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September 27, 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-009, SR-CGF-WL-010)

Sincerely,

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

Encl. Structure 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-WL-009

Michael Hennes ▶ Minnkota Power Cooperative, Inc. ▶ 9/27/2013

<u>Relocation Request:</u>	<p>Minnkota requests approval of a shift in the location of Structures 506, 507 and 508 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>E1/2 of SW1/4 and W1/2 of SE1/4 of Section 2, Township 147 North, Range 72 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>

SCALE:

1" = 400'

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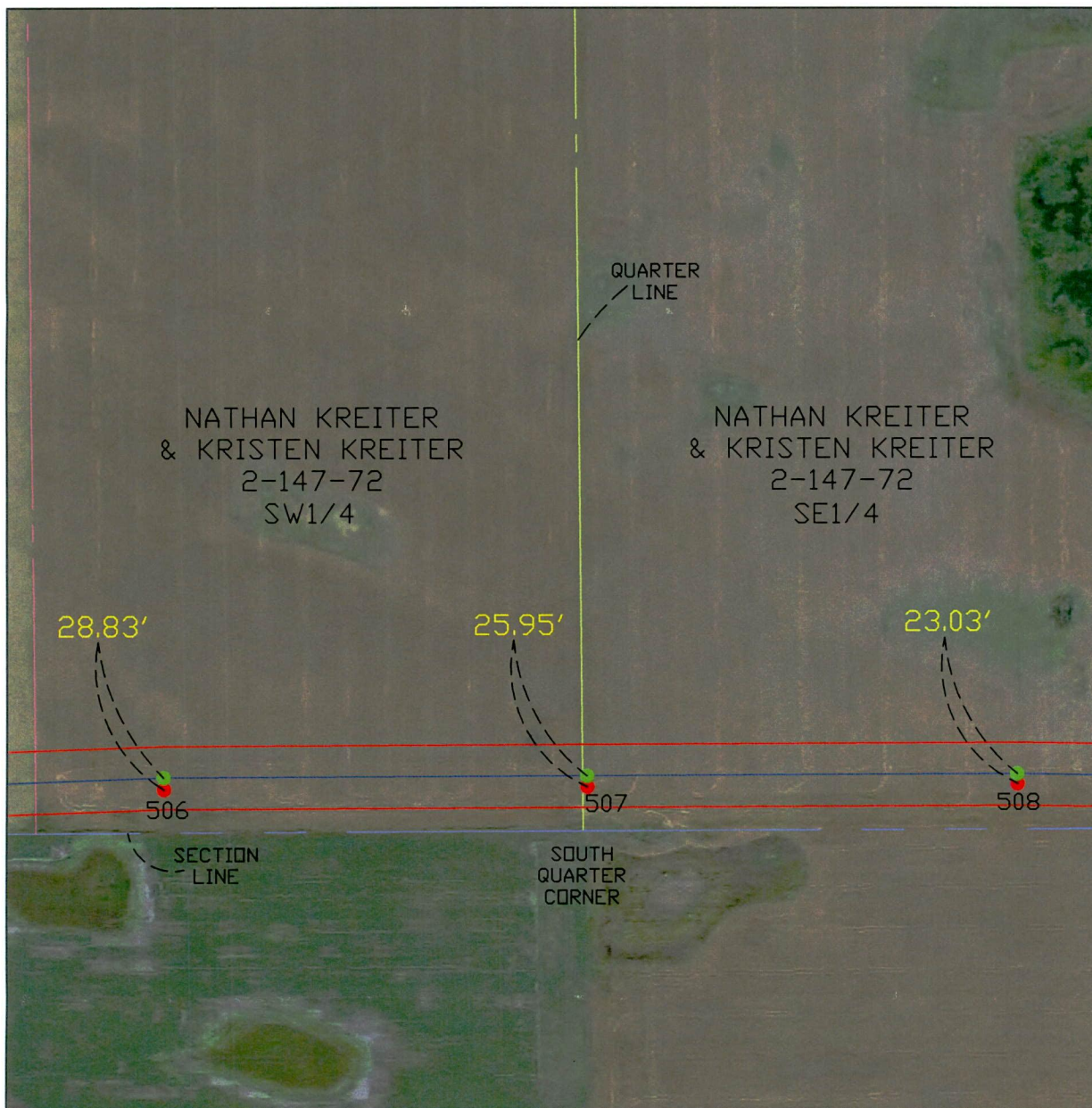
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SR-CGF-WL-009

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DESCRIPTION E1/2 OF SW1/4 & W1/2 OF SE1/4 SEC. 2 TWP. 147NR. 72W

COUNTY WELLS STATE NORTH DAKOTA

OWNER NATHAN KREITER & KRISTEN KREITER ADDRESS 502 S 14TH ST BISMARCK, ND 58504

TRANSMISSION FACILITY: CENTER-GRAND FORKS 345 KV

POLE MOVEMENT: 28.83' DIFFERENCE 25.95' DIFFERENCE 23.03' DIFFERENCE  
LENGTH LENGTH LENGTH

● = NEW POLE LOCATION

● = PSC APPROVED POLE LOCATION

POLE #: 506  
507  
508

DATE: 9/27/2013

PROJECT: CENTER TO GRAND FORKS

# Center to Grand Forks Project



▶ CGF Project – Structure Relocation Approval Request

Case No. PU-09-670

SR-CGF-WL-010

Michael Hennes ▶ Minnkota Power Cooperative, Inc. ▶ 9/27/2013

<u>Relocation Request:</u>	<p>Minnkota requests approval of a shift in the location of Structures 515 and 516 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>Gov't lots 3 of NW1/4 and S1/2 of NW1/4 of Section 1, Township 147 North, Range 72 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>

SCALE:

1" = 200'

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DESCRIPTION GOV'T LOTS 3 OF NW1/4 & S1/2 OF NW1/4 SEC. 1 TWP. 147N R. 72W  
 COUNTY WELLS STATE NORTH DAKOTA  
 OWNER NATHAN KREITER & KRISTEN KREITER ADDRESS 502 S 14TH ST BISMARCK, ND 58504  
 TRANSMISSION FACILITY: CENTER-GRAND FORKS 345 KV

POLE MOVEMENT: 2.41' DIFFERENCE 3.12' DIFFERENCE  
 LENGTH LENGTH

● = NEW POLE LOCATION

● = PSC APPROVED POLE LOCATION

POLE #: 515  
516

DATE: 9/27/2013

PROJECT: CENTER TO GRAND FORKS