



June 10, 2013



**VIA POSTAL SERVICE**

Mr. Darrell Nitschke  
Executive Secretary  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 E. Boulevard, Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

**RE: Minnkota power Cooperative, Inc.  
345 kV Transmission Line – Center  
to Grand Forks Project  
Case No. PU-09-670**

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

Please accept the attached Structure Relocation requests for the CGF Project in:

Wells County (SR-CGF-WL-006, SR-CGF-WL-007, SR-CGF-WL-008)  
McLean County (SR-CGF-ML-002A, SR-CGF-ML-003)

Sincerely,

Mike Hennes  
Senior Manager Transmission Operations  
Minnkota Power Cooperative  
(701) 795-4352

Encl. Relocation Request

cc: Mr. Jerry Lein (w/ encl. – via e-mail)

# Center to Grand Forks Project



▶ CGF Project – Structure Relocation Approval Request

Case No. PU-09-670

SR-CGF-ML-002A

Michael Hennes ▶ Minnkota Power Cooperative, Inc. ▶ 6/10/2013

<u>Relocation Request:</u>	Minnkota requests approval of a shift in the location of Structure 147 in McLean County ( <i>see</i> attached map showing original and new structure locations).
<u>Location:</u>	NE1/4 of Section 15, Township 143 North, Range 80 West, Mclean County, North Dakota.  Relocated structures will remain within the approved Route, and on the same landowners' property.
<u>Reason for Relocation:</u>	To accommodate an existing road easement the structure needed to be moved.
<u>Environmental Review/Compliance with Siting Criteria:</u>	New structure locations were included in prior surveys for cultural resources and wetlands, and no cultural resources or wetlands will be impacted by structure relocations ( <i>see</i> reports submitted as public hearing Exhibits K and M).  No exclusion or avoidance areas will be impacted by this structure relocation.

SCALE:

1" = 200'



SR-CGF-ML-002A



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DESCRIPTION NE1/4 SEC. 15 TWP. 143N R. 80W  
 COUNTY MCLEAN STATE NORTH DAKOTA  
 OWNER LOWAYNE KRUSH a/k/a H. LOWAYNE KRUSH & JUDY KRUSH a/k/a JUDY L. KRUSH, h/w as JT ADDRESS 602 2ND ST N WILTON, ND 58579

