Designated Eligible Carrier
Application

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission adopt the Order Granting Trade Secret Protection in Boomerang Wireless, LLC., Designated Eligible Carrier, Application, Case No. PU-13-203.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-13-329
Griggs County Telephone Co.
Designated Eligible Carrier
Application

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission adopt the Order Granting Trade Secret Protection in Griggs County Telephone Co., Designated Eligible Carrier, Application, Case No. PU-13-329, as well as in Griggs County Telephone Co., Local Exchange, Public Convenience & Necessity, Case No. PU-13-330.

Case No. PU-13-330
Griggs County Telephone Co.
Local Exchange
Public Convenience & Necessity

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-13-332
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.,
a Division of MDU
Advance Prudence - Lewis & Clark
Application

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue an application fee refund in the amount of \$124,527.39 in Montana-Dakota Utilities Co, a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., Advance Prudence- Lewis & Clark, Application, Case No. PU-13-332.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-13-706
Northern States Power Company
Advance Prudence - Courtenay Wind
Application

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue an application fee refund in the amount of \$80,855.39 in Northern States Power Company, Advance Prudence-Courtenay Wind, Application, Case No. PU-13-706.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-13-707
Northern States Power Company
Advance Prudence - Odell Wind
Project
Application

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue an application fee refund in the amount of \$80,854.39 in Northern States Power Company, Advance Prudence-Odell Wind Project, Application, Case No. PU-13-707.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-13-708
Northern States Power Company
Advance Prudence - Pleasant Valley
Application

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue an application fee refund in the amount of \$80,854.38 in Northern States Power Company, Advance Prudence - Pleasant Valley, Application, Case No. PU-13-708.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GS-13-894
2014 One-Call Grant
Grants and Contracts

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission execute a contract with Newman Outdoor Advertising for advertising services in Public Service Commission, 2014 One-Call Grant, Grants and Contracts, Case No. GS-13-894.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-34
Tempo Telecom, LLC
Designated Eligible Carrier
Application

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission adopt the Order Granting Trade Secret Protection in Tempo Telecom, LLC, Designated Eligible Carrier, Application, Case No. PU-14-34.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-126
Northern States Power Company
230/115kV 336 MVA transformer -
Prairie Substation
Public Convenience & Necessity

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue an application fee refund in the amount of \$9890.52 in Northern States Power Company, 230/115KV 336 MVA transformer- Prairie Substation, Public Convenience & Necessity, Case No. PU-14-126.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-76
Red River Rural Telephone Association
2014 High-Cost Universal Service
Support
Annual Report

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission adopt the Order Granting Protection of Information in Red River Rural Telephone Association, 2014 High-Cost Universal Service Support, Annual Report, Case No. PU-14-076, Griggs County Telephone Co., 2014 High-Cost Universal Services Support, Annual Report, Case No. PU-14-399, Absaraka Cooperative Telephone Company, Inc., 2014 High-Cost Universal Services Support, Annual Report, Case No. PU-14-406, Midstate Communications Inc., 2014 High-Cost Universal Services Support, Annual Report, Case No. PU-14-407, Halstad Telephone Company, 2014 High-Cost Universal Service Support, Case No. PU-14-408, Midstate Telephone Company, 2014 High-Cost Universal Services Support, Annual Report, Case No. PU-14-409, Moore and Liberty Telephone Company, 2014 High-Cost Universal Services Support, Annual Report, Case No. PU-14-533.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-399
Griggs County Telephone Co.
2014 High-Cost Universal Services
Support
Annual Report

Case No. PU-14-406
Absaraka Cooperative Telephone
Company, Inc.
2014 High-Cost Universal Services
Support
Annual Report

Case No. PU-14-407
Midstate Communications Inc.
2014 High-Cost Universal Services
Support
Annual Report

Case No. PU-14-408
Halstad Telephone Company
2014 High-Cost Universal Service
Support
Annual Report

Case No. PU-14-409
Midstate Telephone Company
2014 High-Cost Universal Services
Support
Annual Report

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Case No. PU-14-533
Moore and Liberty Telephone
Company
2014 High-Cost Universal Services
Support
Annual Report

Blaster Re-Certification & Certification
Approval

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission approve blaster re-certification and certification for the following applicants:

No.	Applicant	Affiliation	Certificate No.
1.	Myron Stern	Freedom Mine	85-12-089-R(10)
2.	Michael Morris	Freedom Mine	85-12-095-R(10)
3.	Victor Woeste	Freedom Mine	85-12-066-R(10)
4.	David Blohm	Freedom Mine	05-10-277-R(3)
5.	Joshua Boyko	Specialized Blasting Service	14-08-360

