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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA**

Print Form

This form is only for persons who wish to be an active party in this docket. You do NOT need to be a party to submit comments.

**In the Matter of the Application of Crowned Ridge
Energy Storage I, LLC for a Permit for an Energy
Conversion Facility**

APPLICATION FOR PARTY STATUS

EL26-014

Sam Roberts, petitions the Public Utilities Commission to be granted party status in this proceeding.
(Name of Applicant. This will be the person or entity named as a party.)

Place a check mark next to each item below that applies to you, adding a mileage number where requested.

☐ I am a person or organization that received official notification of the project via U.S. mail from the siting permit applicant.

☒ I reside within 2.5 miles of the proposed project.

Residential address if different from your mailing address:

16378 463rd Ave Watertown SD 57201
☒ I own land within 2.5 miles of the proposed project.

Legal description: 16378 463rd Ave Watertown SD, 57201

☐ I officially represent a municipal, city, township, county or other affected governmental agency within _____ miles of the proposed project.

Explain your interest in applying for party status below.

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UTILITIES COMMISSION**

Deadline: This application must be filed with the Public Utilities Commission on or before 5:00 p.m. CT, July 13, 2026. File this completed form electronically at puc.sd.gov/EFilingOptions.aspx

This section is to be completed by the person requesting party status. **All fields are required.**

Samuel Roberts
Applicant's Printed/Typed Name

[Signature]
Signature of Applicant **Must E-Sign or Hand Sign**

Date Signed

Name of Applicant's Organization (if Applicable)

16378 463rd Ave Watertown SD
Applicant's Address (PO Box/St/Ave/Road)

Applicant's Address (City, State, ZIP Code)

605-200-2429
Applicant's Phone Number or, if represented, Applicant's Attorney's Phone Number

Sam Roberts@outlook.com
Applicant's E-mail Address* or, if represented, Applicant's Attorney's E-mail Address*

The section below is to be completed by the Applicant's attorney, if represented. **All fields are required.**

Attorney's Printed/Typed Name

Signature of Attorney. **Must E-Sign or Hand Sign**

Date Signed

Attorney's Address (PO Box/St/Ave/Road)

Attorney's Address (City, State, ZIP Code)

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If your submitted form is incomplete, you risk not being granted party status.