

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**Cass County Electric Coop / City of Valley City  
Valley City  
Service Area Agreement**

**Case No. PU-13-898**

**NOTICE OF FILING, NOTICE OF INFORMAL HEARING  
AND NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING**

**January 15, 2014**

On December 16, 2013, Cass County Electric Cooperative, Inc. and the City of Valley City filed a joint application for approval of a Service Area Agreement to establish service areas and designate service locations to be served by Cass Electric and Valley City within and around Valley City in Barnes County, North Dakota.

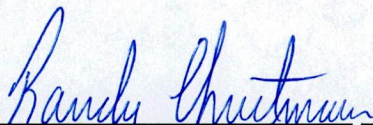
The issues to be considered in this proceeding are whether the Service Area Agreement complies with section 49-03-06 of the North Dakota Century Code, and whether approval of the Service Area Agreement is compatible with the public interest.

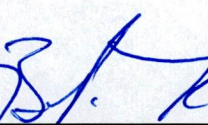
Those interested are invited to comment on the application in writing. Persons desiring a hearing must file a written request identifying their interest in the proceeding and the reasons for requesting a hearing. **Comments and requests for hearings must be received by February 28, 2014.** If deemed appropriate, the Commission can determine the matter without a hearing.

An **informal hearing** of this matter is scheduled to begin on **February 12, 2014, at 1:30 p.m. CST** in the Commission Hearing Room on the 12th floor of the State Capitol. At the informal hearing, the Commission will discuss this matter with the parties and interested members of the public.

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 Darrell Nitschke, Executive Secretary, at least 24 hours in advance.

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