

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

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.  
Chris Morrell- Morton County  
Public Convenience & Necessity**

**Case No. PU-11-422**

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

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

**Cara DeSaye** deposes and says that:

she is over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action and, on the **9<sup>th</sup>** day of **September, 2011**, she deposited in the United States Mail, at Bismarck, North Dakota, **one** envelope with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, securely sealed and containing a photocopy of:

**Order Granting Certificate of Public Convenience & Necessity**

and an original of:

**Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity  
Certificate Number 5443**

The envelope was addressed as follows:

Tamie Aberle  
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.  
400 North Fourth Street  
Bismarck ND 58501

**Cert. No. 7010 1060 0001 0644 3553**

**Cara DeSaye** further deposes and says that on the **9<sup>th</sup>** day of **September, 2011**, 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.

The envelopes were addressed as follows:

Randy Ressler  
Mor-Gran-Sou Electric Cooperative, Inc.  
2816 37<sup>th</sup> St NW  
Mandan ND 58554

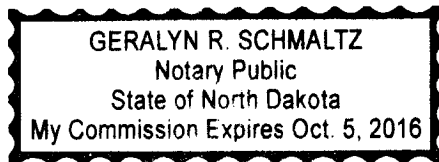
ND Association of RECs  
PO Box 727  
Mandan ND 58554-0727

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 9<sup>th</sup> day of **September, 2011**.

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Cara DeLoye  
Geralyn R. Schmaltz  
Notary Public

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**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of  
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**ORDER GRANTING CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE & NECESSITY**

**September 7, 2011**

On July 14, 2011, Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., an electric public utility, filed an application under Chapter 49-03, N.D.C.C. to extend service to Chris Morrell at a location in Morton County, North Dakota.

On July 27, 2011, the Commission issued a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in this proceeding. The Notice provided if no objections were received by August 29, 2011, the application would be granted as requested. No objections have been received.

**Order**

The Commission orders:

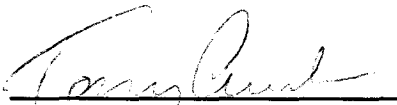
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. is issued Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 5443 authorizing the provision of electric distribution service to Chris Morrell at a point located in:

**Section 28, Twp 139N, R 81W, Morton County, North Dakota.**

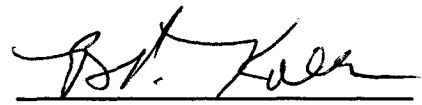
**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**



**Kevin Cramer  
Commissioner**



**Tony Clark  
Chairman**



**Brian P. Kalk  
Commissioner**

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**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**

**Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity**

**Certificate Number 5443**

*This is to certify that public convenience and necessity require, and permission is granted for Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., to serve Chris Morrell in the of Section 28, Township 139N, Range 81W, Morton County, North Dakota.*

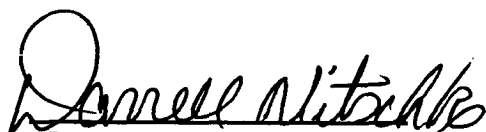
*This certificate is issued in accordance with the Order of this Commission dated September 7, 2011 in Case No. PU-11-422, and is subject to the conditions and limitations noted in the Order.*

*This certificate is conditioned upon Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc. securing the franchise or other authority of the proper municipal or other public authority for the exercise of these rights and privileges.*

*Bismarck, North Dakota, September 7, 2011.*

**ATTEST:**

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

  
**Executive Secretary**

  
**Commissioner**