

June 29, 2018

**Via Electronic Filing**

Mr. Daniel Wolf  
Executive Secretary  
Minnesota Public Utilities Commission  
121 Seventh Place East, Suite 350  
Saint Paul, MN 55101-2147

**Re: *In the Matter of the Application of Dodge County Wind, LLC for a Route Permit for its Proposed 345 KV High Voltage Transmission Line Associated With the Dodge County Wind Large Wind Energy Conversion System***

**Docket No. IP6981/TL-17-308**

Dear Mr. Wolf:

Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes chapter 216E and Minnesota Rules 7850, Dodge County Wind, LLC respectfully submits its Application for a Route Permit for the Dodge County Transmission Line ("Application"). The Application has been submitted via the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission's ("Commission") e-filing system and hard copies of the Application are being provided to the Commission and the Minnesota Department of Commerce. A copy of the filing is also being served upon the persons on the Official Service List of record.

In addition to this transmittal letter, included with the Application are:

- Application Text
- Appendix A: 90-Day Pre-Application Letters to Local Units of Government and Affidavits of Mailing
- Appendix B: County-Level Maps
- Appendix C: Detailed Aerial Maps
- Appendix D: Diagram and Photo of Interconnection into Byron Substation
- Appendix E: Road Right-of-Way Drawings
- Appendix F: Impact Tables for Route A, Route B, and Project Collector Substation
- Appendix G: Technical Drawings of Proposed Structures
- Appendix H: Environmental Feature Maps
- Appendix I: Maps of Airports, Private Air Strips, Heliports, and Navigational Aids
- Appendix J: Obstruction Evaluation and Airspace Analysis
- Appendix K: Agency Correspondence
- Appendix L: List of Landowners

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Thank you for your attention to this Filing. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Stinson Leonard Street LLP

Andrew J. Gibbons

Enclosures

**STATE OF MINNESOTA  
BEFORE THE  
MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

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<i>Dodge County Wind, LLC's Application to the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission for a Route Permit for a 345 kV High Voltage Transmission Line in Dodge County</i>	) ) ) ) )	<b>Docket No. IP6981/CN-17-308</b>  <b>CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE</b>
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The undersigned hereby certifies that true and correct copies of the **Dodge County Wind, LLC's Application for a Route Permit for a 345 kV High Voltage Transmission Line in Dodge County and its appendices**, were served today upon the following:

**By E-Filing**

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Dated this 29<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2018

*/s/ Susan A. Hartinger*  
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