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Public Utilities Commission
500 E. Capitol
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SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC
UTILITIES COMMISSION

RE: IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION FOR ELECTRICAL SERVICE BY REDFIELD ENERGY, LLC TO HAVE NORTHWESTERN ENERGY ASSIGNED AS ITS ELECTRIC PROVIDER IN THE SERVICE AREA OF NORTHERN ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.
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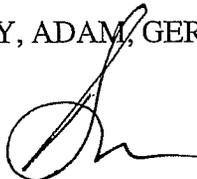
Dear Commissioners:

Enclosed please find the original and 10 copies of Exhibit D to the Petition for Electrical Service in the above captioned docket. Exhibit D was not available at the time the Petition was filed yesterday.

Also enclosed please find the original and 10 copies of the Certificate of Service reflecting service on Harvey Oliver, attorney for Northern Electric Cooperative, Inc., and on Arthur M. (Monte) Hopper, attorney for Redfield Energy, LLC.

Very truly yours,

MAY, ADAM, GERDES & THOMPSON LLP



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cc: Harvey Oliver
Jay Morris
Monte Hopper

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
BEFORE THE
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In the Matter of the Petition for Electrical Service)
by Redfield Energy, LLC to Have)
NorthWestern Energy Assigned as its) Docket No. EL06-____
Electric Provider in the Service Area of)
Northern Electric Cooperative, Inc.)

AFFIDAVIT OF JOINDER

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COUNTY OF BEADLE)

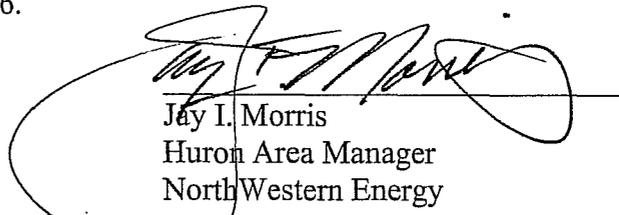
Jay I. Morris, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that he is the Huron Area Manager for NorthWestern Corporation, doing business as NorthWestern Energy (“NorthWestern Energy”), and makes this Affidavit for and on behalf of NorthWestern Energy, who joins in the Petition for Electrical Service as executed by Redfield Energy, LLC. (“Redfield Energy”), and states:

1. Based upon information and belief, the Redfield Energy ethanol facility (the “Facility”) to be constructed for Redfield Energy is a new customer at a new location and will have a minimum contracted electrical demand of more than two thousand kilowatts.
2. NorthWestern Energy has an adequate power supply and can meet the electric service requirements of the Facility.
3. NorthWestern Energy has adequate facilities in close proximity to the Facility and can provide service with a minimum of construction of facilities.
4. By furnishing electricity to the Facility, NorthWestern Energy’s customers and the public in general will be benefited.

5. Redfield Energy desires to have NorthWestern Energy supply electric service to the Facility, and NorthWestern Energy offers and agrees to comply with such request. To accomplish this, Redfield Energy and NorthWestern Energy have entered into an Electric Service Agreement, subject to the Commission's approval of this Petition.

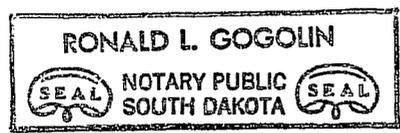
6. NorthWestern Energy is ready, willing, and able to comply with the request for service of Redfield Energy, and respectfully urges the Commission to grant the Petition.

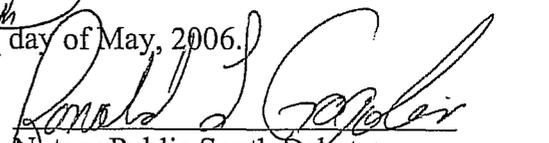
Dated this 30TH day of May, 2006.



Jay I. Morris
Huron Area Manager
NorthWestern Energy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of May, 2006.





Notary Public South Dakota
My Commission Expires: 7/30/2010

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Brett Koenecke of May, Adam, Gerdes & Thompson LLP hereby certifies that on the 31st day of May, 2006, he mailed by United States mail, first class postage thereon prepaid, a true and correct copy of the Petition (without attached Exhibit D) in the above captioned action to the following at their last known addresses, to-wit:

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Aberdeen, SD 57402

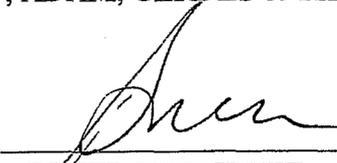
Arthur M. Hopper
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Brett Koenecke further certifies that on the 1st day of June, 2006, he mailed by United States mail, first class postage thereon prepaid, a true and correct copy of the Affidavit of Joinder, Exhibit D to the Petition, to the above named addressees.

DATED this 1st day of June, 2006.

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