TRANSMISSION FACILITY: CENTER-GRAND FORKS 345 KV  
 POLE MOVEMENT: 30.00' DIFFERENCE  
 LENGTH

● = NEW POLE LOCATION

● = PSC APPROVED POLE LOCATION

POLE #: 147 DATE: 6/05/2013

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SR-CGF-ML-003

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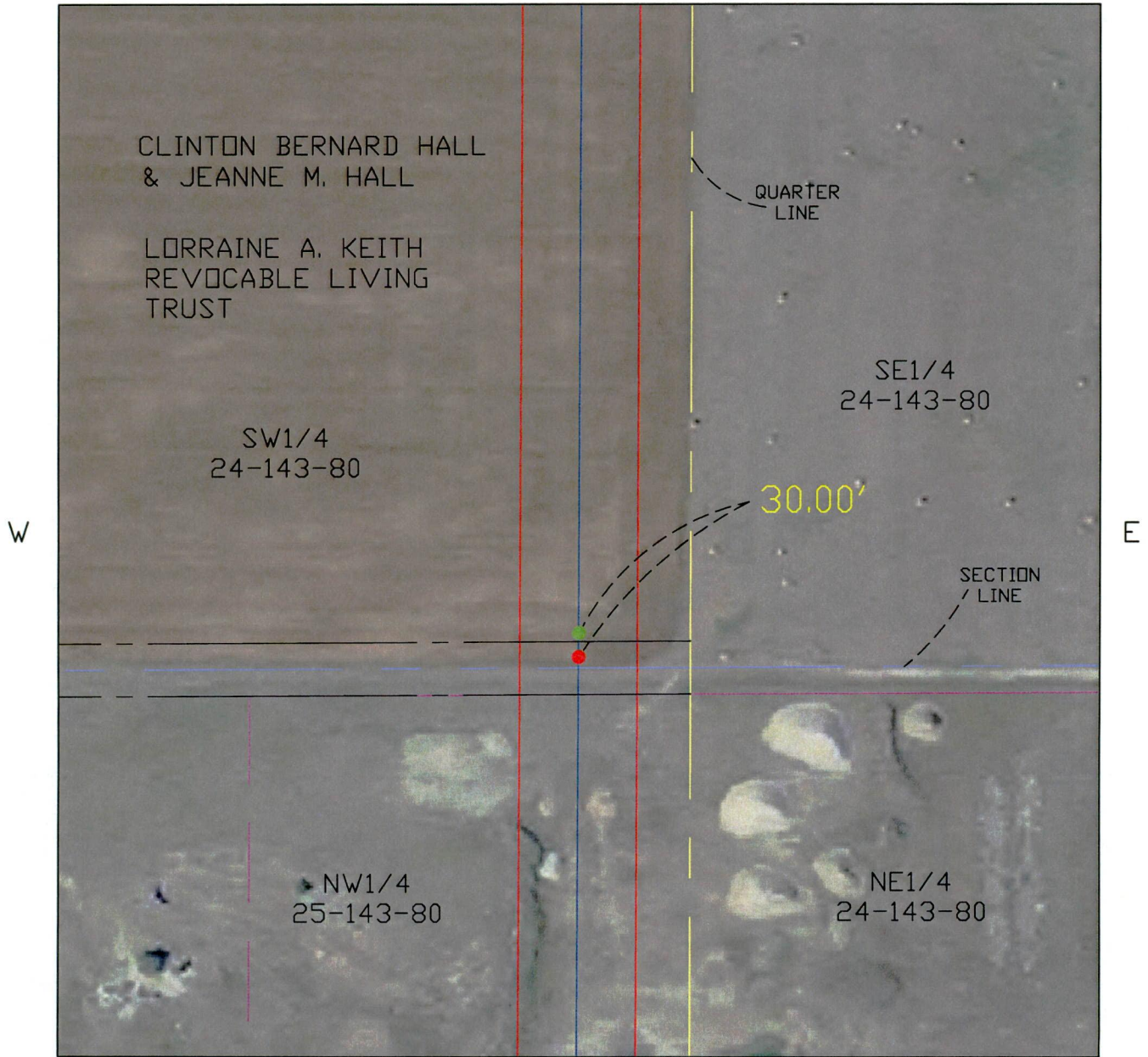
<u>Relocation Request:</u>	Minnkota requests approval of a shift in the location of Structure 179 in McLean County ( <i>see</i> attached map showing original and new structure locations).
<u>Location:</u>	SW1/4 of Section 24, Township 144 North, Range 80 West, Mclean County, North Dakota.  Relocated structures will remain within the approved Route, and on the same landowners' property.
<u>Reason for Relocation:</u>	To accommodate an existing road easement the structure needed to be moved.
<u>Environmental Review/Compliance with Siting Criteria:</u>	New structure locations were included in prior surveys for cultural resources and wetlands, and no cultural resources or wetlands will be impacted by structure relocations ( <i>see</i> reports submitted as public hearing Exhibits K and M).  No exclusion or avoidance areas will be impacted by this structure relocation.

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SR-CGF-ML-003



DESCRIPTION SW1/4 SEC. 24 TWP. 144N R. 80W  
 COUNTY MCLEAN STATE NORTH DAKOTA

OWNER CLINTON BERNARD HALL & JEANNE M. HALL ADDRESS 3633 KIMBERLY CT GRAND FORKS, ND 58201

OWNER LORRAINE A. KEITH REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST ADDRESS 1900 BALLINGTON DR. NW, APT. 105, ROCHESTER, MN 55901

