

**Acker, Kathy E.**

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**From:** Acker, Kathy E.  
**Sent:** Monday, April 13, 2015 10:28 AM  
**To:** 'Ken.Callahan@mdu.com'  
**Cc:** Haugen, Amy M.  
**Subject:** Temporary authority permit attached - Oasis Petroleum Salt Water Disposal - PSC Case Number PU-15-136  
**Attachments:** doc20150413095447.pdf

Ken, please find attached a copy of your approved temporary permit. A hard copy is being mailed to you today.  
Thanks -

Kathy Acker  
Administrative Officer  
Public Service Commission  
600 E. Boulevard Avenue – Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480  
701-328-4076 / email - [kacker@nd.gov](mailto:kacker@nd.gov)

-----Original Message-----

From: Fahn, Patrick J.  
Sent: Friday, April 10, 2015 10:39 AM  
To: Acker, Kathy E.  
Subject: FW: Oasis Petroleum 5692-11-20

-----Original Message-----

From: Callahan, Ken [<mailto:Ken.Callahan@mdu.com>]  
Sent: Friday, April 10, 2015 9:00 AM  
To: Fahn, Patrick J.  
Cc: Callahan, Ken  
Subject: FW: Oasis Petroleum 5692-11-20

This should be better, let me know if you have any questions,

Ken

-----Original Message-----

From: [WillistonOffice@mdu.com](mailto:WillistonOffice@mdu.com) [<mailto:WillistonOffice@mdu.com>] On Behalf Of WillistonOffice@  
Sent: Friday, April 10, 2015 8:51 AM  
To: Callahan, Ken  
Subject: Oasis Petroleum 5692-11-20

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Email to Cooperative re: temporary authority permit  
Public Service Commission

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April 13, 2015

Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.  
Attn: Ken Callahan  
121 8<sup>th</sup> Ave W  
Williston ND 58801

Dear Mr. Callahan:

We received your request to extend electric service to Oasis Petroleum Salt Water Disposal at a site located in The NW1/4NW1/4, Sec 20, Twp 156N, R 92W, Mountrail County, North Dakota. Temporary authority was granted by Commissioner Randy Christmann on April 13, 2015. 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,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Patrick Fahn".

Patrick Fahn, Director  
Compliance and Competitive Markets

Enclosure



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

Date April 9, 2015	Time 10:00	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a.m. <input type="checkbox"/> p.m.	Name of Utility Montana-Dakota Utilities	Telephone Number 701-572-1620
Name of Person Calling Ken Callahan			Name of Coop Serving Mountrail-Williams Electric Cooperative	
Name of Customer Oasis Petroleum		Location Sec NW/NW 20 Twp 156N R 92W		
Address Malfard Salt Water Disposal 5692 11-20			County Mountrail	
City Ross		State ND	Zip Code 58776	
Name of Nearest City Ross			Distance to the City 5200'	
When will service be extended? April, 2015		Type of Service <input type="checkbox"/> Residence <input type="checkbox"/> Storage <input type="checkbox"/> Grain Bin <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <u>3 Phase</u>		
Extension Length to Most Economical Point of Service Utility: 250' Coop: 3+ Miles		Extension <input type="checkbox"/> Overhead <input 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 \$8,229.00		Estimated Revenue \$60,000/Yr.		
Under what rate filed with the Public Service Commission will customer be served? Rate 30				
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		
Authorized By (Name of Commissioner) <i>Randy Christman</i>				

Extension must be made from most economical point of service.

Comments:  
 Customer requested MDU to serve them. Chris Brostuen from Mountrail-Williams Electric Cooperative has agreed MDU should serve this customer.

pu-15-134

**Acker, Kathy E.**

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**From:** Chris Brostuen <brostuen@mwec.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, April 06, 2015 10:41 AM  
**To:** Callahan, Ken  
**Subject:** RE: Oasis Petroleum Salt Water Disposal Site

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Ken,

Please have MDU proceed to serve the Oasis Petroleum SWD site in the NW4 Section 20, T156N, R92W. If you have any questions, please let me know.

