

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of
MDU Resources Group, Inc.
Oasis Petroleum – Mountrail County
Public Convenience & Necessity**

Case No. PU-15-136

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 **31st day of July, 2015**, she deposited in the United States Mail, at Bismarck, North Dakota, **one** envelope with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, securely sealed and containing a photocopy of:

Order on Certificate of Public Convenience & Necessity

And Original Of:

Certificate Number 5872

The envelope was addressed as follows:

Tamie Aberle
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.
400 North 4th Street
Bismarck, ND 58501
Cert. No. 7014 1820 0001 3262 8306

Geralyn R. Schmaltz further deposes and says that on the **31st day of July, 2015**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **three** envelopes by regular mail, with postage fully prepaid, securely sealed, each containing a photocopy of the same.

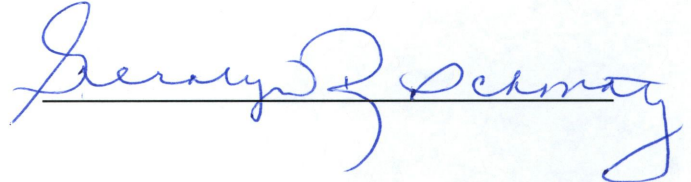
The envelopes were addressed as follows:

Dale L. Haugen – Manager
Mountrail Williams Electric Cooperative
Box 1346
Williston, ND 58802-1346

Ken Callahan
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.
220 2nd Avenue East
Williston, ND 5881

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.

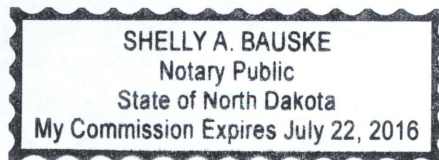


Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **31st day of July, 2015**.



Notary Public

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ORDER ON CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE & NECESSITY

July 29, 2015

On **May 21, 2015**, Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., an electric public utility, filed an application under Chapter 49-03, N.D.C.C. to extend service to Oasis Petroleum at a location in Mountrail County, North Dakota.

On **June 17, 2015**, the Commission issued a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in this proceeding. The Notice provided if no objections were received by **July 15, 2015**, the application would be granted as requested. No objections have been received.

Order

The Commission orders:

Montana-Dakota Utilities, Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., is issued Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 5872 authorizing the provision of electric distribution service to Oasis Petroleum at a point located in:

**The NW ¼ of Section 20, Twp 156N, R 92W, Mountrail County,
North Dakota.**

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

 _____ Randy Christmann Commissioner	 _____ Julie Fedorchak Chairman	 _____ Brian P. Kalk Commissioner
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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity

Certificate Number 5872

This is to certify that public convenience and necessity require, and permission is granted for Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., to serve Oasis Petroleum in the NW 1/4 of Section 20, Township 156N, Range 92W, Mountrail County, North Dakota.

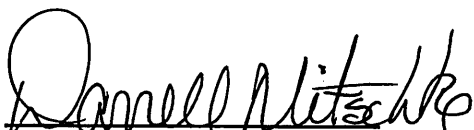
This certificate is issued in accordance with the Order of this Commission dated July 29, 2015 in Case No. PU-15-136, and is subject to the conditions and limitations noted in the Order.


This certificate is conditioned upon Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc. securing the franchise or other authority of the proper municipal or other public authority for the exercise of these rights and privileges.

Bismarck, North Dakota, July 29, 2015.

ATTEST:

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Executive Secretary


Commissioner