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-12-59
Northern States Power Company
Advance Prudence - Geronimo Wind
Application

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue an application fee refund in the amount of \$52,139.91 in Northern States Power Company, Advance Prudence-Geronimo Wind, Application, Case No. PU-12-59.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-13-22
Dakota Gasification Company
10" Natural Gas Pipeline –
Mercer County
Siting Application

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission approve Basin Electric Power Cooperative's August 7, 2014, Tree and Shrub Mitigation Plan, Dakota Gasification Company, 10" Natural Gas Pipeline – Mercer County, Siting Application, Case No. PU-13-22.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-13-84
Otter Tail Power Company
Environmental Cost Recovery
Rates

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue an application fee refund in the amount of \$8,427.72 in Otter Tail Power Company, Environmental Cost Recovery, Rates, Case No. PU-13-84.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-13-839
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.,
a Division of MDU
Transmission Facility Cost Recovery
Rates

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue an application fee refund in the amount of \$9018.40 in Montana-Dakota Utilities Co, a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., Transmission Facility Cost Recovery, Rates, Case No. PU-13-839.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-142
Otter Tail Power Company
Environmental Cost Recovery
Rates

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue an application fee refund in the amount of \$9679.09 in Otter Tail Power Company, Environmental Cost Recovery, Rates, Case No. PU-14-142.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-143
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.,
a Division of MDU
Environmental Cost Recovery
Rates

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue an application fee refund in the amount of \$9214.72 in Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., Environmental Cost Recovery, Rates, Case No. PU-14-143.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-157
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.,
a Division of MDU
City of Watford City - Service Area
Agreement
Public Convenience & Necessity

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue an application fee refund in the amount of \$9,637.97 in Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., City of Watford City- Service Area Agreement, Public Convenience & Necessity, Case No. PU-14-157.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-243
Otter Tail Power Company
David Barnick - Lamoure County
Public Convenience & Necessity

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission adopt the Order and issue a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity in Otter Tail Power Company, David Barnick - Lamoure County, Public Convenience & Necessity, Case No. PU-14-243.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-351
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.,
a Division of MDU
Tim Wickenheiser - Emmons County
Public Convenience & Necessity

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission adopt the Order and issue a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity in Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., Tim Wickenheiser - Emmons County, Public Convenience & Necessity, Case No. PU-14-351.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-487
Otter Tail Power Company
Clint Campbell - Ramsey County
Public Convenience & Necessity

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission adopt the Order and issue a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity in Otter Tail Power Company, Clint Campbell – Ramsey County, Public Convenience & Necessity, Case No. PU-14-487.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-614
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a
Division of MDU
Northern Plains Coop.- Emmons
County
Public Convenience & Necessity

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., Northern Plains Coop. – Emmons County, Public Convenience & Necessity, Case No. PU-14-614

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-627
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.,
a Division of MDU
Chris & Anna Cook
Public Convenience & Necessity

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., Chris & Anna Cook, Public Convenience & Necessity, Case No. PU-14-627

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-644
Northern States Power Company
2014-2015 Transmission Facility Cost
Recovery
Rates

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission suspend tariff changes filed in Northern States Power Company, 2014 - 2015 Transmission Facility Cost Recovery, Rates, Case No. PU-14-644.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-668
Otter Tail Power Company
Fuel Clause Adjustment - CSAPR
Tariff

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission suspend tariff changes filed in Otter Tail Power Company, Fuel Clause Adjustment – CSAPR, Tariff, Case No. PU-14-668.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-677
Otter Tail Power Company
Josh Kuntz - Ramsey County
Public Convenience & Necessity

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission issue a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in Otter Tail Power Company, Josh Kuntz – Ramsey County, Public Convenience & Necessity, Case No. PU-14-677.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-13-743
Northern States Power Company
150 MW Border Winds Project –
Rolette County, ND
Public Convenience & Necessity

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission adopt the Order issuing Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity Number 5841 in Northern States Power Company, 150 MW Border Winds Project – Rolette County, ND, Public Convenience & Necessity, Case No. PU-13-743

Ms. Fedorchak: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GS-13-802
Selland Construction, Inc.
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission adopt the Consent Order in Public Service Commission, Selland Construction Inc, Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case No. GS-13-802.

