

Keith Kessler Complaint – Weekly Report

Case No. PU-13-127 & I-15-0195

May 1, 2018

- Minnesota Power internal meetings were held 4/23 and 4/27 to discuss the current status of the outstanding issues related to Bison 4 construction as they relate to the complaint Keith Kessler filed with the PSC.
- Items discussed:
 - Fencing Splices
 - Cattle Guard relocation
 - Erosion Remediation
 - Crane walk compaction
- Four contractors visited the site 4/24 and 4/25 to review items needing corrective action on the Kessler property
 - Quotes were received from three of the contractors by end-of-business Friday, 4/27.
 - The quotes are under evaluation by Minnesota Power. Contractors will be selected for the work pending cost, schedule, and coordination with the Kesslers.
- Minnesota Power contacted Keith Kessler 4/30/18 by telephone.
 - Mr. Kessler has drafted a counter-offer to present to Minnesota Power with hopes that if agreed to, all issues (post-Bison 4 construction issues as well as the residence near turbine #441) would be resolved, including correspondence to the Public Service Commission.
 - The Kesslers have a busy week and wish to present the counter-offer to Minnesota Power first part of the week of May 7th.
 - Minnesota Power will wait until this counter-offer is presented to implement the corrective work referenced above, if necessary.