

January 29, 2014



**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:

Oliver County (SR-CGF-OL-003)

Sincerely,



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

Encl. Structure Relocation Requests including:

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

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**Structure relocation request - Oliver County**

# Center to Grand Forks Project



▶ CGF Project – Structure Relocation Approval Request

Case No. PU-09-670

SR-CGF-OL-003

Michael Hennes ▶ Minnkota Power Cooperative, Inc. ▶ 1/29/2014

<u>Relocation Request:</u>	<p>Minnkota requests approval of a shift in the location of Structure 3 in Oliver County (<i>see</i> attached map showing original and new structure locations).</p> <p>Minnkota requests approval of relocations as soon as possible in order enable it to proceed with installation of foundations for structures.</p>
<u>Location:</u>	<p>NW/4 of Sections 34, Township 142 North, Range 83 West, Oliver 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>Structure relocated to avoid underground utilities.</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'

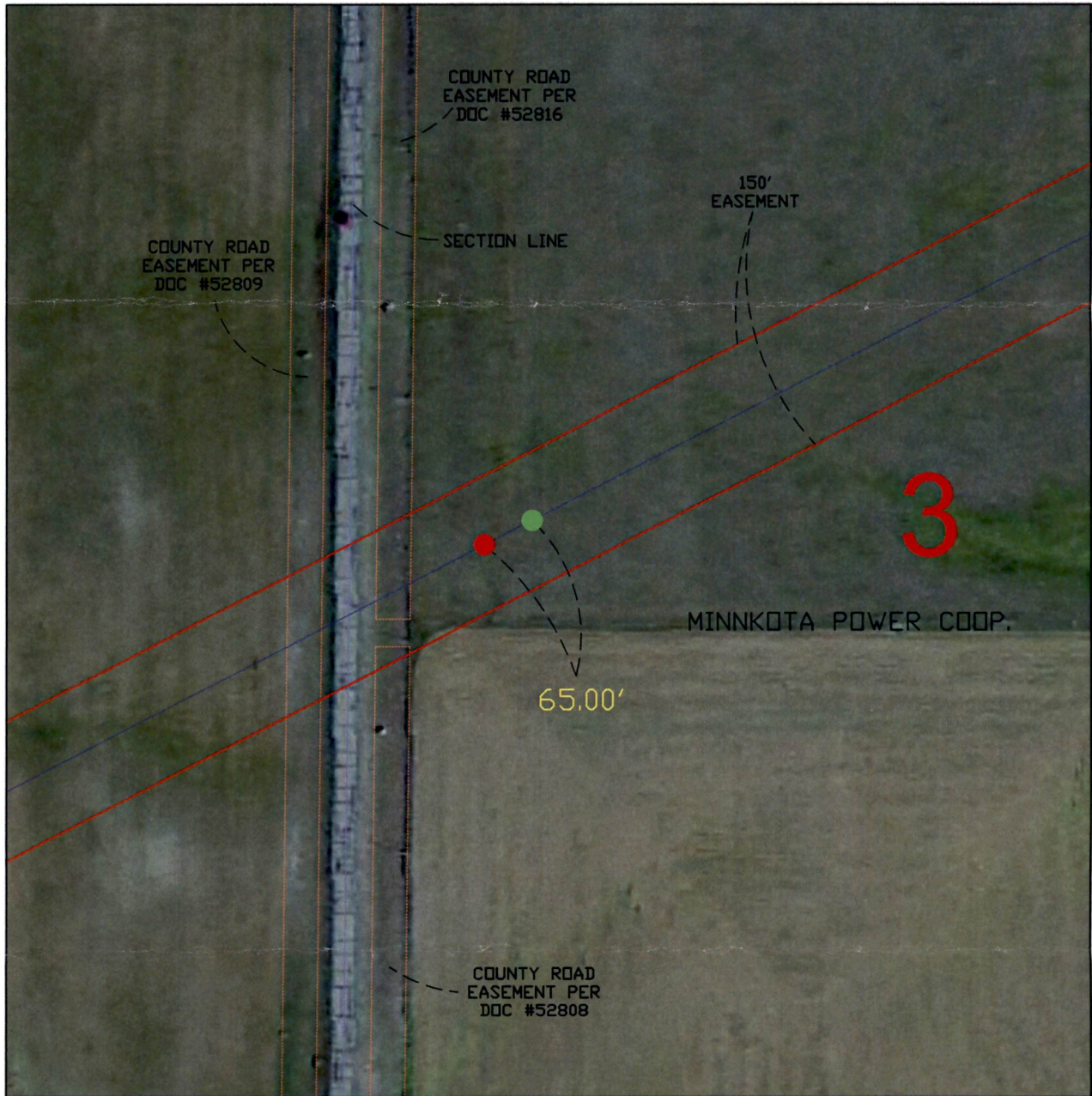


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DESCRIPTION NW1/4 SEC. 34 TWP. 142N R. 83W

COUNTY OLIVER STATE NORTH DAKOTA

OWNER MINNKOTA POWER COOP. ADDRESS PO BOX 13200 GRAND FORKS, ND 58208

TRANSMISSION FACILITY: CENTER-GRAND FORKS 345 KV

POLE MOVEMENT: 65.00' DIFFERENCE  
LENGTH

● = NEW POLE LOCATION

POLE #: 3

DATE: 1/28/2014

● = PSC APPROVED POLE LOCATION

PROJECT: CENTER TO GRAND FORKS