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PROJECT: Cedar Lake Reroute  
WO#209488

Mr. Will Seuffert  
Executive Secretary  
Minnesota Public Utilities Commission  
121 7th Place East, Suite 350  
St. Paul, MN 55101

**Subject: Notice of Intent by Great River Energy to Submit a Route Permit Application under the Alternative Permitting Process  
Rebuild Existing 115-kV Transmission Line in Scott and Rice Counties, MN  
Docket No. ET2/TL-23-170**

Dear Mr. Seuffert:

In accordance with Minn. R. 7850.2800, subp. 2, this letter serves as notice to the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission (Commission) that Great River Energy (Applicant) intends to submit a Route Permit Application under the alternative permitting procedures of Minn. R. 7850.2800 to 7850.3900 for the construction of a 115-kV high voltage transmission line in Scott and Rice Counties (Project). The Project will replace the existing 115-kV high voltage transmission line currently located as a second circuit on the CapX2020 Brookings to Hampton transmission line structures in Scott County, Minnesota. The Applicant intends to submit the Route Permit Application to the Commission in June 2023.

Please contact me at 763-445-5210 or by email at [MStrohfus@GREnergy.com](mailto:MStrohfus@GREnergy.com) if you have any questions regarding this notice.

Sincerely,

GREAT RIVER ENERGY

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mark Strohfus'.

Mark Strohfus  
Project Manager, Transmission Permitting