

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU
Resources Group, Inc.
Kodiak Oil & Gas Corp.
Public Convenience & Necessity**

Case No. PU-13-74

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 1st day of **April, 2013**, 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, Inc.
Box 1346
218 58th St. W.
Williston ND 58802-1346

Cert. No. 7012 1640 0002 4650 0626

Cert. No. 7012 1640 0002 4650 0633

Cara DeSaye further deposes and says that on the 1st day of **April, 2013**, 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.

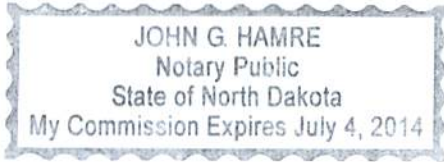
The envelope was addressed as follows:

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

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 1st day of **April, 2013**.

SEAL



Cara DeStacy

John G. Hamre

Notary Public

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NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

March 27, 2013

On March 12, 2013, Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., an electric public utility, filed an application under Chapter 49-03, N.D.C.C. to extend service to Kodiak Oil & Gas Corp. at a location in Williams County, North Dakota.


Submitted with the application was a statement by Kodiak Oil & Gas Corp. that the customer desires electric service to be provided by the applicant. Service is to be provided at a point located in:

Section 5, Twp. 159N, R 97W, 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 **April 29, 2013**, 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


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