



Brian M. Meloy
612.335.1451 **DIRECT**
brian.meloy@stinson.com

May 12, 2017

Via Electronic Filing

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

Re: *In the Matter of the Application of Dodge County Wind, LLC for a Certificate of Need for the 200 MW Large Wind Energy Conversion System and an associated 345 KV Transmission Line in Dodge County, Minnesota.*
Docket No. IP6981/CN-17-306

Dear Mr. Wolf:

Dodge County Wind, LLC (“Dodge County Wind”) has reviewed the May 8, 2017 Comments of the Minnesota Department of Commerce, Division of Energy Resources (“Department”) filed on Dodge County Wind’s Petition for Exemption from Certain Certificate of Need Application Requirements. Dodge County Wind appreciates the Department’s review and is in agreement with its recommendations.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

/s/ Brian Meloy

Brian Meloy

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

In the Matter of the Application)
of Dodge County Wind, LLC for a)
Certificate of Need for the Dodge)
County Wind Project and Associated)
Facilities in Dodge County, Minnesota)

Docket No. IP6981/CN-17-306

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that true and correct copies of the **Correspondence** from **Brian Meloy of Stinson Leonard Street, on behalf of Dodge County Wind, LLC, regarding agreement with Department's recommendations,** were served today upon the following:

By E-Filing

NAME	EMAIL	ADDRESS	SERVICE
Julia Anderson	julia.anderson@ag.state.mn.us	Office of the Attorney General – DOC 1800 BRM Tower 445 Minnesota Street St. Paul, MN 55101-2134	Electronic
Sharon Ferguson	sharon.ferguson@state.mn.us	Department of Commerce 85 – 7 th Place East, Ste. 500 St. Paul, MN 55101-2198	Electronic
Ian Dobson	Residential.Utilities@ag.state.mn.us	Office of the Attorney General 1400 BRM Tower 445 Minnesota Street St. Paul, MN 55101-2130	Electronic
Brian Meloy	brian.meloy@stinson.com	Stinson, Leonard, Street LLP 150 S. 5 th Street, Suite 2300 Minneapolis, MN 55402	Electronic
Daniel P. Wolf	dan.wolf@state.mn.us	Public Utilities Commission 121 – 7 th Place East, Ste. 350 St. Paul, MN 55101-2147	Electronic

By E-Mail

Name	Email	Address	Delivery Method
Michelle F. Bissonnette	michelle.bissonnette@hdrinc.com	HDR Engineering, Inc. Golden Hills Office Center 701 Xenia Ave S Suite 600 Minneapolis, MN 55416	Electronic Service
B. Andrew Brown	brown.andrew@dorsey.com	Dorsey & Whitney LLP 50 South Sixth Street Suite 1500 Minneapolis, MN 55402-1498	Electronic Service
Bill Cook	bcook@rpu.org	Rochester Public Utilities 4000 East River Road NE Rochester, MN 55906	Electronic Service
John Crane	johncranefishing@gmail.com	1250 Wee Gwaus DR SW Bemidji, MN 56601	Electronic Service
George Crocker	gwillc@nawo.org	North American Water Office PO Box 174 Lake Elmo, MN 55042	Electronic Service
John E. Drawz	jdrawz@fredlaw.com	Fredrikson & Byron, P.A. 200 South Sixth St., Suite 4000 Minneapolis, MN 55402-1425	Electronic Service
Cory Dutcher	cory.dutcher@ge.com	GE Power and Water 1 River Rd. Bldg. 37-413 Schenectady, NY 12345	Electronic Service
Kate Fairman	Kate.frantz@state.mn.us	Department of Natural Resources 500 Lafayette Rd., Box 32 St. Paul, MN 55155-4032	Electronic Service
Emma Fazio	emma.fazio@stoel.com	Stoel Rives LLP 33 South Sixth Street Suite 4200 Minneapolis, MN 55402	Electronic Service
Annette Fiedler	phydev@swrdc.org	Southwest Regional Development Comm. 2401 Broadway Ave , Suite 1 Stuyton, MN 56177	Electronic Service
Karen A. Gebhardt	kageb1@gvtel.com	43901 253rd Avenue Leonard, MN 56652-4026	Electronic Service

Name	Email	Address	Delivery Method
Travis Germundson	Travis.germundson@state.mn.us	Board of Water & Soil Resources 520 Lafayette Rd. St. Paul, MN 55155	Electronic Service
Jason Harris	Jason.harris@nee.com	Dakota County Wind, LLC 700 Universe Blvd. Juno Beach, FL 33408	Electronic Service
Charles Healy	chuckh@electrotech-inc.com	ElectroTech, Inc 7101 Madison Ave Minneapolis, MN 55427	Electronic Service
Valerie Herring	vherring@briggs.com	Briggs and Morgan, P.A. 2200 IDS Center 80 S. Eighth Street Minneapolis, MN 55402	Electronic Service
Kari Howe	Kari.howe@state.mn.us	DEED 332 Minnesota St., #E200 First National Bank Bldg. St. Paul, MN 55101	Electronic Service
Scott Johnson	Scott.Johnson@ci.medina.mn.us	City of Medina 2052 County Road 24 Medina, MN 55340-9790	Electronic Service
Stacy Kotch	Stacy.Kotch@state.mn.us	MnDOT 395 John Ireland Blvd. St. Paul, MN 55155	Electronic Service
Karen Kromar	karen.kromar@state.mn.us	MN Pollution Control Agency 520 Lafayette Rd Saint Paul, MN 55155	Electronic Service
Kim Lindquist	kim.lindquist@ci.rosemount.mn.us	City of Rosemount 2875 145th St W Rosemount, MN 55068	Electronic Service
Paula Maccabee	Pmaccabee@justchangelaw.com	Just Change Law Offices 1961 Selby Ave Saint Paul, MN 55104	Electronic Service
Brian Meloy	brian.meloy@stinson.com	Stinson, Leonard, Street LLP 150 South 5th St., Suite 2300 Minneapolis, MN 55402	Electronic Service

