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## Town of Goodwin, Inc.

January 29, 2020

Katie Ball Northwestern Energy 600 Market St. W Huron, SD 57350

Dear Katie Ball:

Please let this letter serve as a formal request from the Town of Goodwin, Inc. to Northwestern Energy, Huron, SD; to release the territory of the SE intersection of highways US 212 & Deuel County 312, to H-D Electric, Clear Lake, SD (which territory is currently on the north side of US 212); in order to provide service for a streetlight on the said corner.

The town of Goodwin has been trying for 25 years to get a light installed at this intersection. The main purpose is safety; visibility is very difficult and dangerous during inclement weather. We also hope to illuminate our municipal golf course sign.

We received a quote from NWE to bring service to this corner of \$20,618.08 and also a quote from H-D which was \$2,950.00. The cost of \$20,618.08 makes the project unfeasible, but the \$2,950.00 is more reasonable and allows us to finally complete this project.

Please let me know if there is any more information that you need from us.

Sincerely,

Michael Fieber

Mayor - Town of Goodwin

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## H-D Electric Cooperative, Inc.

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January 29, 2020

Katie Ball Northwestern Energy 600 Market St. W Huron, SD 57350

RE: Territory Exception, Deuel County

Dear Ms. Ball:

The purpose of this letter is to let you know that H-D Electric Cooperative is willing to serve a service for a streetlight at the SE corner of US Hwy 212 and Deuel County Road 312. The service is to be located in the SE corner of that intersection and is for the town of Goodwin, SD. The project is estimated at \$2,950 of which the town of Goodwin would be responsible for the entire cost.

The background for this request is as follows -

Michael Fieber, Mayor of Goodwin approached H-D about serving this service intended to light up the corner for safety reasons, in addition to a sign advertising the town of Goodwin. This service is in the Northwestern Energy - PUC defined service territory and he was told Northwestern would need to serve the location. Mr. Fieber, again approached H-D Electric and said Northwestern would be willing to have H-D Electric serve this location. Earlier today through email, Troy Kwasniewski, H-D Operations Manager contacted you to verify that intention and you indicated Northwestern would be willing to approach the PUC to make a service exception for H-D to serve this service. H-D Electric service territory is directly located on the North side of US Hwy 212 of the proposed service location and the line which will serve is located on the north side of US Hwy 212 approximately 150 feet from the proposed service.

Please let me or Operations Manager, Troy Kwasniewski if or how you would like to proceed. Troy can be reached at 605-874-2171 or <a href="mailto:troyk@h-delectric.coop">troyk@h-delectric.coop</a>, while I can be reached at 605-874-2171 or <a href="mailto:mailt

Sincerely

Matt Hotzler, P.E.

General Manager / CEO

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February 25, 2020

Jeffrey Decker Northwestern Energy 600 Market St. W Huron, SD 57350

Dear Jeffrey:

This letter is to acknowledge that we are aware of the service territory exception filing with the SD PUC and support the exception to allow H-D Electric to serve a street light on the NW corner of our property, 75' south of center US 212 & 50' east of center of Deuel County 312.

Please let me know if there is any more information that you need from us.

Sincerely,

Dennis Korbel