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May 14, 2026

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

**RE: Application for Temporary Authority Permit
Man Camp – Applied Digital – Ellendale, ND
Public Convenience & Necessity
Case No. PU-26-**

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 for a man camp at a site located in Section 41, Township 129N, Range 64W in Dickey County, near Ellendale, North Dakota.

Once Temporary Authority has been granted by the Commissioner(s), please send an email to Jeremy.Fischer@mdu.com.

Please contact me at 701.954.9072 or Tyler.Culbertson@mdu.com with any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Tyler J. Culbertson'.

Tyler J Culbertson
Director of Regulatory Affairs

Cc: Jeremy Fischer



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

Date 5/14/2026	Time <input type="checkbox"/> a.m. <input type="checkbox"/> p.m.	Name of Utility Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.	Telephone Number 701-425-2707
Name of Person Calling Jeremy Fischer		Name of Coop Serving Dakota Valley	
Name of Customer Applied Digital	Location Sec 41 Twp 129N R 64W		
Address		County Dickey	
City		State ND	Zip Code
Name of Nearest City Ellendale		Distance to the City 6.43 Miles	
When will service be extended? May 2026	Type of Service <input type="checkbox"/> Residence <input type="checkbox"/> Storage <input type="checkbox"/> Grain Bin <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <u>Man Camp</u>		
Extension Length to Most Economical Point of Service Utility: 265 ft Coop: Approximately 4 miles	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 It is unknown if the cooperative will protest.		
Name of Person Contacted (PSC Use)	Date of Contact (PSC Use)	Time (PSC Use) <input type="checkbox"/> a.m. <input type="checkbox"/> p.m.	
Estimated Cost of Extension \$37,374.00	Estimated Revenue \$112,000		
Under what rate filed with the Public Service Commission will customer be served? Rate 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 type="checkbox"/> Letter	Date Authorized		
Authorized By (Name of Commissioner)			

Extension must be made from most economical point of service.

Comments:

The extension will serve a temporary man camp. Because the load is temporary, Montana-Dakota intends to collect the extension cost from the customer as a CIAC. Montana-Dakota owns the line on the north side of the property and the local Coop would need extend service approximately 4 miles.

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

In the Matter of the Application of
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.

Case No. _____

APPEARANCE BY CUSTOMER

APLD HPC ServiceCo LLC

hereinafter referred to as "Customer", hereby makes a voluntary appearance in this matter and states the following to the Commission:

I.

That he (it) desires electric service from Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. as a public utility subject to the jurisdiction of, and regulation by, this Commission, and has requested said public utility to provide him (it) with immediate electric service at the point located as stated in the Application herein.

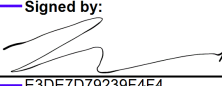
That customer further states that he (it) is in need of and has demanded immediate service at said location for the reasons set forth in the Application herein. Customer waives notice of opportunity for hearing and notice of hearing upon said Application, or a hearing thereon, and requests the Commission to issue an Order and Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity authorizing this requested and needed service, and that provisions be made therein authorizing extension of immediate service.

II.

That all the allegations of the Application herein are true and correct.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned, being the Customer involved herein, prays for the entry of an Order and Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity by the Commission, authorizing the Applicant to immediately extend the requested and needed service to Customer at said location, subject to such appropriate and proper conditions to be appended to and made a part of such Temporary Order and Certificate as the Commission may determine, said Temporary Order and Certificate to become final as may be set forth in the conditions appended thereto; and for such other and further relief as may be proper in the premises.

Dated: 5/4/2026

Signed by: 
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(Customer)





97th St SE

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Service 106' E
155' S

City Limits of
Ellendale
Approximately 6.35
Miles

State: ND
Section: 10
Township: 129 N
Range: 64 W

State: ND
Section: 11
Township: 129 N
Range: 64 W

State:
Section:
Township:
Range:

SE

97.5 St SE

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30 Dakota Valley Approximately
4 Miles

Site Location

th St SE

98th St SE

98th St SE

83rd Ave SE