Ms. Fedorchak: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-682
Roberts County Telephone
Cooperative Association
Local Exchange
Public Convenience & Necessity

Mr. Kalk: Believing that there will be no prejudice to the rights of the parties or the public interest, and finding the cases involve similar questions of law and fact, I move the Commission consolidate the captioned cases under North Dakota Administrative Code section 69-02-04-04 and issue a Notice of Opportunity for Consolidated Hearing in Roberts County Telephone Cooperative Association of New Effington, South Dakota, Local Exchange, Public Convenience & Necessity, Case No. PU-14-682, and Roberts County Telephone Cooperative Association of New Effington, South Dakota, Designated Eligible Carrier, Application, Case No. PU-14-683.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. RC-13-132
BNI Coal, Ltd.
Bond Release No. 9, Permit 37
Approval

Mr. Christmann: I move the Commission approve Bond Release No. 9 to Surface Coal Mining Permit No. 37, held by BNI Coal, Ltd. for the Center Mine, to release all reclamation liabilities on 1.78 acres located in a portion of the SW1/4 of Section 25, T142N, R84W, Oliver County. The amount of the bond release is \$3,560 and it will become effective September 22, 2014, unless a formal hearing is requested.

Mr. Kalk: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GE-14-658
Full Circle Ag
License No. 1241 - Havana, ND
Discontinue Business

Mr. Christmann: I move the Commission adopt an order in Case No. GE-14-658 cancelling warehouse license number 1241 issued to Full Circle Ag at Havana, North Dakota and ordering that business at Havana under license number 1241 is discontinued effective August 1, 2014.

Mr. Kalk: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GE-14-659
BP & Sons Grain and Storage, Inc.
Roving Grain Buyer –
Morden, Manitoba
Discontinue Business

Mr. Christmann: I move the Commission adopt an order in Case No. GE-14-659 cancelling roving grain buyer license number 3186 issued to BP & Sons Grain and Storage, Inc. of Morden, Manitoba, Canada and ordering that all North Dakota roving grain buyer activities be discontinued effective August 1, 2014.

Ms. Fedorchak: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GE-14-676
SunOpta Grains and Foods Inc.
License No. 1246 - Fargo, ND
Discontinue Business

Mr. Christmann: I move the Commission adopt an order in Case No. GE-14-676 cancelling warehouse license number 1246 issued to SunOpta Grains and Foods Inc. at Fargo, North Dakota and ordering that business at Fargo under license number 1246 is discontinued effective August 1, 2014.

Mr. Kalk: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GE-14-684
S & S Grain, Inc.
Grain Warehouse - Walhalla, ND
License Application

Mr. Christmann: I move the Commission adopt an order in Case No. GE-14-684 granting the request of S & S Grain, Inc. to operate a 475,000-bushel grain warehouse at Walhalla, North Dakota.

Ms. Fedorchak: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GE-14-685
Gavilon Grain, LLC
Facility-Based Grain Buyer –
Valley City, ND
Discontinue Business

Mr. Christmann: I move the Commission adopt an order in Case No. GE-14-685 cancelling facility-based grain buyer license number 2148 issued to Gavilon Grain, LLC at Valley City, North Dakota and ordering that business at Valley City, North Dakota is discontinued.

Mr. Kalk: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-108
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.,
a Division of MDU
Generation Resource Cost Recovery
Tariff

Ms. Fedorchak: I move the Commission adopt the Order on Settlement in Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., Generation Resource Recovery Rider, Tariff, Case No. PU-14-108 and Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., Generation Resource Recovery Rider, Rates, Case No. PU-14-109.

Case No. PU-14-109
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.,
a Division of MDU
Generation Resource Cost Recovery
Rates

Mr. Kalk: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-625
Targa Badlands LLC
8-Inch Crude Pipeline Project -
Mountrail County
Siting Application

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission retain Zachary Pelham to provide legal services to assist the Commission in processing Targa Badlands LLC, 8-Inch Crude Pipeline Project, Mountrail County, Siting Application, Case No. PU-14-625.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Resignation - AML Seasonal Inspector

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission accept, with regret, the resignation of Michael Mahoney effective July 18, 2014.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-13-877
Northern Excavating Co., Inc.
(7-25-2013)
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission rescind the January 29, 2014 motion and appoint Victor Schock as advocacy staff effective June 16, 2014, in the Public Service Commission's damage enforcement actions concerning Northern Excavating Co., Inc., Case Nos. PU-13-877, PU-13-878, PU-13-879, PU-13-880, PU-13-881, PU-13-882, and PU-13-883.

