

February 18, 2026

## VIA E-FILING

Sasha Bergman  
Executive Secretary  
Minnesota Public Utilities Commission  
121 7th Place East, Suite 350  
St. Paul, MN 55101

**RE: In the Matter of the Application of Lake Charlotte Solar, LLC for a Solar Energy Conversion Facility Site Permit for the up to 150 MW Lake Charlotte Solar Facility in Martin County, Minnesota**  
**MPUC Docket No. IP-7159/GS-25-206**  
**CAH Docket Number: 23-2500-41194**

**In the Matter of the Application of Lake Charlotte Solar, LLC for a Battery Energy Storage System Site Permit for the up to 150 MW Lake Charlotte Battery Energy Storage System in Martin County, Minnesota**  
**MPUC Docket No. IP-7159/ESS-25-205**  
**CAH Docket Number: 23-2500-41194**

Dear Ms. Bergman:

Lake Charlotte Solar, LLC (Lake Charlotte Solar), a wholly owned subsidiary of Geronimo Power, LLC (Geronimo Power) (formerly National Grid Renewables, LLC), respectfully requests the Commission change the name of the applicant for the above-referenced Energy Storage System (ESS) Docket to Lake Charlotte Storage, LLC (Lake Charlotte Storage), also a wholly owned subsidiary of Geronimo Power and an affiliate of Lake Charlotte Solar. The renamed Docket No. ESS-25-205 would be: *In the Matter of the Application of Lake Charlotte Storage, LLC for an up to 150 MW / 600-MWh Battery Energy Storage System Site Permit for the Lake Charlotte Storage Project in Martin County, Minnesota.* Lake Charlotte Solar and Lake Charlotte Storage are collectively referred to as the Applicants.

Applicants are also respectfully submitting the Pre-Filed Direct Testimony of Marta Lasch, with Schedules A-D with this filing.

The documents referenced above have also been electronically filed today through [www.edockets.state.mn.us](http://www.edockets.state.mn.us). A copy of this filing is being served upon the persons on the Official Service Lists of record.

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Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

FREDRIKSON & BYRON, P.A.

*/s/ Jeremy P. Duehr*

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***CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE***

Breann L. Jurek certifies that on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2026, she e-filed a true and correct copy of the Pre-Filed Direct Testimony of Marta Lasch, with Schedules A-D on behalf of Applicants via eDockets ([www.edockets.state.mn.us](http://www.edockets.state.mn.us)).

Said documents were also served as designated on the Official Service Lists on file with the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission and as attached hereto.

Executed on: February 18, 2026

*Signed: /s/ Breann L. Jurek*  
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