

IN THE SUPREME COURT
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

ORDER

Supreme Court No. 20260059
Burleigh County District Court No. 08-2025-CV-02068

**Wano Township, Willowbank Township, Russell Township,
Corwin Township, Valley Township, Mike and Patty Bartel,
Richard and Susan R. Long, Steven and Julia Nelson, Phyllis
P. Otterness and Patricia A. Vick, Brandon and Tausha
Schweigert, Shockman Farm Partnership, LLLP, Debra Sue Wald,
Lucas and Jill Wald, Tim Leppert, Orr Farms, Steve M.
and Sandra J. Rupp, David A. and Denette M. Schweigert,
Allen D. and Inna N. Swiontek, David and Holly Wald,
Weston Wald, and Willowbank Hutterian Brethren Association,**

Appellants

v.

**North Dakota Public Service Commission, Otter Tail Power Company,
and Montana-Dakota Utilities, Co.,**

Appellees

[¶1] On May 28, 2026, the Appellants filed a motion for in-person oral argument. Appellee North Dakota Public Service Commission filed a response to the motion the same day. On May 28, 2026, Appellants filed a motion for leave to file a reply brief to the motion. Both motions were denied by a single justice. On May 29, 2026, Appellants filed motion requesting full court review of the single justice action to deny the motions. The Court considered the matter.

[¶2] **IT IS ORDERED**, the Appellants' motions are **DENIED**.

[¶3] The Supreme Court of the State of North Dakota convened with the Honorable Lisa K. Fair McEvers, Chief Justice, and the Honorable Jerod E. Tufte, the Honorable Jon J. Jensen, the Honorable Douglas A. Bahr, and the Honorable Mark A. Friese, Justices, directing the Clerk of the Supreme Court to enter the above order.

[¶4] Dated: 6/8/2026

Petra H. Mandigo Hulm
Clerk
North Dakota Supreme Court