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**From:** Albrecht, Daniel  
**Sent:** Friday, June 08, 2018 10:43 AM  
**To:** -Info-Public Service Commission; Lein, Jerry R.  
**Cc:** bob.youness@ulteig.com; Skabo, Jay; Dihle, Mark  
**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #40



Weekly Update for June 2 to June 8, 2018

To: Jerry Lein  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co's & Otter Tail Power Company's Big Stone South to Ellendale 345KV Transmission Line Project in Dickey County, ND Case No. PU 13-840 Notice of Ellendale 345kV Substation Construction weekly update from Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Email update #40)**

Dear Mr. Lein:

MDU's general contractor Highmark Erectors continues to set and connect the steel structures and working on the ground grid and cable trenches. They are monitoring the re-seeded areas as needed. The second transformer was delivered to the site on Thursday, June 7<sup>th</sup>.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

Thank you and if you have any further questions about substation construction activities, feel free to contact me at:

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**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #39



Weekly Update for May 26 to June 1, 2018

To: Jerry Lein  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
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Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co's & Otter Tail Power Company's Big Stone South to Ellendale 345KV Transmission Line Project in Dickey County, ND Case No. PU 13-840 Notice of Ellendale 345kV Substation Construction weekly update from Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Email update #39)**

Dear Mr. Lein:

MDU's general contractor Highmark Erectors continues to set and connect the steel structures and working on the ground grid and cable trenches. They are monitoring the re-seeded areas as needed.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #38



Weekly Update for May 19 to May 25, 2018

To: Jerry Lein  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

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Dear Mr. Lein:

MDU's general contractor Highmark Erectors continues to set and connect the steel structures and working on the ground grid and cable trenches. They are also re-grading side slopes and re-seeding areas as needed.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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**Cc:** bob.youness@ulteig.com; Skabo, Jay; Dihle, Mark  
**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #37



Weekly Update for May 12 to May 18, 2018

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North Dakota Public Service Commission  
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Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

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Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting wrapped up work on site. MDU's general contractor Highmark Erectors continues to set and connect the steel structures and working on the ground grid and cable trenches.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #36



Weekly Update for May 5 to May 11, 2018

To: Jerry Lein  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

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Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting continues working on site, they should finish next week. MDU's general contractor Highmark Erectors continues to set and connect the steel structures, and working on a cable trenches.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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**Cc:** bob.youness@ulteig.com; Skabo, Jay; Dihle, Mark  
**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #35



Weekly Update for April 28 to May 4, 2018

To: Jerry Lein  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
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**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co's & Otter Tail Power Company's Big Stone South to Ellendale 345KV Transmission Line Project in Dickey County, ND Case No. PU 13-840 Notice of Ellendale 345kV Substation Construction weekly update from Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Email update #35)**

Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting continues working on site. MDU's general contractor Highmark Erectors has set most of the steel structures, and started working on a cable trench.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #34



Weekly Update for April 21 to April 27, 2018

To: Jerry Lein  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
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Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

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Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting continues working on site. MDU's general contractor Highmark Erectors is also now on site in a limited capacity until next week. This past week they continue to set the steel structures. Material deliveries to site are substantially complete.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #33



Weekly Update for April 14 to April 20, 2018

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North Dakota Public Service Commission  
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Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting continues working on site. MDU's general contractor Highmark Erection is also now on site. This past week they have started to set the steel structures. Material deliveries to site are substantially complete.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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**To:** Albrecht, Daniel  
**Subject:** FW: BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #32

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**Sent:** Sunday, April 15, 2018 10:21 PM  
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**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #32



Weekly Update for April 7 to April 13, 2018

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North Dakota Public Service Commission  
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Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting continues working on site. MDU's general contractor is expected to mobilize to the site April 17th. They have been on site a few a few days unloading material that is being delivered.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #31



Weekly Update for March 31 to April 6, 2018

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North Dakota Public Service Commission  
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Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting continues working on site. MDU's general contractor is still expected to mobilize to the site April 17th.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #30



Weekly Update for March 24 to March 30, 2018

To: Jerry Lein  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
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Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co's & Otter Tail Power Company's Big Stone South to Ellendale 345KV Transmission Line Project in Dickey County, ND Case No. PU 13-840 Notice of Ellendale 345kV Substation Construction weekly update from Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Email update #30)**

Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting remobilized to the site and began working. MDU's general contractor is expected to mobilize to the site April 17th.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #29



Weekly Update for March 17 to March 23, 2018

To: Jerry Lein  
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Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

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Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting began remobilizing to the site. Depending upon weather, they should begin working next week. MDU's general contractor is expected to mobilize to the site the beginning of April.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #27



Weekly Update for March 3 to March 9, 2018

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Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting has remained off-site. All Key-related activities have still been suspended this week. Key Contracting is expecting to remobilize and start working again based on availability of concrete from local supplier, hopefully late March. MDU's general contractor will now mobilize to the site in April due to the recent snow.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

Thank you and if you have any further questions about substation construction activities, feel free to contact me at:

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Weekly Update for March 3 to March 9, 2018

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Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting has remained off-site. All Key-related activities have still been suspended this week. Key Contracting is expecting to remobilize and start working again based on availability of concrete from local supplier, hopefully late March. MDU's general contractor will now mobilize to the site in April due to the recent snow.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

Thank you and if you have any further questions about substation construction activities, feel free to contact me at:

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**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #26



Weekly Update for February 24 to March 2, 2018

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North Dakota Public Service Commission  
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Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting has remained off-site. All Key-related activities have still been suspended this week. Key Contracting is expecting to remobilize and start working again late February. MDU has hired a general contractor who will mobilize to the site in March.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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Weekly Update for February 17 to February 23, 2018

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Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting has remained off-site. All Key-related activities have still been suspended this week. Key Contracting is expecting to remobilize and start working again late February. MDU will be hiring a general contractor who will mobilize to the site in March.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #24



Weekly Update for February 10 to February 16, 2018

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Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting has remained off-site. All Key-related activities have still been suspended this week. Key Contracting is expecting to remobilize and start working again late February. No other third parties are on site.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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Weekly Update for February 3 to February 9, 2018

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Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting has remained off-site. All Key-related activities have still been suspended this week. Key Contracting is expecting to remobilize and start working again middle to late February. The transformer assembly has been completed, no other third parties are on site.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

Thank you and if you have any further questions about substation construction activities, feel free to contact me at:

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**Cc:** bob.youness@ulteig.com; Skabo, Jay; Dihle, Mark  
**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #22



Weekly Update for January 27 to February 2, 2018

To: Jerry Lein  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co's & Otter Tail Power Company's Big Stone South to Ellendale 345KV Transmission Line Project in Dickey County, ND Case No. PU 13-840 Notice of Ellendale 345kV Substation Construction weekly update from Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Email update #22)**

Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting has remained off-site. All Key-related activities have still been suspended this week. Key Contracting is expecting to remobilize and start working again middle to late February. The transformer assembly has been completed, no other third parties are on site.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #21



Weekly Update for January 20 to January 26, 2018

To: Jerry Lein  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co's & Otter Tail Power Company's Big Stone South to Ellendale 345KV Transmission Line Project in Dickey County, ND Case No. PU 13-840 Notice of Ellendale 345kV Substation Construction weekly update from Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Email update #21)**

Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting has remained off-site. All Key-related activities have still been suspended this week. Key Contracting is expecting to remobilize and start working again middle to late February. The transformer assembly has been completed.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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**Subject:** BSSE Case No. PU-13-840 Weekly Update Email #20



Weekly Update for January 13 to January 19, 2018

To: Jerry Lein  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co's & Otter Tail Power Company's Big Stone South to Ellendale 345KV Transmission Line Project in Dickey County, ND Case No. PU 13-840 Notice of Ellendale 345kV Substation Construction weekly update from Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Email update #20)**

Dear Mr. Lein:

This past week Key Contracting has remained off-site. All Key-related activities have still been suspended this week. Key Contracting is expecting to remobilize and start working again middle to late February. The transformer is being assembled/filled. This is expected to take another week.

As they relate to the PSC order and Substation construction: no safety issues, no property damage issues, no public roadway issues, no environmental or cultural issues were encountered or brought to our attention.

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