

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU
Resources Group, Inc.
Scott Post- Williams County
Public Convenience & Necessity**

Case No. PU-12-152

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 17th day of **May, 2012**, she deposited in the United States Mail, at Bismarck, North Dakota, **two** envelopes with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, securely sealed and containing a photocopy of:

Notice of Opportunity for Hearing

The envelopes were addressed as follows:

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

Chris Brostuen
Mountrail-Williams Electric Cooperative
PO Box 1346
Williston ND 58802

Cert. No. 7011 2000 0002 0363 2960

Cert. No. 7011 2000 0002 0363 2984

Cara DeSaye further deposes and says that on the 17th day of **May, 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:

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

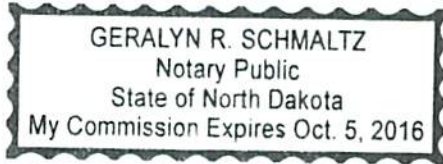
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Each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 17th day of **May, 2012**.

Cara Debye
Susan R. Penney
Notary Public

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NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

May 16, 2012

On May 4, 2012, Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., an electric public utility, filed an application under Chapter 49-03, N.D.C.C. to extend service to Scott Post at a location in Williams County, North Dakota.

Submitted with the application was a statement by Scott Post that the customer desires electric service to be provided by the applicant. Service is to be provided at a point located in:

Section 22, Twp. 159N, R 95W, Williams County, North Dakota.

Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. has made a prima facie showing that it should serve the customer.

Any interested party has the right to file written objection, based on the issue of public convenience and necessity, with the Commission by **June 18, 2012**, and the matter will then be set for hearing. If no objections are received by that date, the application may be granted as requested.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



Kevin Cramer
Commissioner



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