TRANSMISSION FACILITY: CENTER-GRAND FORKS 345 KV

POLE MOVEMENT: 30.00' DIFFERENCE / LENGTH

● = NEW POLE LOCATION

● = PSC APPROVED POLE LOCATION

POLE #: 179 DATE: 6/04/2013

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SR-CGF-WL-006

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<u>Relocation Request:</u>	<p>Minnkota requests approval of a shift in the location of Structures 613 in Wells County (<i>see</i> attached map showing original and new structure locations).</p> <p>Minnkota requests approval of this relocation as soon as possible in order to enable it to proceed with installation of foundations for structures in this section.</p>
<u>Location:</u>	<p>S1/2 of Section 26, Township 148 North, Range 69 West, Wells County, North Dakota.</p> <p>Relocated structures will remain within the approved Route, and on the same landowners' property.</p>
<u>Reason for Relocation:</u>	<p>Landowner request to accommodate farming operations.</p>
<u>Environmental Review/Compliance with Siting Criteria:</u>	<p>New structure locations were included in prior surveys for cultural resources and wetlands, and no cultural resources or wetlands will be impacted by structure relocations (<i>see</i> reports submitted as public hearing Exhibits K and M).</p> <p>No exclusion or avoidance areas will be impacted by structure relocations.</p>

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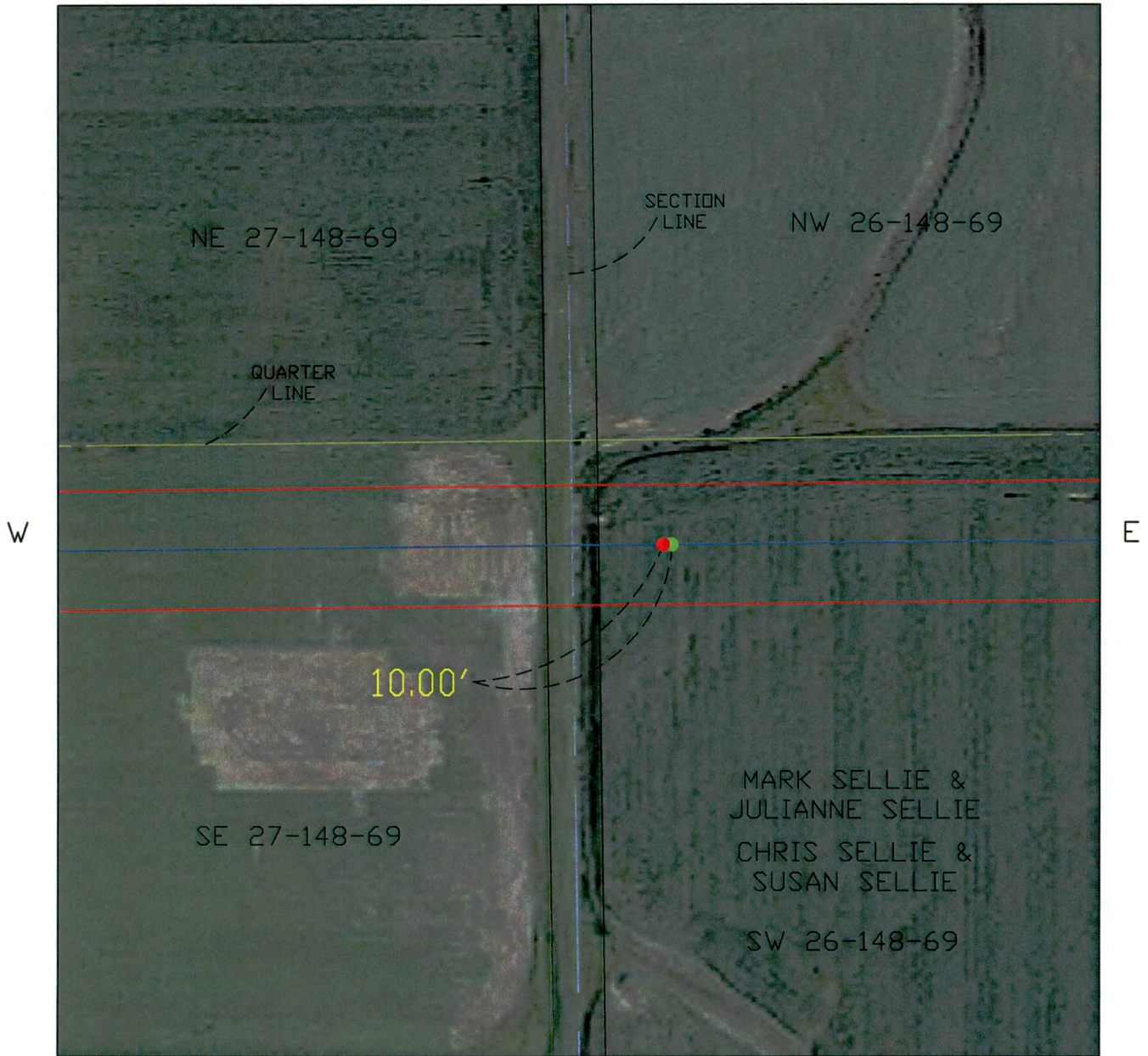
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DESCRIPTION S1/2 SEC. 26 TWP. 148N R. 69W

