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VIA E-FILING

Honorable James R. Mortenson Administrative Law Judge Office of Administrative Hearings P.O. Box 64620 Saint Paul, MN 55164-0620

Re: In the Matter of the Application of Dairyland Power Cooperative for a Route Permit

to Relocate an Existing 161 kV Transmission Line in Wabasha County, Minnesota

OAH Docket No. 5-2500-40184

MPUC Docket No. ET-3/TL-23-388

Dear Judge Mortenson:

Dairyland Power Cooperative (Dairyland) respectfully submits the enclosed Direct Testimony of Sage Williams and Schedules A and B as well as the Direct Testimony of Britta Bergland and Schedules A-F in advance of the February 11 and 12, 2025 public hearings.

The documents referenced above have been e-filed through www.edocket.state.mn.us. A copy of this filing is also being served upon the persons on the Official Service List of record. Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Maia Martinez certifies that on the 28th day of January, 2025, she e-filed true and correct copy the following documents on behalf of Dairyland Power Cooperative via eDockets (www.edockets.state.mn.us):

- 1. Filing Letter
- 2. Direct Testimony of Sage Williams
 - a. Schedule A Statement of Qualifications
 - b. Schedule B Alternatives Analysis
- 3. Direct Testimony of Britta Bergland
 - a. Schedule A Statement of Qualifications
 - b. Schedule B Upper Sioux Community Tribal Cultural Resource Survey Results Letter
 - c. Schedule C Minnesota State Historic Preservation Office Letter
 - d. Schedule D Minnesota Department of Natural Resources Minnesota Conservation Explorer Review Letter
 - e. Schedule E Avian Protection Plan
 - f. Schedule F Response to Minnesota Department of Transportation Scoping Comments
- 4. Certificate of Service

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: January 28, 2025 Signed: /s/ Maia Martinez

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