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June 23, 2023



Mr. Steve Kahl
Director of Administration/Executive Secretary
North Dakota Public Service Commission State
Capitol Building
600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

**Re: In the Matter of Otter Tail Power Company's Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience & Necessity for a new 115 kV Substation and 115 kV Transmission Line near Ardoch, North Dakota to the near the North Dakota Border
Case No. PU-23-228
Supplemental Application**

Dear Mr. Kahl:

Otter Tail Power Company herewith files an original and copies of a Supplemental Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to construct a new 115 kV substation and approximately six (6) miles of 115 kV electric transmission line in North Dakota. The new 115 kV transmission line will begin at a newly constructed 115 kV substation in Walsh County, North Dakota, turn South and extend through Grand Forks County, North Dakota, and then turn North to interconnect with an existing substation located further East in Walsh County, North Dakota. This filing is made in accordance with NDCC Chapter 49-03-01.

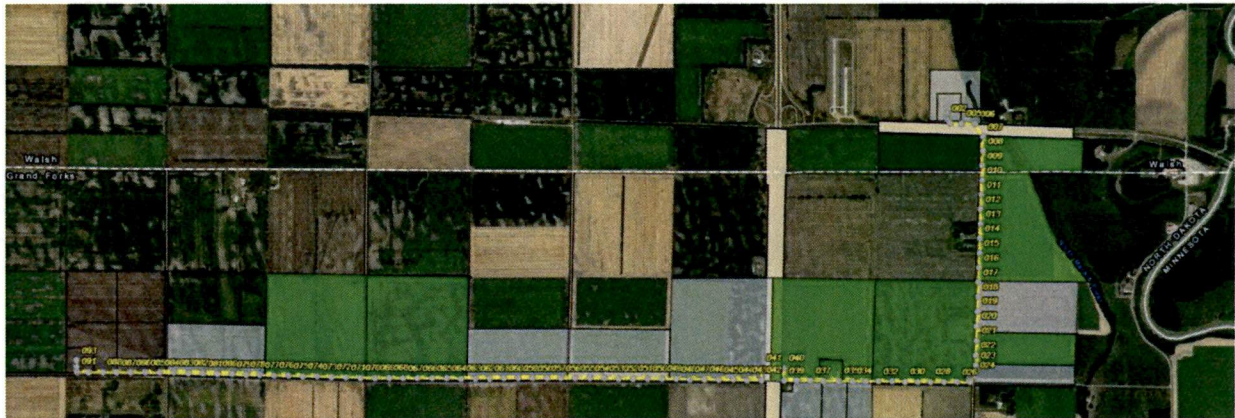
Otter Tail Power Company respectfully requests that this filing be accepted as being in full compliance with the filing requirements of this Commission.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Lisa M. McFarland", is written over the typed name.

Lisa M. McFarland
Associate General Counsel

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Enclosures
By electronic filing and U.S. mail



VI. CONCLUSION

No other electric public utility or any electric cooperative corporation will be affected by the ownership and operation of the proposed North Dakota Facilities and Applicant is fit, willing and able to own and operate the North Dakota Facilities. It is in the public interest that Otter Tail be granted a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for the authority it requests herein.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that the Commission:

1. Give Notice of Opportunity to request a hearing to interested parties and, if no hearing is requested within twenty (20) days, to waive the hearing in accordance with N.D.C.C. § 49-03.1-05;
2. Enter an Order and issue a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity authorizing the Applicant to construct and operate a new 115 KV substation in Walsh County, North Dakota and a 115 kV transmission line in Walsh County and Grand Forks County, North Dakota (near the North Dakota border); and
3. Grant such other relief as the Commission shall deem appropriate.

Date: June 23, 2023

Respectfully submitted:

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