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Patricia Van Gerpen, Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
500 E. Capitol, 1st Floor
Pierre, SD 57501

RE: *In The Matter of the Request for a Declaratory Ruling Regarding the Electric Service Territory Boundary Between Charles Mix Electric Association, Inc. and Northwestern Corporation d/b/a Northwestern Energy*

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Enclosed for filing please find the following:

- Petition for Declaratory Ruling with Petitioner's Exhibits numbered 1, 2, 3, 4A, 4B, and 5.
- Certificate of Service

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Whalen
Attorney for Charles Mix Electric Association, Inc.,

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Attachments
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