

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

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU  
Resources Group, Inc.  
88 MW Simple Cycle Combustion Turbine  
Siting Application**

**Case No. PU-11-631**

**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 **12<sup>th</sup>** day of **October, 2012**, 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:

**Notice of Filing and Notice of Hearing**

The envelope was addressed as follows:

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

**Cert. No. 7011 3500 0003 4574 5926**

**Cara DeSaye** further deposes and says that on the **12<sup>th</sup>** day of **October, 2012**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **one** envelope by regular mail, with postage fully prepaid, securely sealed, each containing a photocopy of the same.

The envelope was addressed as follows:

Daniel Kuntz  
MDU Resources Group, Inc.  
PO Box 5650  
Bismarck ND 58506-5650

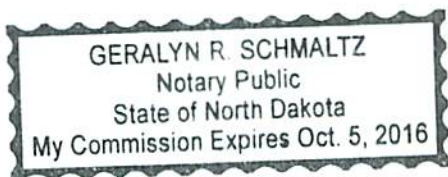
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Each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 12<sup>th</sup> day of **October, 2012**.

*Cara Debye*  
*Gerald R. Schmalz*  
Notary Public

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**NOTICE OF FILING AND NOTICE OF HEARING**

**October 10, 2012**


On November 9, 2011, Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., filed an application for a certificate of site compatibility to authorize construction of an 88 MW natural gas fired simple cycle combustion turbine generator to be located adjacent to the existing Heskett Generating Plant in Morton County, North Dakota as shown on the attached map.

A **Public Hearing** on the application is scheduled to begin on **December 4, 2012 at 9:00 a.m. CST at the City Commission Meeting Room, 205 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave NW, Mandan, ND 58554.** The issues to be considered are:

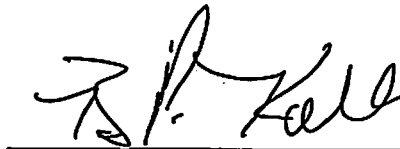
1. Will the location, construction, and operation of the proposed facilities produce minimal adverse effects on the environment and upon the welfare of the citizens of North Dakota?
2. Are the proposed facilities compatible with the environmental preservation and the efficient use of resources?
3. Will the proposed facility locations minimize adverse human and environmental impact while ensuring continuing system reliability and integrity and ensuring that energy needs are met and fulfilled in an orderly and timely fashion?

For more information contact the Public Service Commission, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505, 701-328-2400; or Relay North Dakota 1-800-366-6888 TTY. If you require any auxiliary aids or services, such as readers, signers, or braille materials please notify the Commission, at least 24 hours in advance.

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**



**Kevin Cramer  
Commissioner**



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Chairman**



**Bonny M. Fetch  
Commissioner**

Hesket Station

Project Location

1806

38th St

Township Rd 3

38th St

Project Location

