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October 2, 2023

Executive Secretary
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 E. Boulevard Ave., Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

**Re: Application for Temporary Authority Permit
Applied Digital 2nd Data Processing Extension
Public Convenience & Necessity
Case No. PU-23-___**

Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. submits the following filing in support of its Application for Temporary Authority Permit to extend temporary electric service to Applied Digital, Inc. (2nd Data Center) at a site located in the NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 Section 4, Twp 129N, R 63W in Dickey County, North Dakota.

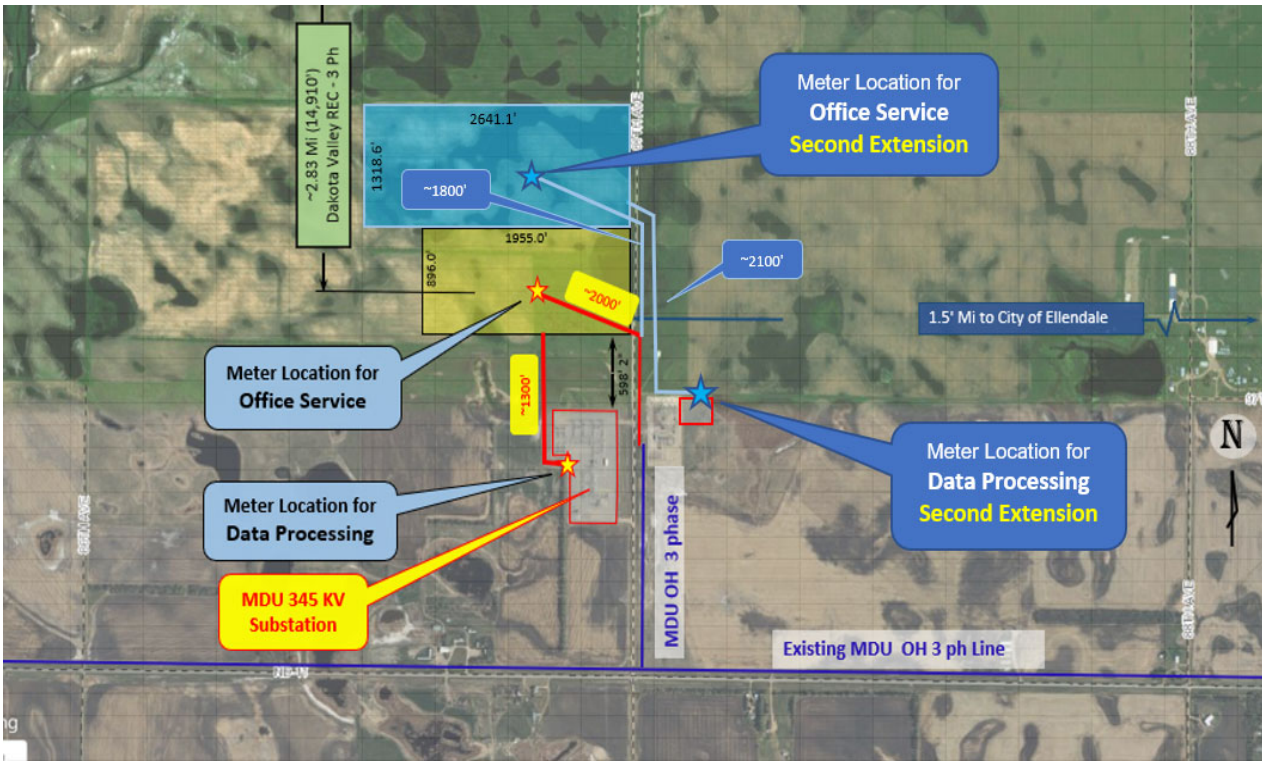
Once Temporary Authority has been granted by the Commissioners, please send an email to Jayden.Veil@MDU.com, mailing address: Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., PO Box 1457, Bismarck, ND, 58502, attention Jayden Veil.

Sincerely,

/s/ Travis R. Jacobson

Travis R. Jacobson
Director of Regulatory Affairs

Attachment
Cc: Jayden Veil



Oswald, Larry

From: Mark Kinzler <markk@dakotavalley.com>
Sent: Wednesday, September 27, 2023 2:11 PM
To: Oswald, Larry
Subject: RE: Applied Digital Data Center #2

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Hello Larry,

Yes, I am in agreement. And as per the agreement, the revenue will be included in our revenue sharing arrangement as well. I have also briefed the Dakota Valley Board of Directors on the proposed expansion.

Thank you for the call, I appreciated the conversation.

Mark

From: Oswald, Larry <Larry.Oswald@MDU.com>
Sent: Tuesday, September 26, 2023 2:15 PM
To: Mark Kinzler <markk@dakotavalley.com>
Subject: Applied Digital Data Center #2

Hi Mark

Thanks again for returning my call last week. I just wanted to follow-up with an email to confirm our discussion regarding the proposed Applied Digital Data Center #2 which will be adjacent to the their existing Data Center. As we discussed Montana-Dakota will be extending 34.5 k service to the Data center from our 230 kV Ellendale substation to serve the data center load. Montana-Dakota will also be extending 3phase power to serve temporary construction power and the office load for Data Center #2. As we discussed this new Data center is located within the area covered by our Service Area Agreement and therefore Dakota Valley will not protest the CPCN application.

Please confirm you are in agreement.

Thanks
Larry

Larry Oswald
Director Business Development & Energy Services
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