Name	Email	Address	Delivery Method
Kevin Mixon	kevin.mixon@state.mn.us	Department of Natural Resources 261 HWY 15 South New Ulm, MN 56073	Electronic Service
Andrew Moratzka	andrew.moratzka@stoel.com	Stoel Rives LLP 33 South Sixth St., Suite 4200 Minneapolis, MN 55402	Electronic Service
Debra Moynihan	Debra.moynihan@state.mn.us	MN Dept. of Transportation 395 John Ireland Blvd., MS 620 St. Paul, MN 55155-1899	Electronic Service
Brian J. Murphy	Brian.j.murphy@nee.com	Nextera Energy Resources, LLC 700 Universe Blvd. Juno Beach, FL 33408	Electronic Service
Steven Nyhus	swnyhus@flaherty-hood.com	Flaherty & Hood PA 525 Park Street, Suite 470 Saint Paul, MN 55103	Electronic Service
Carol A. Overland	overland@legalectric.org	Legalelectric - Overland Law Office 1110 West Avenue Red Wing, MN 55066	Electronic Service
Bob Patton	Bob.patton@state.mn.us	MN Dept. of Agriculture 625 Robert St. N. St. Paul, MN 55155-2538	Electronic Service
Kevin Peterson	kjp@ibew160.org	IBEW Local 160 1109 Northway Lane NE Rochester, MN 55906	Electronic Service
Angela Piner	angela.piner@hdrinc.com	HDR, Inc. 701 Xenia Ave. S., Suite 600 Minneapolis, MN 55416	Electronic Service
Larry Rebman	larryemls@hotmail.com	EMLS, Inc PO Box 122 Appleton, MN 56208	Electronic Service
Margaret Rheude	Margaret_Rheude@fws.gov	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service 4101 American Blvd. E. Bloomington, MN 55425	Electronic Service
Rachelle Schmitz	rneevel@yahoo.com	N/A	Electronic Service

Name	Email	Address	Delivery Method
Tom Schmitz	tschmitz_rph@yahoo.com	N/A	Electronic Service
Jamie Schrenzel	jamie.schrenzel@state.mn.us	Minnesota DNR 500 Lafayette Road Saint Paul, MN 55155	Electronic Service
Rod Schumacher	rod.schumacher@is-grp.com	I&S Group 115 E Hickery St., Suite 300 Mankato, MN 56001	Electronic Service
David Shaffer	david.shaffer@startribune.com	Star Tribune 425 Portland Minneapolis, MN 55488	Electronic Service
Tom Slukich	tom@nationalconductor.com	National Conductor Constructors 18119 Hwy 371 North Brainerd, MN 56401	Electronic Service
Adam Sokolski	adam.sokolski@iberdrolaren.com	Iberdrola Renewables 701 Fourth Ave. S., Suite 1010 Minneapolis, MN 55415	Electronic Service
Matt Steinrueck	msteinrueck@cleanwater.org	Clean Water Action 330 Second Ave S., Suite 420 Minneapolis, MN 55401	Electronic Service
Mark Strohfus	mstrohfus@grenergy.com	Great River Energy 12300 Elm Creek Boulevard Maple Grove, MN 55369-4718	Electronic Service
Carl Strohm	cjsmg@sbcglobal.net	SBC Global 105 East Edgewood Ave Indianapolis, IN 46227	Electronic Service
Tom Swafford	tswafford@umsi.us	Utility Mapping Services, Inc 3947 E Calvary Rd Suite 103 Duluth, MN 55803	Electronic Service
Eric Swanson	eswanson@winthrop.com	Winthrop Weinstine 225 S 6th Street Suite 3500 Capella Tower Minneapolis, MN 55402-4629	Electronic Service

Name	Email	Address	Delivery Method
Todd Tadych	ttadych@atcllc.com	American Transmission Company LLC 5303 Fen Oak Dr Madison, WI 53718	Electronic Service
Steve Thompson	stevet@cmpasgroup.org	Central Minnesota Municipal Power Agency 459 S Grove Street Blue Earth, MN 56013-2629	Electronic Service
Brian Zelenak	brian.r.zelenak@xcelenergy.com	Xcel Energy 414 Nicollet Mall, FL 7 Minneapolis, MN 55401-1993	Electronic Service
Hans van Lingen	hans.vanlingen@enel.com	Enel Green Power North America 1 Tech Drive, Suite 220 Andover, MA 01810	Electronic Service
Bruce King	bruce@ranww.org	Realtors, Association of NW WI 1903 Keith Street, Suite 3 Eau Claire, WI 54701	Electronic Service Street

By U.S. Mail

Name	Email	Address	Delivery Method
Thomas Davis		1161 50th Ave Sherburne, MN 56171	Electronic Service
Kristen Eide Tollefson		R-CURE 28477 N Lake Ave Frontenac, MN 55026-1044	Electronic Service
Colleen Mueller		22186 State Hwy 4 Paynesville, MN 56362	Electronic Service

Dated this 12th day of May, 2017

/s/ Kristi K. Henrichs
Kristi K. Henrichs