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RE: Midcontinent/Missouri Valley Communications, Inc.  
ND PSC Case No. PU-11-543

Dear Ms. Jeffcoat-Sacco and Mr. Fahn:

I am writing on behalf of Missouri Valley Communications, Inc. I have had e-mail correspondence with representatives of Midcontinent Communications concerning the selection of a Mediator to mediate a dispute between Midcontinent Communications and Missouri Valley Communications. Both parties are agreeable to waiving the ten day period for the North Dakota Public Service Commission's appointment of a Mediator. Both parties expect to reach agreement on a Mediator within the next week.

Very truly yours,

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