

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., a Division of
MDU Resources Group, Inc.
Dennis Dahlen – Dunn County
Public Convenience & Necessity**

Case No. PU-15-198

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 5873

The envelope was addressed as follows:

Tamie Aberle
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co
400 North 4th Street
Bismarck, ND 58501
Cert. No. 7015 0920 0001 6791 8404

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.

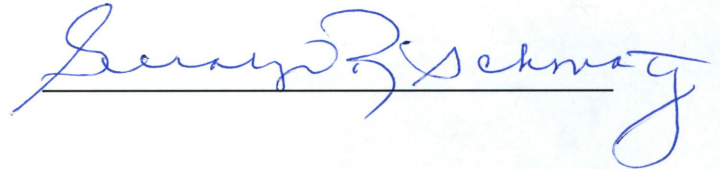
The envelopes were addressed as follows:

Regan Brilz
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.
1133 W. Broadway Street
Dickinson, ND 58601

John Skurupey-Manager
McKenzie Electric Cooperative
Box 649
Watford City, ND 58854-06493

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.

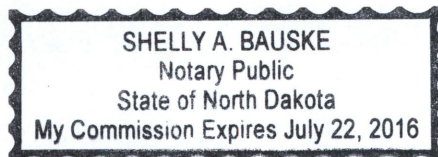


Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **31st day of July, 2015**.



Notary Public

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ORDER ON CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE & NECESSITY

July 29, 2015

On **May 15, 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 Dennis Dahlen at a location in Dunn 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.

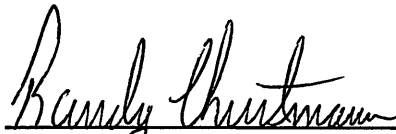
Order

The Commission orders:

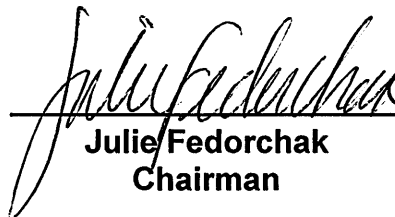
Montana-Dakota Utilities, Co., a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., is issued Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 5873 authorizing the provision of electric distribution service to Dennis Dahlen at a point located in:

**The SE ¼ of Section 30, Twp 145N, R 92W, Dunn County, North
Dakota.**

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



Randy Christmann
Commissioner



Julie Fedorchak
Chairman



Brian P. Kalk
Commissioner

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity

Certificate Number 5873

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 Dennis Dahlen in the SE 1/4 of Section 30, Township 145N, Range 92W, Dunn County, North Dakota.


This certificate is issued in accordance with the Order of this Commission dated July 29, 2015 in Case No. PU-15-198, 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