Case No. PU-13-878
Northern Excavating Co., Inc.
(8-2-2013)
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-13-879
Northern Excavating Co., Inc.
(25 pair copper)
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Case No. PU-13-880
Northern Excavating Co., Inc.
(144 Fiber Optic)
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Case No. PU-13-881
Northern Excavating Co., Inc.
(9-17-2013)
Damage Prevention Enforcement

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Case No. PU-13-882
Northern Excavating Co., Inc.
(9-30-2013)
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Case No. PU-13-883
Northern Excavating Co., Inc.
(75 pair 2nd time)
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Case No. PU-14-134
Northern Excavating Co., Inc.
(4-fiber 2nd time)
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission rescind the March 26, 2014 motion and appoint Victor Schock as advocacy staff effective June 16, 2014, in Public Service Commission, Northern Excavating Co., Inc., Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case No. PU-14-134.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GS-14-216
Plote Construction ND, LLC
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission rescind the May 6, 2014 motion and appoint Aaron Morman as advocacy staff effective April 14, 2014, in Public Service Commission, Plote Construction ND, LLC, Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case No. GS-14-216.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GS-14-217
Plote Construction ND, LLC
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission rescind the May 6, 2014 motion and appoint Aaron Morman as advocacy staff effective April 14, 2014, in Public Service Commission, Plote Construction ND, LLC, Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case No. GS-14-217.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GS-14-229
Northern Excavating Co., Inc.
(05-06-14 8:57 a.m.)
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission rescind the July 10, 2014 motion and appoint Aaron Morman as advocacy staff effective May 12, 2014, in Public Service Commission, Northern Excavating Co., Inc., Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case No. GS-14-229.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GS-14-230
Northern Excavating Co., Inc.
(04-30-14 1:45 p.m.)
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission rescind the July 10, 2014 motion and appoint Aaron Morman as advocacy staff effective May 12, 2014, in Public Service Commission, Northern Excavating Co., Inc., Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case No. GS-14-230.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GS-14-242
Diamond Resources, Inc.
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission rescind the May 28, 2014 motion and appoint Aaron Morman as advocacy staff effective May 13, 2014, in Public Service Commission, Diamond Resources, Inc., Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case No. GS-14-242.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GS-14-249
Everett Hall
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission rescind the July 30, 2014 motion and appoint Aaron Morman as advocacy staff effective May 23, 2014, in Public Service Commission, Everett Hall, Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case No. GS-14-249.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-499
Molstad Excavating, Inc.
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission rescind the July 10, 2014 motion and appoint Victor Schock as advocacy staff effective June 30, 2014, in Public Service Commission, Molstad Excavating, Inc., Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case No. PU-14-499.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GS-14-590
ONEOK Rockies Midstream, L.L.C.
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission rescind the July 30, 2014 motion and appoint Aaron Morman as advocacy staff effective July 14, 2014, in Public Service Commission, ONEOK Rockies Midstream, L.L.C., Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case No. GS-14-590.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. GS-14-633
Rock Solid Excavating, Inc.
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission appoint Aaron Morman as advocacy staff effective July 22, 2014, in Public Service Commission, Rock Solid Excavating, Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case No. GS-14-633.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-664
On Grade Excavation LLC
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission appoint Julie Prescott as advocacy staff effective July 31, 2014, in the Public Service Commission damage enforcement action concerning Lexar Homes, Case No. PU-14-664.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-671
Northern Excavating Co., Inc.
(5-28-2014 3:30 pm)
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission appoint Victor Schock as advocacy staff effective August 5, 2014, in Public Service Commission, Northern Excavating Co., Inc., Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case No. PU-14-671.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-672
Northern Excavating Co., Inc. -
Outstanding Balance
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission appoint Julie Prescott as advocacy staff effective August 5, 2014, in Public Service Commission, Northern Excavating Co., Inc., Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case No. PU-14-672.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-678
Antelope Hills Wind Project, LLC
345 kV Transmission Line –
Mercer County
Siting Application

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission retain Mitchell D. Armstrong and Brian Schmidt to provide legal services to assist the Commission in processing Antelope Hills Wind Project, LLC, 345 kV Transmission Line, Mercer County, Siting Application, Case No. PU-14-678.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-14-679
Antelope Hills Wind Project, LLC
Wind Energy Conversion Facility -
Mercer County
Siting Application

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission retain Mitchell D. Armstrong and Brian Schmidt to provide legal services to assist the Commission in processing Antelope Hills Wind Project, LLC, Wind Energy Conversion Facility, Mercer County, Siting Application, Case No. PU-14-679.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

New Hire - Temporary Office Assistant

Mr. Kalk: I move the Commission acknowledge the offer to and acceptance of Jennifer J. Lein to fill the temporary Office Assistant position, effective August 25, 2014, under the terms specified in the August 19, 2014 written offer of employment.

Mr. Christmann: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

ATTEST

THE COMMISSION ADJOURNED AT 12:05 P.M.

Executive Secretary

BRIAN P. KALK, CHAIRMAN