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September 26, 2005

South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
Pam Bonrud, Executive Director
500 East Capitol
Pierre, SD 57501

RE: Service Territory Exchange Agreement (A05.5)

Dear Ms. Bonrud:

Enclosed for filing please find an original executed "Joint Request for Electric Service Territory Exception" between The City of Madison and Sioux Valley-Southwestern Electric Cooperative, dba Sioux Valley Energy (SVE).

This agreement between the two parties seeks a transfer of service territory. SVE and The City of Madison jointly request an exception to the existing electric service territorial agreement to permit The City of Madison to provide electric service to Paul and Lora Ersland in the Southeast quarter of Section 31, Township 107 North, Range 52 West. Representatives of both SVE and The City of Madison have concluded that, in this instance, the consumers' interests will be better served with service from The City of Madison and have agreed that we should request a transfer of service territory. Also enclosed is a signature of consent signed by the affected customer concurring with the territorial transfer.

The accompanying drawing, Exhibit A05.5 to the Agreement, provides additional information. SVE respectfully requests the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission's consideration and an order approving this agreement.

Sincerely,

Don Marker
General Manager

Enclosure

A Touchstone Energy® Cooperative

JOINT REQUEST FOR ELECTRIC SERVICE TERRITORY EXCEPTION
(A05.5)

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SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC
UTILITIES COMMISSION

The City of Madison and Sioux Valley Southwestern Electric Cooperative, Inc., doing business as Sioux Valley Energy (SVE) jointly request an exception to the existing electric service territorial agreement to permit The City of Madison to provide electric service to a new home for Paul and Lora Ersland. The service will be located in the SE ¼ of Section 31, Township 107 North, Range 52 West. A drawing of the service site, Exhibit A05.5, is attached for your information.

Representatives of both SVE and the City of Madison have concluded that, in this instance, the customer's interest will be best served by receiving service from The City of Madison and have agreed that we should request an exception to the existing territorial agreement.

We have also agreed that each such instance where territory boundaries become a factor should be dealt with on an individual basis.

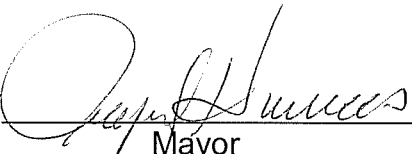
This consent on the part of SVE is limited to the above said service and will automatically terminate upon removal or abandonment of such services.

This exception is not to be construed as having any impact upon or indicating a desire to change the service area assigned by the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission.

SIOUX VALLEY-SOUTHWESTERN
ELECTRIC

THE CITY OF MADISON

BY 
General Manager

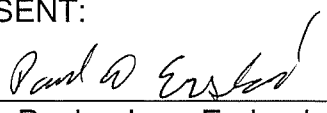
BY 
Mayor

DATE 9-21-05

DATE 9-23-05

I concur with the provisions described above.

CONSENT:

BY 
Paul or Lora Ersland

DATE 9-21-05

Exhibit A05.5



SIOUX VALLEY ENERGY
EXISTING LINE

REGGIE WEISE
FARM

CITY OF MADISON
EXISTING LINE

CITY OF MADISON

2875'

NEW LOT
10-3-31