COUNTY WELLS STATE NORTH DAKOTA

OWNER MARK SELLIE & JULIANNE SELLIE ADDRESS 1839 53RD AVE NE CATHAY, ND 58422

OWNER CHRIS SELLIE & SUSAN SELLIE ADDRESS 1138 HWY 30 CATHAY, ND 58422

TRANSMISSION FACILITY: CENTER-GRAND FORKS 345 KV

POLE MOVEMENT:  $\frac{10.00' \text{ DIFFERENCE}}{\text{LENGTH}}$

● = NEW POLE LOCATION

● = PSC APPROVED POLE LOCATION

POLE #: 613

DATE: 6/04/2013

PROJECT: CENTER TO GRAND FORKS

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SR-CGF-WL-007

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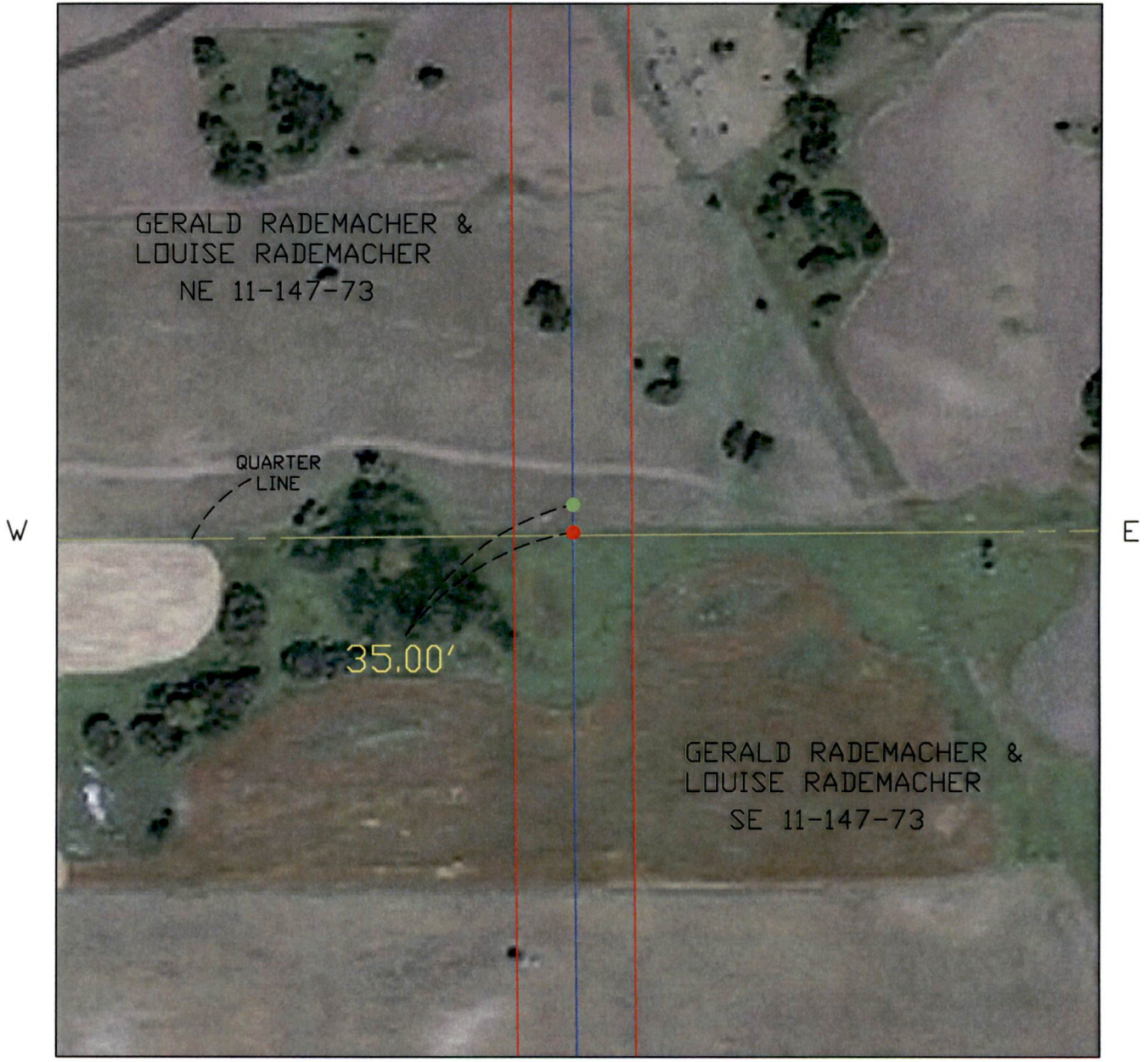
<u>Relocation Request:</u>	<p>Minnkota requests approval of a shift in the location of Structures 475 in Wells County (<i>see</i> attached map showing original and new structure locations).</p> <p>Minnkota requests approval of this relocation as soon as possible in order to enable it to proceed with installation of foundations for structures in this section.</p>
<u>Location:</u>	<p>S1/2 and NE1/4 of Section 11, Township 147 North, Range 73 West, Wells County, North Dakota.</p> <p>Relocated structures will remain within the approved Route, and on the same landowners' property.</p>
<u>Reason for Relocation:</u>	<p>Design change due to close proximity to an existing distribution line.</p>
<u>Environmental Review/Compliance with Siting Criteria:</u>	<p>New structure locations were included in prior surveys for cultural resources and wetlands, and no cultural resources or wetlands will be impacted by structure relocations (<i>see</i> reports submitted as public hearing Exhibits K and M).</p> <p>No exclusion or avoidance areas will be impacted by structure relocations.</p>

