



# Public Service Commission

## State of North Dakota

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August 26, 2014

Graig Lohstreter  
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.  
PO Box 1457  
Bismarck ND 58502  
[Craig.lohstreter@mdu.com](mailto:Craig.lohstreter@mdu.com)

Dear Mr. Lohstreter:

We received your request to extend electric service to Mark Draeb at a site located in the NW ¼ of Section 28, Township 140N, Range 90W, Morton 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

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

Date 8/14/14	Time 4:00 <input type="checkbox"/> a.m. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> p.m.	Name of Utility Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.	Telephone Number 1-701-224-5815
Name of Person Calling Graig Lohstreter		Name of Coop Serving Mor-Gran-Sou	
Name of Customer Mark Draeb	Location Sec NW 28      Twp 140N      R 90W		
Address East of 76th Ave, North of Hebron		County Morton	
City Hebron	State ND	Zip Code 58638	
Name of Nearest City Hebron		Distance to the City 1,600ft	
When will service be extended? Sep, 2014		Type of Service <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Residence <input type="checkbox"/> Storage <input type="checkbox"/> Grain Bin <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
Extension Length to Most Economical Point of Service Utility: 4,200ft      Coop: 5,000ft		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      Not Sure	
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 \$10,582	Estimated Revenue \$2,400 annual		
Under what rate filed with the Public Service Commission will customer be served? Rate 10			
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 type="checkbox"/> Letter		Date Authorized 8/26/14	
Authorized By (Name of Commissioner) <i>Jules Pedarzak</i>			

Extension must be made from most economical point of service.

**Comments:**  
MDU will install underground single phase primary with a transformer from MDU's single phase line on the north side of town. The total project cost is approximately \$10,582. A two year allowance based on \$200 per month will be granted to the customer. The customer, Mark Draed, will contribute \$5,782 prior to construction.