Thanks,  
Chris Brostuen  
Assistant General Manager/KABD  
Mountrail-Williams Electric Cooperative  
Office: 701.577.3765  
Cell: 701.770.0773  
Email: [brostuen@mwec.com](mailto:brostuen@mwec.com)

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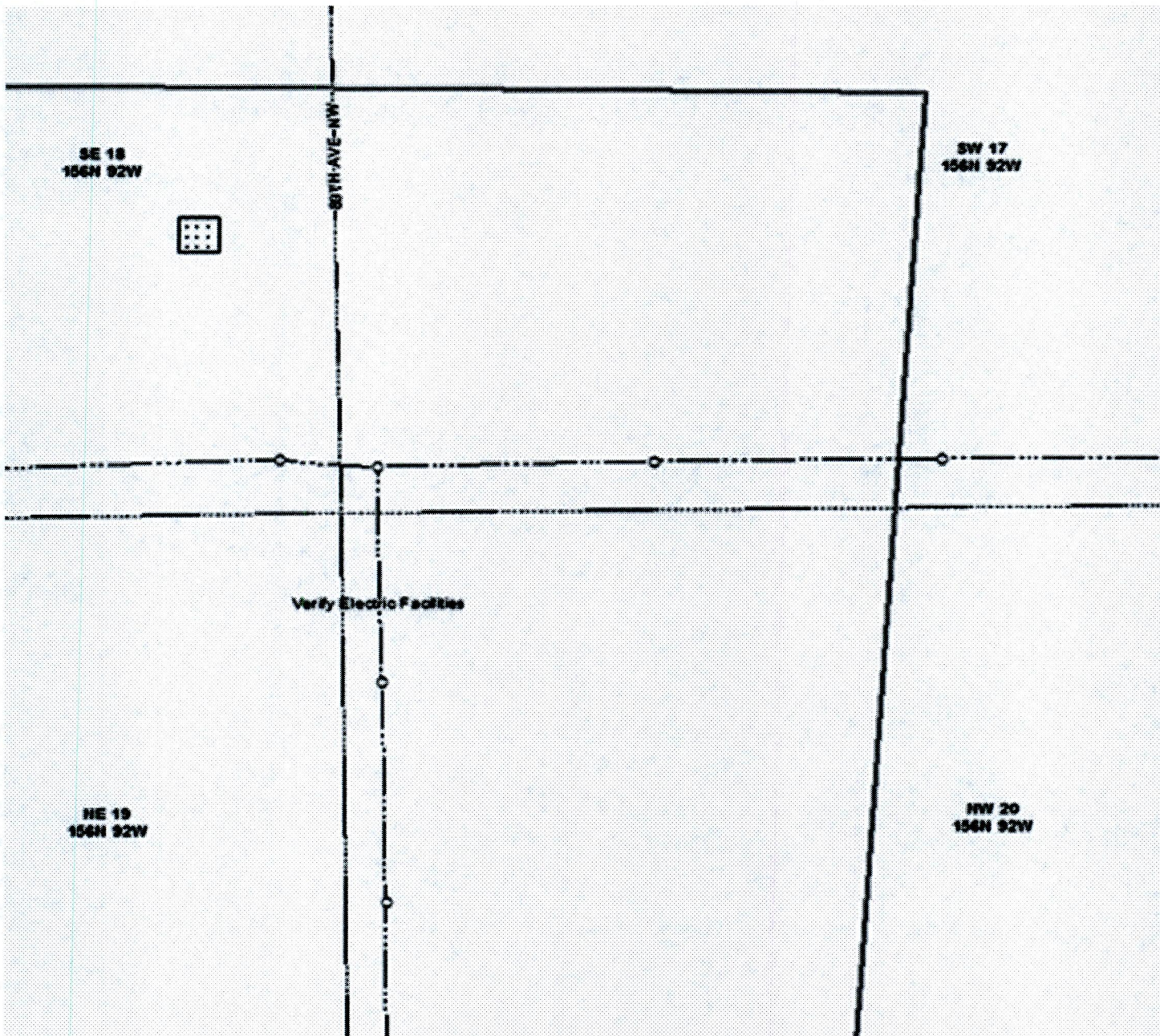
**From:** Callahan, Ken [<mailto:Ken.Callahan@mdu.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, April 03, 2015 9:14 AM  
**To:** Chris Brostuen  
**Subject:** RE: Oasis Petroleum Salt Water Disposal Site

