

BEFORE THE MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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In the Matter of the Application of Great  
River Energy for a Route Permit for the  
115-kV Pilot Knob to Burnsville Rebuild and  
Upgrade Project in Dakota County,  
Minnesota

ISSUE DATE: March 5, 2025

DOCKET NO. ET-2/TL-23-410

ERRATUM NOTICE

On December 27, 2024, the Commission issued its Order Adopting Administrative Law Judge Report and Issuing Route Permit as Revised. The Commission adopted updated attachments on January 13, 2025. Through inadvertence, the revised route permit omitted from page 15 the revisions to the vegetation management plan. The Commission adopts the finalized version of the permit, page 15, as attached.

This order shall become effective immediately.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION



Will Seuffert  
Executive Secretary



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**STATE OF MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

**ROUTE PERMIT FOR**

**PILOT KNOB TO BURNSVILLE 115 KV REBUILD AND UPGRADE PROJECT**

**A HIGH-VOLTAGE TRANSMISSION LINE AND ASSOCIATED FACILITIES**

**IN**

**DAKOTA COUNTY**

**ISSUED TO**

**GREAT RIVER ENERGY**

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**Revised page 15**

To protect plants and wildlife from chloride products that do not break down in the environment, the Permittee is prohibited from using dust control products containing calcium chloride or magnesium chloride during construction and operation. The Permittee shall keep records of compliance with this section and provide them upon the request of Department of Commerce or Commission staff.

#### 6.5 Facility Lighting

The Permittee shall follow the MnDOT Approved Products for luminaries for new construction at substations, which limits the upright rating to zero. The Permittee shall keep records of compliance with this section and provide them upon the request of Department of Commerce or Commission staff.

#### 6.6 Vegetation Management Plan

The Permittee shall develop a vegetation management plan (VMP), in coordination with the Vegetation Management Plan Working Group (VMPWG), ~~using best management practices established by the DNR and BWSR.~~ The Permittee shall file the VMP and documentation of the coordination efforts between the Permittee and the coordinating agencies with the Commission ~~at least 14 days prior to~~ with the plan and profile required under this permit. At least 14 days prior to the reconstruction meeting. ~~t~~The Permittee shall provide all landowners along the route with copies of the VMP. An electronic copy (including by web address) shall be sufficient. The Permittee shall file an affidavit of its distribution of the VMP to landowners with the Commission with the compliance filing required under Section 5.3.1 of this Permit ~~at least 14 days prior to the plan and profile.~~

The VMP shall include, at a minimum, the following:

- 1) short term and long-term management objectives; roles and responsibilities of site personnel.
- 2) a description of planned restoration and vegetation activities, including how the route will be prepared, timing of activities, and how seeding will occur (broadcast, drilling, etc.), and the types of seed mixes to be used.
- 3) a description of how the route will be monitored and evaluated to meet management objectives.
- 4) a description of management tools used to maintain vegetation (e.g., mowing, spot spraying, hand removal, etc.), including timing/frequency of maintenance activity.
- 5) identification, monitoring and management plan for noxious weeds and invasive species (native and non-native) on route; and

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Anne Redmond, hereby certify that I have this day, served a true and correct copy of the following document to all persons at the addresses indicated below or on the attached list by electronic filing, electronic mail, courier, interoffice mail or by depositing the same enveloped with postage paid in the United States mail at St. Paul, Minnesota.

**Minnesota Public Utilities Commission**  
**ERRATUM NOTICE**

Docket Number **ET-2/TL-23-410**  
Dated this 5th day of March, 2025

/s/ Anne Redmond

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