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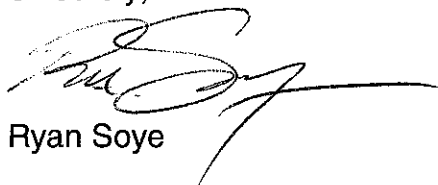
Re: EL12-026 - In the Matter of the Request for Approval of an Electric Service Territory Boundary Agreement between Rosebud Electric Cooperative, Inc. and West Central Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

On March 30, 2012, as part of the Commission's efforts to verify electric territory mapping data for use in a Geographic Information System (GIS) database, Commission Staff filed a request for approval of an executed territory agreement, legal description, and mapping data in the above-reference docket. After a hearing was held on another docket of this type, Commission Docket EL12-023, the Commission directed Staff to correct certain base layer inputs of the Commission's GIS software, Arcmap. Specifically, errors were discovered in the software inputs controlling Section coordinates established by the Public Land Survey System. On further review of this matter, Staff discovered this error was also present in the mapping data submitted in this docket. Again, this error involved certain Sections located to the south of the White River (Exhibit B, Pg. 2) being listed Township 43 South, Range 25 East, instead of Township 43 **North**, Range 25 **West**.

Staff has corrected these errors and requests Commission approval these updated documents to establish the official electric territory boundary shared by the above-referenced utilities.

Sincerely,



Ryan Soye