

**BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF )  
EVERGY KANSAS METRO, INC FOR )  
AUTHORITY TO CEASE TRANSACTING THE )  
BUSINESS OF AN ELECTRIC PUBLIC UTILITY ) Docket No. 25-EKME-313-CCS  
SPECIFICALLY, IN SECTION S02 T22S R25E IN )  
LINN COUNTY, KANSAS )

**APPLICATION TO CEASE**

COMES NOW Evergy Kansas Metro Inc., d.b.a. Evergy Kansas Metro and in support of its Application to Cease states:

1. Evergy Kansas Metro is a Kansas corporation authorized by the Commission to conduct the business of a public utility under the provisions of K.S.A. 66-104, and as such holds a Certificate of Convenience and Authority from this Commission to engage in the business of an electric public utility in the State of Kansas, thereby promoting the public convenience in the following described territory:

**LINN COUNTY, KANSAS**

The tract of land is located, beginning with the NW corner, S 1/2, NE 1/2, Section 02, T22S, R25E, thence S 1310.07' to SW corner of NE 1/4 Sec 02, T22S, R25E, thence 960' E along S line, thence N 1310' to N line S 1/2 NE 1/4, thence W to POB in Linn County, Kansas. See Map Exhibit A.

2. In order for Evergy Kansas Metro to serve the property described in paragraph 1, the company would have to build around 1900' of overhead power lines at a cost of approximately \$38,000 to the customer. Heartland Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Heartland Rural) has facilities near the property and can build to the customer for a much less expensive cost.

3. Evergy Kansas Metro and Heartland Rural have mutually agreed, subject to the Commission's approval, that Heartland Rural should serve as the electric provider in the territory described in paragraph 1.

4. A copy of this application is being served on Heartland Rural by delivery of United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

Dan Avery, Director of Operations  
Heartland Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc.  
PO Box 40  
Girard, KS 66743

There is no other person or entity, corporate, municipal, or otherwise that requires notice of this Application.

THEREFORE, Evergy Kansas Metro requests that an Order be issued, granting Evergy Kansas Metro the authority to cease operating as an electric public utility in the territory described in paragraph 1 above.

EVERGY KANSAS METRO, INC.

BY: Cathryn Dinges  
Cathryn J. Dinges, S.Ct. #20848  
Senior Director and Regulatory Affairs Counsel  
818 S. Kansas Avenue  
P.O. Box 889  
Topeka, Kansas 66601-0889  
PHONE: (785) 575-8344  
FAX: (785) 575-8136

ITS ATTORNEY

STATE OF KANSAS        )  
                                  )  
COUNTY OF SHAWNEE    )        ss

Cathryn J. Dinges, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and states:

That she is the attorney for the within named applicant, that she has read the above and foregoing Application and that the statements therein contained are true according to her knowledge and belief.

