

**Schmaltz, GERALYN R.**

pu-14-704

**From:** Brad Schmidt <bschmidt@kwh.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 31, 2016 4:33 PM  
**To:** Schmaltz, GERALYN R.  
**Cc:** Brent Hodgson; Charles Krebs; Jodi Bullinger  
**Subject:** FW: Temporary Authority Permit - Inter-Community Telephone Company - Cass County Location

Dear Ms. Schmaltz,

Regarding the Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in Case No. PU-14-704, Cass County Electric will not object to the approval of a certificate of convenience and public necessity for the permanent service to this account for Intercommunity Telephone. This area is in a service area agreement between CCEC and OTP to which CCEC has agreed to allow OTP the right to serve new electric loads.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide this comment. If you have any questions, please contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

**Brad Schmidt, PE**

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**E-mail from Cooperative – no protest**

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**Subject:** RE: Temporary Authority Permit - Inter-Community Telephone Company - Cass County Location

Cass County Electric Cooperative Inc.  
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Dear Shelly - Having reviewed the attached request by Otter Tail Power Company to serve a rural fiber optic booster site, specifically listed as being located in the SE ¼ of the SE ¼ of Section 27, T142N, R54W of Cass County, CCEC will not object to the application for granting temporary authority to provide electric service.

We do request and reserve the right to comment on the request for permanent service authority by OTP.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us at your convenience.

Sincerely,

**Brad Schmidt, PE**

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**From:** "Bauske, Shelly A." <[sbauske@nd.gov](mailto:sbauske@nd.gov)>

**To:** "Scott Handy" <[shandy@kwh.com](mailto:shandy@kwh.com)>

**Subject: Temporary Authority Permit - Inter-Community Telephone Company - Cass County Location**

Good Afternoon

Attached is a request from Otter Tail Power Company for Temporary Authority to extend electric service to Inter-Community Telephone Company at a location in Cass County, North Dakota.

Please review this request as soon as possible and let me know whether the Cooperative will protest the application.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

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