

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**  
**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**Otter Tail Corporation**  
**Alltel Wireless Tower – Fessenden, ND**  
**Public Convenience and Necessity**

**Case No. PU-09-34**

**AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY CERTIFIED & REGULAR MAIL**

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

**Janet Marquart** deposes and says that:

she is over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action and, on the **11<sup>th</sup>** day of **February, 2009**, she deposited in the United States Mail, at Bismarck, North Dakota, **two** envelopes with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, securely sealed and each containing photocopy of:

Notice of Opportunity for Hearing

The envelopes were addressed as follows:

Mr. Bruce Gerhardson  
Associate General Counsel  
Otter Tail Corporation  
PO Box 496  
Fergus Falls, MN 56538-0496

Mr. Max Witherspoon  
Alltel Wireless  
1651 Cty Hwy 1  
Fessenden ND 58368

**Cert. No. 7008 1830 0004 1758 7010**

**Cert. No. 7008 1830 0004 1758 7027**

**Janet Marquart** further deposes and says that on the **11<sup>th</sup>** day of **February, 2009**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **two** envelopes by regular mail, with postage fully prepaid, securely sealed, each containing a photocopy of the same.

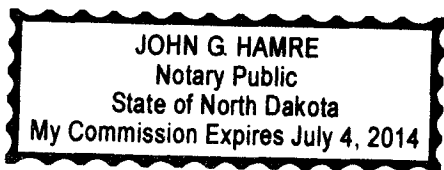
Mr. Dennis Ellefson  
Otter Tail Power Company  
PO Box 2220  
Jamestown ND 58402-2220

Mr. Ron Montonye, Operations Mgr  
Otter Tail Power Company  
PO Box 289  
Rugby ND 58368-0289

Each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 11<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2009.

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*Janet Mangant*  
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*John G. Hamre*  
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Notary Public

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**NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING**

**February 11, 2009**

On January 08, 2009, Otter Tail Corporation, an electric public utility, filed an application under Chapter 49-03, N.D.C.C. to extend service to Alltel Wireless' new tower near Fessenden, in Wells County, North Dakota.


Submitted with the application was a statement from the customer, Alltel Wireless that they desire electric service to be provided by the applicant at a point located in:

**SE ¼ of Section 8, Township 148N, Range 70W, Wells County,  
North Dakota**

Otter Tail Corporation states that electric service is needed at this location immediately, and the applicant has made a prima facie showing that it should serve the customer.

Any interested party has the right to file written objection, based on the issue of public convenience and necessity, with the Commission by **March 13, 2009**, and the matter will then be set for hearing. If no objections are received by that date, the application may be granted as requested.

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

  
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**Tony Clark**  
**Commissioner**

  
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**Kevin Cramer**  
**President**

  
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**Brian P. Kalk**  
**Commissioner**