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January 31, 2020

Darrin Lynch, Manager
Western Cooperative Electric Assn., Inc.
P.O. Box 278
WaKeeney, KS 67672

Dear Mr. Lynch:

Your EL No. 39714 has been reviewed and approved. Enclosed is a copy of the location map bearing the approval notation and the date of approval.

Jason W. Kerr
Electric Utility Engineer Technician

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KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
UTILITIES DIVISION
FORM "EL"

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Before The State Corporation Commission Of The State Of Kansas

In The Matter of The Application of Western Cooperative Electric Assn., Inc. "EL" No. 39714
Applicant *Assigned by Commission*

For Approval of Operating Characteristics, Physical Properties and Location of Proposed Electric Supply Line Construction

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Kansas 47 Trego

*Applicant's Identification No. **

Here Describe The Location Very Briefly

APPLICATION

Comes now Western Cooperative Electric Assn., Inc.
Applicant

Of WaKeeney, Kansas, A Corporation
City, State *Corporation, Partnership, Individual or Municipality*

requesting the Commission to approve the operating characteristics, physical properties and location of a proposed electric line, or change in electric line construction, located outside the corporate limits of any city, as shown on the accompanying map and as hereinafter more fully described.

The operating characteristics of this line are to be:

Electric 7620 Volts, Single Phase, 60 Hertz, Design Load 250 plus Kilowatts

Provide connection [e.g., grounded wye], phase-to-phase voltage, number of conductors, and points of grounding

The description of the location and points between which said proposed line is to be installed and operated are as follows:

To construct 10,276 ft of new, three phase, Y grounded primary line for a new metering point to serve commerical oil load. Construction is in Twp 12s, Range 31w, Sections 31 & 32 & Twp 13s, Range 31w, Section 06.

Physical Properties of Line

Structures: Kind SPW, Height (ft) 35, Class 3, Conductor: Type ACSR, Size 1/0
(See NOTE below) *(e.g., ACSR)*

Average Span (ft): 250

Has Clearance Been Provided For Other Utilities? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Cost Estimate: \$ 127,821.68 Number and Type of Customers: New metering point

NOTE: Please use the following abbreviations for predominant structure kind:

SPW - Single Pole, Wood	SPF - Single Pole, Fiberglass	TS - Tower, Steel
SPS - Single Pole, Steel	HFW - H-Frame, Wood	O - Other (Please Explain)
SPC - Single Pole, Concrete	HFS - H-Frame, Steel	NA - Not Applicable

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The following is a correct list of all the utilities within 1/2 mile of proposed line. Absent a joint use or other agreement, all utilities listed below shall be notified in writing as provided in K.A.R. 82-12-5, and a copy of the notice shall be attached. Please indicate those utilities listed for which a joint use or other agreement has been made with an asterisk (*).

Name / Address

ATT DISTRIBUTION PO BOX 182552 COLUMBUS, OH 43218-2552

Is this line within the applicant's certificated area? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Applicant further shows to the Commission that the construction of said proposed line shall be throughout in accordance with the Kansas administrative regulations, article 12, 82-12-1 to 82-12-9, inclusive, adopted pursuant to K.S.A. 1982 Supp. 77-415, *et seq.*, except applicant further states that:

- Wherever the proposed line is to be located on private right-of-way, the landowner's lawful consent will be obtained;
- "Inductive coordination" has been or will be complied with as related specifically in K.A.R. 82-12-9;
- All utilities and railroads listed above have been notified in writing (a copy of which is attached) as provided in K.A.R. 82-12-5, and that such notice contains the statement that "if there is any objection to the applicant's proposed line construction, such objection shall be forwarded to the State Corporation Commission within the time specified in K.A.R. 82-12-5 from date of notice."

Whereupon, applicant requests that the State Corporation Commission approve the operating characteristics, physical properties and location of the said proposed line, as hereinbefore described.

Date at WaKeeney, Kansas, this 26th day of November, 2019
City, State Day Month Year

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Western Cooperative Electric Assn., Inc.

Applicant

Tom Ruth

Signature and Title of Officer

Tom Ruth, General Manager

* Applicant's identification of application and related papers
Instructions:

Submit 1 copy of application
2 copies of maps (scale not less than 1 inch per mile)
Copies of all notices to other utilities
Cost breakdown of "cost estimate" by units of property
On maps, please provide locations of existing applicant-owned lines in sufficient detail to determine relative location(s) of proposed line(s)

FOR OFFICIAL KCC USE ONLY

Plotted by JK 1/31/2120

Checked by _____

Date Approved _____



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Western Cooperative Electric Association, Inc.
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P.O. Box 278
WaKeeney, KS 67672
western@westerncoop.com

January 9, 2020

Midwest Energy Inc.
Attn: Craig Augustine
P.O. Box 898
Hays, KS 67601-0898

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To Whom It May Concern:

It was brought to our attention we are within ½ mile of your service area. Find enclosed a copy of map showing the new line application sent to State Corporation Commission, Topeka, Kansas, on November 26, 2019. TWP: 12s, R: 31w, Section 6.

THE WESTERN COOPERATIVE
ELECTRIC ASSOCIATION, INC.

By Tom Ruth
Tom Ruth, General Manager

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Enclosures

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CHURCH M.P.

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S Rd

NEW
LINE

Converting
to
3-Phase

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430

APPROVED
THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF KANSAS

DATE **January 31, 2020**

By *Sam W. H.* Engineer

Brenda Schirmer

From: Colleen Klein <ColleenK@westerncoop.com>
Sent: Wednesday, January 22, 2020 10:14 AM
To: Brenda Schirmer
Subject: letter from EL Form App
Attachments: ATT Distribution .doc

This is an EXTERNAL EMAIL. Think before clicking a link or opening attachments.

Brenda,

Please find attached the letter for ATT Distribution for EL form mailed back in November of 2019. This is per Bob McCoy's visit with you. If there is anything else you need please let us know.

*Have a wonderful day! Many thanks,
Colleen Klein
Receptionist
Personal Fax: 785-743-3102*



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November 26, 2019

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To Whom It May Concern:

You are hereby notified that on this date the undersigned has been mailed to the State Corporation Commission, Topeka, Kansas, an EL Application for the approval of plans to build electric line. (See enclosed maps).

If there is any objection to the applicant's proposed construction, such objection shall be forwarded to the State Corporation Commission within the time specified in the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the State Corporation Commission.

Dated this 26th day of November 2019.

THE WESTERN COOPERATIVE
ELECTRIC ASSOCIATION, INC.

By _____
Tom Ruth, General Manager

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