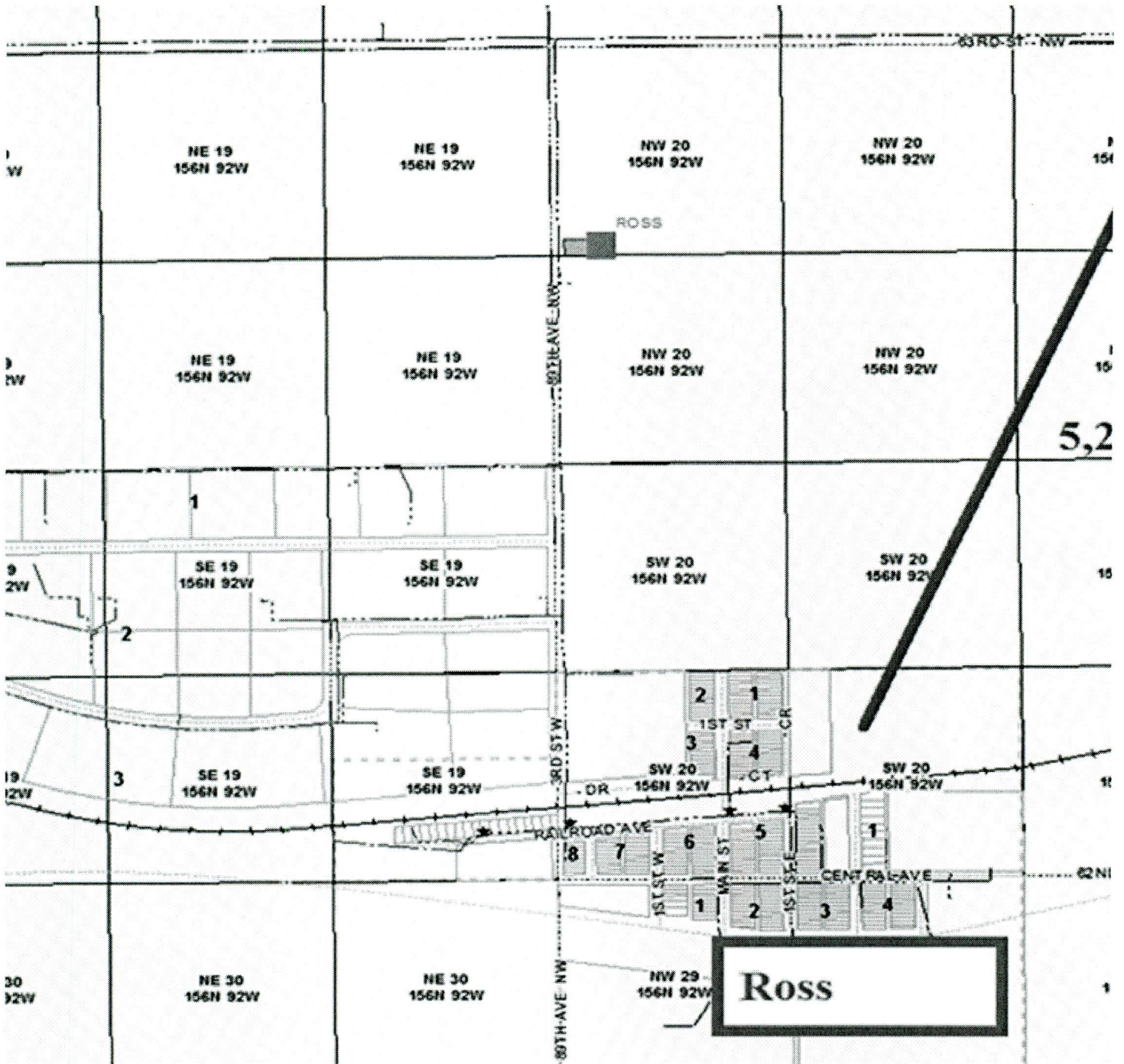
Chris what did you find out in Stanley?

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**From:** Callahan, Ken  
**Sent:** Friday, March 27, 2015 9:12 AM  
**To:** Chris J. Brostuen ([brostuen@mwec.com](mailto:brostuen@mwec.com))  
**Cc:** Callahan, Ken  
**Subject:** Oasis Petroleum Salt Water Disposal Site

Chris, this load is south of our facilities and according to the map and concept we were looking at growing a little north of our facilities towards yours and you were going to grow south of route 2. Even though we haven't submitted this to Ross the concept is the same and it makes sense for MDU to serve it. Your facilities are north of ours. I'd like to file the paperwork with the PSC today. Please let me know if you can chat about this over the phone or if you want me to come to your office or if you have time for lunch.





Ken Callahan  
 Energy Services Manager  
 Montana-Dakota Utilities  
 121 8<sup>th</sup> Ave West  
 Williston, North Dakota 58801  
 (701) 572-1620 office  
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