

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**Otter Tail Power Company
Inter-Community Telephone Company - Cass County
Public Convenience & Necessity**

Case No. Pu-14-704

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY CERTIFIED & REGULAR MAIL

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

Geralyn R. Schmaltz deposes and says that:

she is over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action and, on the **9th day of May, 2016**, she deposited in the United States Mail, at Bismarck, North Dakota, **two** envelopes with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, securely sealed and containing a photocopy of:

Notice of Opportunity for Hearing

The envelopes were addressed as follows:

Bruce Gerhardson
Associate General Counsel
Otter Tail Power Company
215 S. Cascade St.
Fergus Falls, MN 56538
Cert. No. 7015 3010 0000 6559 5168

Scott Handy
Manager
Cass County Electric Cooperative, Inc.
3312 42nd St. S. Suite 200
Fargo, ND 58104
Cert. No. 7015 3010 0000 6559 5175

Geralyn R. Schmaltz further deposes and says that on the **9th day of May, 2016**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **two** envelopes by regular mail, with postage fully prepaid, securely sealed, each containing a photocopy of the same.

The envelopes were addressed as follows:

Charles Krebs
Operations Manager
Otter Tail Power Company
PO Box 2220
Jamestown, ND 58402-2220

ND Association of RECs
PO Box 727
Mandan, ND 58554-0727

Each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

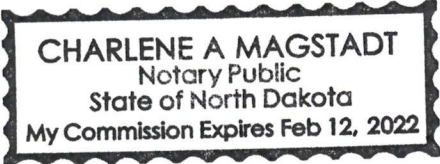
Subscribed and sworn to before me this **9th day of May, 2016.**

Charlene A. Magstadt

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Notary Public

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NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

May 5, 2016

On **September 29, 2014**, Otter Tail Power Company, an electric public utility, filed an application under North Dakota Century Code Chapter 49-03 to extend service to Inter-Community Telephone Company at a location in Cass County, ND.

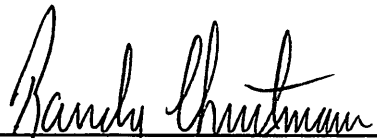
Submitted with the application was a statement by Inter-Community Telephone Company that it desires electric service to be provided by the applicant. Service is to be provided at a point located in:

**The SE ¼ SE ¼ of Section 27, Twp 142N, R 54W, Cass County,
North Dakota**

Otter Tail Power Company has made a prima facie showing that it should serve the customer.

Any interested party has the right to file written objection, based on the issue of public convenience and necessity, with the Commission by **May 30, 2016**, and the matter will then be set for hearing. If no objections are received by that date, the application may be granted as requested.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



Randy Christmann
Commissioner



Julie Fedorchak
Chairman



Brian P. Kalk
Commissioner