

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That George M. Minford, Trustee of the Will A. Minford Trust, his wife, of Cass County, Nebraska, in consideration of \$ 1.00, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and the further payment of a sum to make total payment of \$ 50.00 for 1 poles and NO anchors and other necessary equipment when set on the following described property, do Nebraska Public Power District, Columbus, Nebraska (hereinafter referred to as Grantee, whether one or more)

its (their) lessees, successors and assigns, the permanent right, privilege and easement of a right-of-way to construct, operate, maintain and remove all necessary poles, wires, guys, ~~underground electric facilities~~ and other necessary equipment in connection therewith, on and across the following property situated in Cass County, Nebraska, more particularly described as follows.

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec 24, T 11N, R 13E of 6th PM, Cass County, Nebraska

The electric line and ~~underground electric facilities~~ herein contemplated shall be located on the property approximately as follows:

One pole located approximately one hundred (100) feet east and three hundred (300) feet south of the NW corner of Section 24, Township 11N, Range 13E of 6th PM, Cass County, Nebraska

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The Grantee shall also have the privilege and easement of ingress and egress across the property to its (their) officers and employees for any purpose necessary in connection with the construction, operation, maintenance, inspection and removal of said line and ~~underground electric facilities~~

The Grantee shall also have the right at any time to trim or remove such trees and underbrush as may in any way endanger or interfere with the safe operation of the lines, and ~~underground electric facilities~~ and equipment used in connection therewith.

The Grantee shall at all times exercise all due care and diligence to avoid injury or damage to the crops, livestock and other personal property of the Grantor, and the Grantee shall indemnify and save harmless the Grantor from any such damage and loss arising or occurring to such property solely by reason of the construction, operation, maintenance and removal of any overhead electric lines, however, in the event that all or part of the underground electric facilities which may be installed on said easement right-of-way becomes defective or unserviceable in the sole judgment of the Grantor, the Grantee shall have the right, without additional payment or consideration to the Grantor or their successors in title for any damage or loss occasioned thereby, to maintain, repair or replace such underground facilities; provided, if improvements to the property make the installation of such replacements impractical at the location of the original easement granted hereby, the Grantor or their successors in title shall grant and convey to the Grantee, for the same consideration as given herein, an easement for such further installation at a location on said property which is mutually satisfactory to the parties. If the parties fail to agree upon any such new location for the underground electric facilities, the Grantee shall have the right to determine the most suitable location for the easement therefor and the Grantor agrees to convey such easement; and if the parties fail to agree upon any such new location for underground electric facilities, the Grantee shall have no obligation to replace or provide the underground electric facilities across or to any such property. In determining the locations for further installation the Grantee shall at all times exercise due care and diligence to avoid injury or damage to the property of the Grantor or their successors.

The Grantee agrees that should the lines and underground electric facilities constructed hereunder be abandoned for a period of five years, the right-of-way or easement hereby secured shall then cease and terminate, and this contract shall be of no further force and effect.

Signed the 28 day of May, A.D., 19 96
WITNESS James W. [Signature] George M. Minford Trustee
George M. Minford, Trustee

STATE OF NEBRASKA,)
COUNTY OF Cass)

(FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS STAMP)

On this 28 day of May, 19 96, before me the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared George M. Minford, Trustee personally to me known to be the identical person(s) who signed the foregoing instrument as Grantor and who acknowledged the execution thereof to be his voluntary act and deed for the purpose therein expressed.

WITNESS my hand and notarial seal the date above written.

My Comm. Exp. Nov. 21, 1998
GENERAL NOTARY STATE OF NEBRASKA
WENBERT E. WELWORTH
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Notary Public