



# Southeastern Electric Cooperative, Inc.

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SD Public Utilities Commission  
500 East Capital Avenue  
Pierre SD 57501-5070

Re: Territory Exception, Hutchinson County

Dear Sir or Madam:

The purpose of this letter is to support the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission approval of this service territory exception request. Southeastern Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Southeastern) supports allowing Bonn Homme Yankton Electric Association, Inc. (B-Y Electric) to provide an electrical service for a new, single residential service and associated single family farm grain bins to be located in the assigned service territory of Southeastern. The site is identified in Exhibit B - Map of New Service and Utilities.

Southeastern's closest connection point for service is located approximately 5,300 feet from the point of service requested by Mr. Kirschenman. Exhibit B is attached and shows the location of the current electrical lines of B-Y Electric and Southeastern. It's my understanding that B-Y Electric has facilities located approximately 1,500 feet from the point of service and that Mr. Kirschenman prefers to be served by B-Y Electric per Exhibit A. Southeastern's contribution in aid of construction to extend service to this location would be \$21,960.

Mr. Kirschenman requested that Southeastern allow B-Y Electric to provide electric service to a new single family farm residential service located in the Southeast quarter (SE¼) of the Southeast quarter (SE1/4) of Section 34, T097N, R057W, of Sweet Township in Hutchinson County, South Dakota. B-Y Electric has agreed to provide electrical service to this load per the evidence included in this docket.

Thank you for your consideration.

Regards,

Chad Kinsley  
CEO  
Southeastern Electric Cooperative, Inc.

