



# Public Service Commission

## State of North Dakota

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August 26, 2014

Don Bohle  
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.  
401 Main St.  
Mobridge SD 57601  
[Don.bohle@mdu.com](mailto:Don.bohle@mdu.com)

Dear Mr. Bohle:

We received your request to extend electric service to Schumacher Farms at a site located in the SW ¼ of Section 7, Township 135N, Range 72W, Logan County, North Dakota. Temporary authority was granted by Commissioner Julie Fedorchak on August 26, 2014. Extensions must be made from the most economical point of service.

Please submit your formal application for permanent authority as soon as possible so we may work on finalizing this request. Thank you.

Best regards,

Patrick Fahn  
Compliance and Competitive Markets Division

Enclosure



**TEMPORARY AUTHORITY PERMIT**  
**NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**  
**PUBLIC UTILITIES**  
 SFN 50560 (6-96)

8/25

Date 8-22-14	Time 2:00	<input type="checkbox"/> a.m. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> p.m.	Name of Utility Montana Dakota Utilities	Telephone Number 605-845-3617
Name of Person Calling Don Bohle			Name of Coop Serving KEM	
Name of Customer Schumacher Farms		Location Sec 07 SW1/4      Twp 135N      R 72W		
Address 3051 Hwy 34			County Logan	
City Napoleon			State ND	Zip Code 58561
Name of Nearest City Napoleon			Distance to the City 2 mi	
When will service be extended? Upon Approval		Type of Service <input type="checkbox"/> Residence <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Storage <input type="checkbox"/> Grain Bin <input type="checkbox"/> Other <u>storage shop</u>		
Extension Length to Most Economical Point of Service Utility: 500 ft      Coop: 1 mi		Extension <input type="checkbox"/> Overhead <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Underground		
Has customer signed request for service? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Will cooperative protest application? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
Name of Person Contacted (PSC Use)		Date of Contact (PSC Use)	Time (PSC Use) <input type="checkbox"/> a.m. <input type="checkbox"/> p.m.	
Estimated Cost of Extension \$0		Estimated Revenue \$144		
Under what rate filed with the Public Service Commission will customer be served? Rate 20				
Will extension cross over coop lines? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		Will extension cross over railroad tracks? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
Temporary Authority Authorized By <input type="checkbox"/> Telephone <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Letter		Date Authorized		
Authorized By (Name of Commissioner) <i>Julie Fedorchak 8/26/14</i>				

Extension must be made from most economical point of service.

**Comments:**  
 we will be installing a primary line right past the customer's property to serve another customer who's line is in a slough. We will retire the old line in the slough and serve both customers with the new UG primary line. This is why we will have no cost for extention.