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**RE: EL18-039 In the Matter of the Application of Flying Cow Wind, LLC**  
**Our File: 7462**

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

On September 27, 2018 Flying Cow Wind, LLC (herein "the Applicant") filed a Facility Permit Application for a 345 kV transmission line and substation project in Deuel County, South Dakota.


Thereafter, the Public Utilities Commission scheduled a public hearing as is required by statute. The Applicant submitted a formal notice of the public meeting to the Clear Lake Courier and requested publication pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-5.2. Unfortunately, the newspaper did not publish the notice as requested, and the statutory timeline for publication could not be met with a subsequent publication.

Because of the statutorily set publication requirement and established timeline, the Applicant respectfully withdraws its filing. The Applicant will refile on October 24, 2018 to support a public input hearing date on December 18, 2018.

I apologize for the inconvenience this causes the Commissioners and Commission Staff.

Sincerely,

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