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July 27, 2023

Charles Krebs
Operations Manager
Otter Tail Power Company
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VIA US Postal Service/Email

Re: Case No. PU-23-265
Otter Tail Power Company
Greg Rue, Eddy County
Public Convenience & Necessity

Dear Mr. Krebs:

We received your request to extend electric service to Greg Rue at a site located in the W1/2 NW1/4 Section 8, Twp 150 N, R 66W in Eddy County, North Dakota. Temporary Authority was granted by Commissioner Sheri Haugen-Hoffart on July 27, 2023. 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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Geri Schmaltz".

Geri Schmaltz
Public Utilities Division

Enclosure

cc: regulatory.filing.coordinators@otpc.com



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

Case No. PU-23-265

Date JULY 13, 2023	Time 8:00	<input type="checkbox"/> a.m. <input type="checkbox"/> p.m.	Name of Utility OTTER TAIL POWER COMPANY	Telephone Number 800-257-4044
Name of Person Calling CHARLES KREBS			Name of Coop Serving NORTHERN PLAINS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE	
Name of Customer GREG RUE		Location Sec W1/2-NW1/4-8 Twp 150-N R 66-W		
Address 6583 28TH ST NE			County EDDY	
City SHEYENNE		State ND	Zip Code 58374	
Name of Nearest City SHEYENNE			Distance to the City 1 MILE	
When will service be extended? SEPTEMBER 1, 2023		Type of Service <input type="checkbox"/> Residence <input type="checkbox"/> Storage <input type="checkbox"/> Grain Bin <input type="checkbox"/> Other <u>BIN SITE</u>		
Extension Length to Most Economical Point of Service Utility: 300 FT Coop: UNKNOWN		Extension <input type="checkbox"/> Overhead <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Underground		
Has customer signed request for service? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		Will cooperative protest application? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
Name of Person Contacted (PSC Use) <i>Seth Syverson, CEO/Gen. Mgr. Northern Plains Electric Cooperative via email on July 27, 2023</i>		Date of Contact (PSC Use) <i>July 27, 2023 at 10:31</i>	Time (PSC Use) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a.m. <input type="checkbox"/> p.m.	
Estimated Cost of Extension \$35,000		Estimated Revenue \$15,000/YR		
Under what rate filed with the Public Service Commission will customer be served? N-361				
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 July 27, 2023		
Authorized By (Name of Commissioner) Sheri Haugen-Hoffart				

Extension must be made from most economical point of service.

Comments:
 CUSTOMER CONTACTED OTTER TAIL POWER COMPANY (OTP) TO REQUEST 3-PHASE SERVICE TO A FERTILIZER FACILITY AND GRAIN BIN SITE FOR HIS FARMING OPERATION APPROXIMATELY 300 FT WEST OF OUR SHEYENNE GRAVEL PIT SUBSTATION. CUSTOMER IS REQUESTING 3-PHASE, 1600 AMP 277/480-VOLT SERVICE WITH 462.6 HORSEPOWER OF CONNECTED LOAD. NPEC HAS EXISTING 1-PHASE SERVICE IN THE AREA.