

April 15, 2026

The Public Service Commission convened in the Commission Hearing Room, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota, on April 15, 2026, 10:00 a.m. Present were Commissioners Christmann, Haugen-Hoffart and Kringstad.

Minutes

Mr. Christmann: I move the minutes of April 1, 2026, be approved.

Ms. Haugen-Hoffart: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-24-376
Northern States Power Company
2025 Electric Rate Increase
Application

Mr. Christmann: I move the Commission approve the compliance rate schedules filed on April 8, 2026, in Northern States Power Company, 2025 Electric Rate Increase, Application, Case No. PU-24-376.

Ms. Haugen-Hoffart: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-26-94
Otter Tail Power Company
Certificate to Extend Service - Dakota
Spirit Ag
Public Convenience & Necessity

Mr. Christmann: I move the Commission reduce the application fee to \$10,000 and issue a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in Otter Tail Power Company, Certificate to Extend Service - Dakota Spirit Ag, Public Convenience & Necessity, Case No. PU-26-094.

Ms. Haugen-Hoffart: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-26-95
Otter Tail Power Company
Electric Service Agreement - Dakota
Spirit Ag
Approval

Mr. Christmann: I move the Commission reduce the application fee to \$10,000 and issue a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in Otter Tail Power Company, Electric Service Agreement - Dakota Spirit Ag, Approval, Case No. PU-26-095.

Ms. Haugen-Hoffart: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-26-22
Minnkota Power Cooperative, Inc.
Agassiz Transmission Line &
Substation - Cass Cty
Siting Application

Mr. Christmann: I move the Commission approve the request for temporary variance for construction filed on March 16, 2026, in Minnkota Power Cooperative, Inc., Agassiz Transmission Line & Substation - Cass Cty, Siting Application, Case No. PU-26-22.

Ms. Haugen-Hoffart: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-25-303
Otter Tail Power Company
2026 Renewable Resource Cost
Recovery Adj. Factor
Rates

Ms. Haugen-Hoffart: I move the Commission adopt the Order in Otter Tail Power Company, 2026 Renewable Resource Cost Recovery Adj. Factor, Rates, Case No. PU-25-303.

Ms. Kringstad: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

ATTEST

THE COMMISSION ADJOURNED AT 10:22 A.M.



Executive Secretary



RANDY CHRISTMANN, CHAIR