

Berrisford SD  
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Dear members of the SD P.U.C.

a ~~few~~ few days ago I sent you a letter regarding N.W. Energy Co. decision to cease service to most of the hundreds of farm owners, through which their Pipelines were built.

Since the easements were / are clearly valid, I urge you to rule that the farmsteads involved continue to receive the service ~~was~~ which HAS been provided - for generations.

You members of the P.U.C. have a fiduciary responsibility in this matter.

Your responsibilities include seeing to it that farm owners, in this case, are appealing to you to exercise your RESPONSIBILITY to everyone involved.

Some years ago I inquired of a Rural Electrification Company whether they would service my farm if the City government proceeded to incorporate my farm into the city limits. I was told that "yes" certainly we would, if the city turned off your service." (they were sure that the city fathers would NOT turn off the service.) (They backed off & they still give

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Sincerely  
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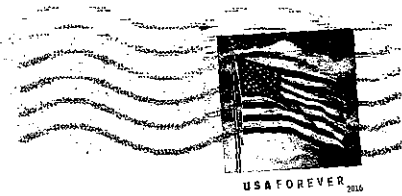
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