Cathryn Dinges  
Cathryn J. Dinges

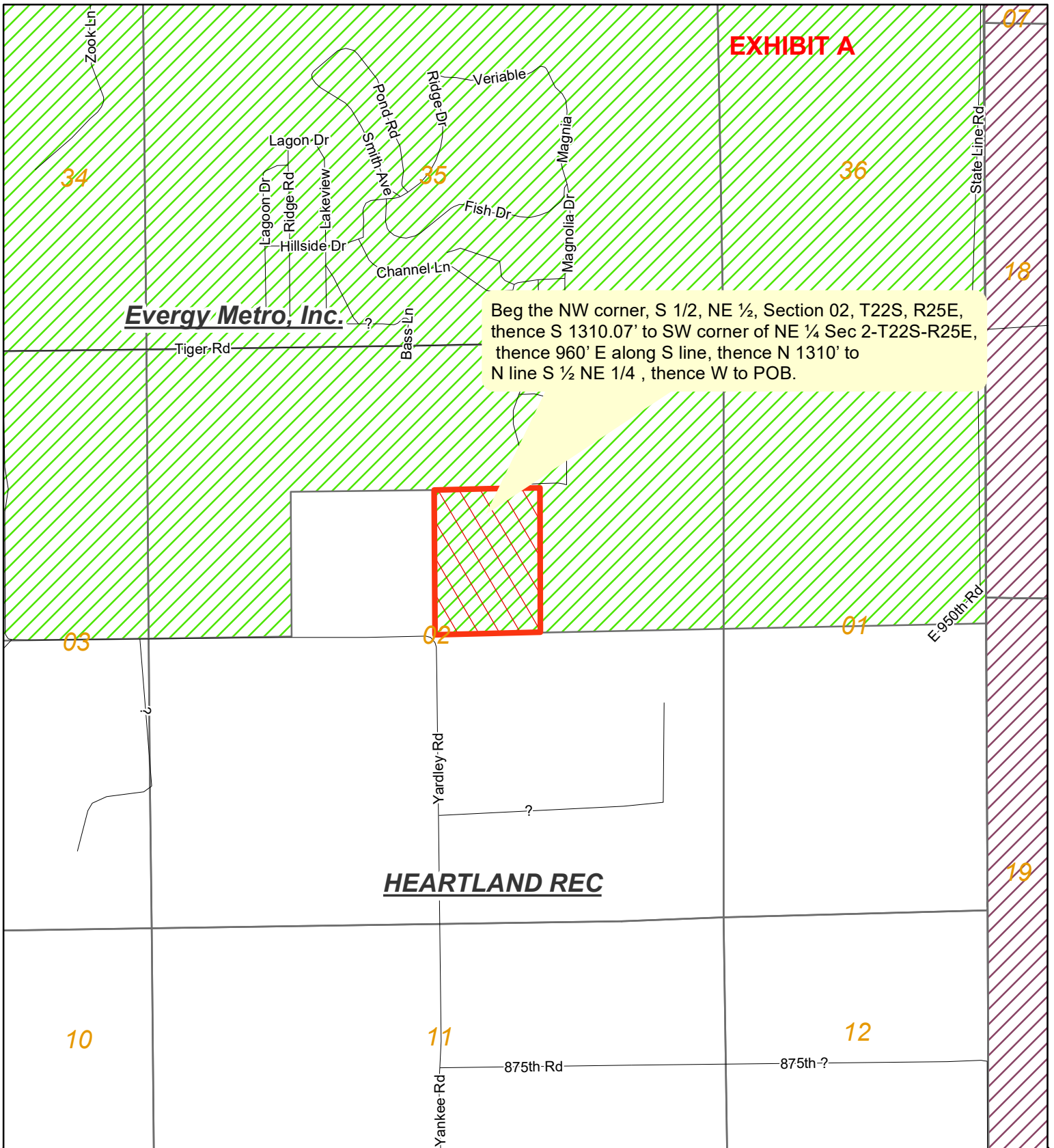
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 2025.

Leslie R. Wines  
Notary Public

My Appointment Expires:

May 30, 2026





**DISCLAIMER AND COPYRIGHT NOTICE**

The information contained on this drawing/map is used to locate, identify and/or inventory Evergy Inc. electrical facilities located on parcels of land in the Evergy Inc. service area. It is intended for reference purposes only and is NOT to be construed or used as a "legal description." Map information is believed to be accurate but accuracy is not guaranteed. This information should not be relied upon as a substitute for an actual field survey. This drawing/map is not to be used as a substitute for using the ONE-CALL system for purposes of digging and excavation. You must call ONE-CALL (811) to notify operators of underground facilities of proposed excavation or digging to request that member companies mark their underground facilities before they dig! In no event will Evergy Inc. be liable for any damages, including loss of data, lost profits, business interruption, loss of business information or other pecuniary loss that might arise from the inaccuracy, use or misuse of this map or the information it contains. You are prohibited from reproducing or distributing this drawing/map or any portion of it without written permission of Evergy Inc. © Evergy Inc. All rights reserved.

		Title <b>Proposed Cease to Serve, Linn County, KS</b>		
		By <b>RLC</b>	WR # <b>xxxx</b>	Crew HQ <b>xxxx</b>
<b>Think Safety!</b>		Date <b>1/27/2025</b>	Scale <b>1 inch = 1200 feet</b>	Sheet <b>Page 1</b>