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SR-CGF-WL-007



DESCRIPTION S1/2, NE1/4 SEC. 11 TWP. 147N R. 73W  
 COUNTY WELLS STATE NORTH DAKOTA  
 OWNER GERALD RADEMACHER & LOUISE RADEMACHER ADDRESS 1034 28TH AVE NE HARVEY, ND 58341

TRANSMISSION FACILITY: CENTER-GRAND FORKS 345 KV

POLE MOVEMENT: 35.00' DIFFERENCE  
LENGTH

● = NEW POLE LOCATION  
 ● = PSC APPROVED POLE LOCATION POLE #: 475

DATE: 6/07/2013

PROJECT: CENTER TO GRAND FORKS

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SR-CGF-WL-008

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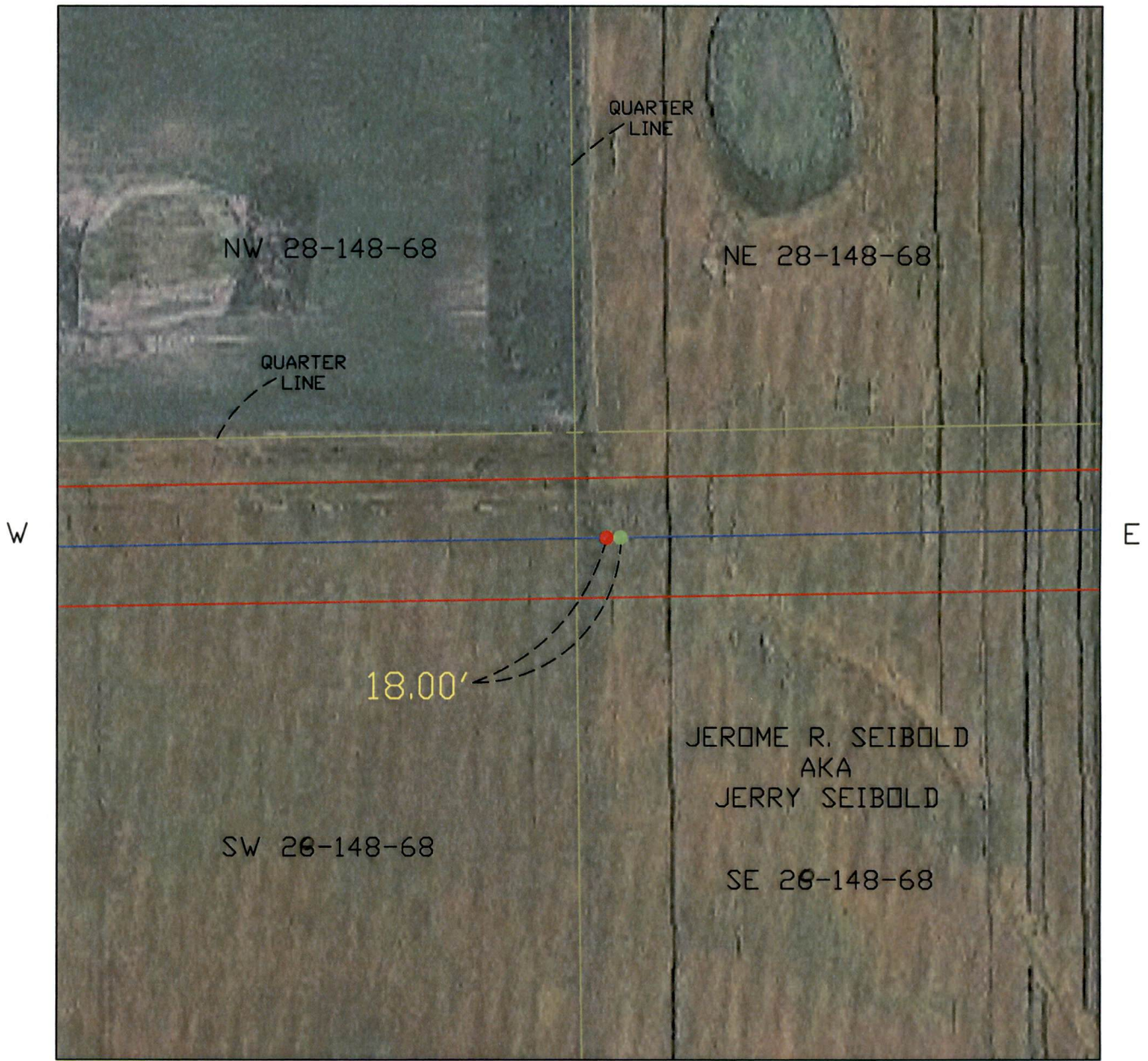
<u>Relocation Request:</u>	<p>Minnkota requests approval of a shift in the location of Structures 637 in Wells County (<i>see</i> attached map showing original and new structure locations).</p> <p>Minnkota requests approval of this relocation as soon as possible in order to enable it to proceed with installation of foundations for structures in this section.</p>
<u>Location:</u>	<p>SW1/4, W1/2 of SE1/4 of Section 28, Township 148 North, Range 68 West, Wells County, North Dakota.</p> <p>Relocated structures will remain within the approved Route, and on the same landowners' property.</p>
<u>Reason for Relocation:</u>	<p>Landowner request to accommodate farming operations.</p>
<u>Environmental Review/Compliance with Siting Criteria:</u>	<p>New structure locations were included in prior surveys for cultural resources and wetlands, and no cultural resources or wetlands will be impacted by structure relocations (<i>see</i> reports submitted as public hearing Exhibits K and M).</p> <p>No exclusion or avoidance areas will be impacted by structure relocations.</p>

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1" = 200'



SR-GF-WL-008



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DESCRIPTION SW1/4, W1/2 OF SE1/4 SEC. 28 TWP. 148N R. 68W  
 COUNTY WELLS STATE NORTH DAKOTA  
 OWNER JEROME R. SEIBOLD AKA JERRY SEIBOLD ADDRESS 1109 5TH AVE N NEW ROCKFORD, ND 58356  
 TRANSMISSION FACILITY: CENTER-GRAND FORKS 345 KV

POLE MOVEMENT: 18.00' DIFFERENCE  
 LENGTH

● = NEW POLE LOCATION

● = PSC APPROVED POLE LOCATION

POLE #: 637

DATE: 6/05/2013

PROJECT: CENTER TO GRAND FORKS