



# Public Service Commission State of North Dakota

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October 12, 2022

Jayden Veil  
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.  
PO Box 1457  
Bismarck, ND 58502

Re: Case No. PU-22-366  
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.  
Applied Block Chain Office – Dickey County  
Public Convenience & Necessity

Dear Mr. Veil:

We received your request to extend electric service to the Applied Block Chain (Office) at a site located in the SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 Section 4, Twp 129 N, R 63W in Dickey County, North Dakota. Temporary Authority was granted by Commissioner Julie Fedorchak on October 12, 2022. 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.

Best Regards,

Geri Schmaltz  
Public Utilities Division

Enclosure



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

PSC Case No. PU-22-366

Date 9/16/22	Time <input type="checkbox"/> a.m. <input type="checkbox"/> p.m.	Name of Utility Montana-Dakota Utilities	Telephone Number 701 220-6942
Name of Person Calling Jayden Veil		Name of Coop Serving Dakota Valley	
Name of Customer Applied Block Chain (Office)	Location Sec SE 1/4 - SE 1/4 Sec 4 Twp 129N R 63W		
Address Rural (no Address Associated yet)		County Dickey	
City Ellendale		State ND	Zip Code 58436
Name of Nearest City Ellendale		Distance to the City 1.5 Miles	
When will service be extended? Fall 2022		Type of Service <input type="checkbox"/> Residence <input type="checkbox"/> Storage <input type="checkbox"/> Grain Bin <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Office Site	
Extension Length to Most Economical Point of Service Utility: 2000' Coop: 2.8 mi (14,910')		Extension <input type="checkbox"/> Overhead <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Underground	
Has customer signed request for service? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Will cooperative protest application? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Cooperative planning on protesting this application	
Name of Person Contacted (PSC Use) Brandon Giesler-Dak. Valley Electric Cooperative		Date of Contact (PSC Use) via email on October 4, 2022	Time (PSC Use) at 3:37 p.m. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> p.m.
Estimated Cost of Extension \$53,092		Estimated Revenue \$11,114	
Under what rate filed with the Public Service Commission will customer be served? 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> Letter		Date Authorized October 12, 2022	
Authorized By (Name of Commissioner) Julie Fedorchak			

Extension must be made from most economical point of service.

Comments:

This Extension is a Joint effort to serve the Applied Block Chain's Data Processing Center on the same site.

3 Phase Service (to serve permanent service to their Office as well as Temp Construction power)

At this time it is unknown whether Dakota Valley will protest this extension or not