

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Otter Tail Power Company  
Oberon Dist. 16 School – Benson County  
Public Convenience & Necessity

Case No. PU-19-319

**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 **8th day of November 2019**, 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**

And Original of:

- **Certificate of Public Convenience & Necessity Number 5934**

The envelope was addressed as follows:

Bruce Gerhardson  
Legal Department  
Otter Tail Power Company  
PO Box 496  
Fergus Falls, MN 56538-0496  
**Cert. No. 7018 2290 0000 6607 8329**

**Geralyn R. Schmaltz** further deposes and says that on the **8th day of November 2019**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **four** envelopes by regular mail, with postage fully prepaid, securely sealed, each containing a photocopy of the same.

The envelopes were addressed as follows:

Seth Syverson  
Manager  
Northern Plains Electric Cooperative, Inc.  
PO Box 180  
Carrington, ND 58421-0180

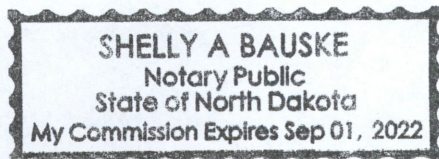
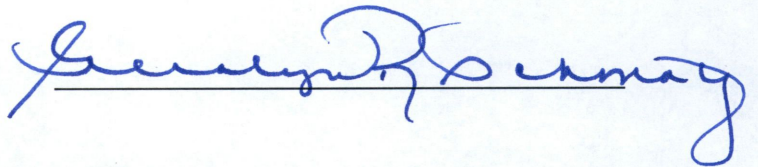
Jeremy Rham  
Otter Tail Power Company  
PO Box 2220  
Jamestown, ND 58402-2220

Damian Reiter – Operations Manager  
Otter Tail Power Company  
PO Box 400  
Devils Lake, ND 58301-0400

ND Association of REC's  
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 **8th day of November 2019**.



Shelly A Bauske  
Notary Public

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STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
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ORDER

November 7, 2019

On **September 6, 2019**, Otter Tail Power Company, an electric public utility, filed an application under Chapter 49-03, N.D.C.C. to extend service to Oberon Dist. 16 School at a location in Benson County, North Dakota.

On **October 2, 2019**, the Commission issued a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in this proceeding. The Notice provided if no objections were received by **October 28, 2019**, the application would be granted as requested. No objections have been received.

Order


The Commission orders:


Otter Tail Power Company. is issued Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, Certificate Number 5934, authorizing the provision of electric distribution service to Oberon Dist. 16 School at a point located in:

**The NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Section 11, Twp 151N, R 67W, Benson County, North Dakota.**

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

  
Julie Fedorchak  
Commissioner

  
Brian Kroshus  
Chairman

  
Randy Christmann  
Commissioner

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**

**Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity**

**Certificate Number 5934**

*This is to certify that public convenience and necessity require, and permission is granted for Otter Tail Power Company, to serve Oberon Distr. 16 School in the NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Section 11, Township 151N, Range 67W, Benson County, North Dakota.*

*This certificate is issued in accordance with the Order of this Commission dated November 7, 2019 in Case No. PU-19-319, and is subject to the conditions and limitations noted in the Order.*

*This certificate is conditioned upon Otter Tail Power Company 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, November 7, 2019.*

**ATTEST:**

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

  
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**Executive Secretary**

  
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**Commissioner**