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## **EASEMENT**

On <u>FEBRUARY</u> 17, 2012, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, Grantor conveys and warrants to Grantee, its successors and assigns, a permanent, perpetual easement over, under, across and through a part of Grantor's Land called the Easement Area, as herein described.

Grantor is: Eunice A. Crawford, Trustee under the Eunice A. Crawford Revocable Trust Agreement

dated September 2, 1992, of 56600 Omo Road, Macomb, Michigan, 48042-1557.

Grantee is: Michigan Electric Transmission Company, LLC, a Michigan limited liability company,

of 27175 Energy Way, Novi, Michigan 48377.

Grantor's Land is in Section 22, Town 19 North, Range 5 East, Township of Arenac, County of Arenac and State of Michigan, and is more completely described in Exhibit A attached hereto.

The Easement Area is within Grantor's Land, and is more completely described under the heading "Easement Description" in Exhibit A attached hereto.

- 1. Purpose: The purpose of this Easement is to allow Grantee the right to enter at any time upon the Easement Area to (1) construct, operate, maintain, repair, inspect, replace, improve, enlarge or remove overhead electric lines consisting of poles, towers, structures, wires, cables (including fiber optic cable) and other equipment for transmitting electrical energy and communications signals, (2) cross the Easement Area to construct, operate, maintain, repair, inspect, replace, improve, enlarge or remove overhead electric equipment located on other land, and (3) temporarily improve the surface of the Easement Area, as reasonably necessary, in Grantee's discretion, to place and operate Grantee's construction vehicles and equipment; provided Grantee shall remove such temporary surface improvements, and repair pavement and reseed lawn areas it disturbs.
- 2. Buildings or other Permanent Structures: No buildings or other above-ground structures shall be installed, constructed or permitted in the Easement Area, with the exception of any such structures existing at the time of execution of this Easement. Grantee may remove prohibited structures from the Easement Area without prior notice and without responsibility for any damage that occurs as a result of such removal.
- 3. Vegetation Management: Grantee shall have the right at any time to cut, trim remove, destroy or otherwise control any or all trees, bushes, or brush now or hereafter standing or growing within the Easement Area. The complete exercise of this right may be gradual and not fully completed for some time in the future.

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- **4.** Access: Grantor also grants to Grantee the right of access, ingress and egress to the Easement Area on, over and across lands now owned by the Grantor.
- 5. Limited Use; Nonuse: Nonuse or limited use of the rights herein granted shall not prevent later use to the full extent herein conveyed.
- 6. Successors: This easement runs with the land and binds and benefits Grantor's and Grantee's successors and assigns.
- 7. Crop Damage: Grantee shall pay for actual damage to crops located within the Easement Area, arising out of Grantee's maintenance of the transmission line within the Easement Area.

This easement is exempt from real estate transfer tax pursuant to MCLA 207.505(f) and from State real estate transfer tax pursuant to the provisions of MCLA 207.526(f).

**GRANTOR:** 

Eunice A. Crawford, Trustee under the Eunice A. Crawford Revocable Trust Agreement dated September 2, 1992

Acknowledged before me in <u>Macoms</u> County, State of Michigan, on this <u>1774</u> day of <u>FERCIARY</u>, 2012 by Eunice A. Crawford, Trustee under the Eunice A. Crawford Revocable Trust Agreement dated September 2, 1992, on behalf of the Trust.

PAUL S. STEMPIN
Notary Public, State of Michigan
County of Macomb
My Commission Expires Oct. 11, 2014
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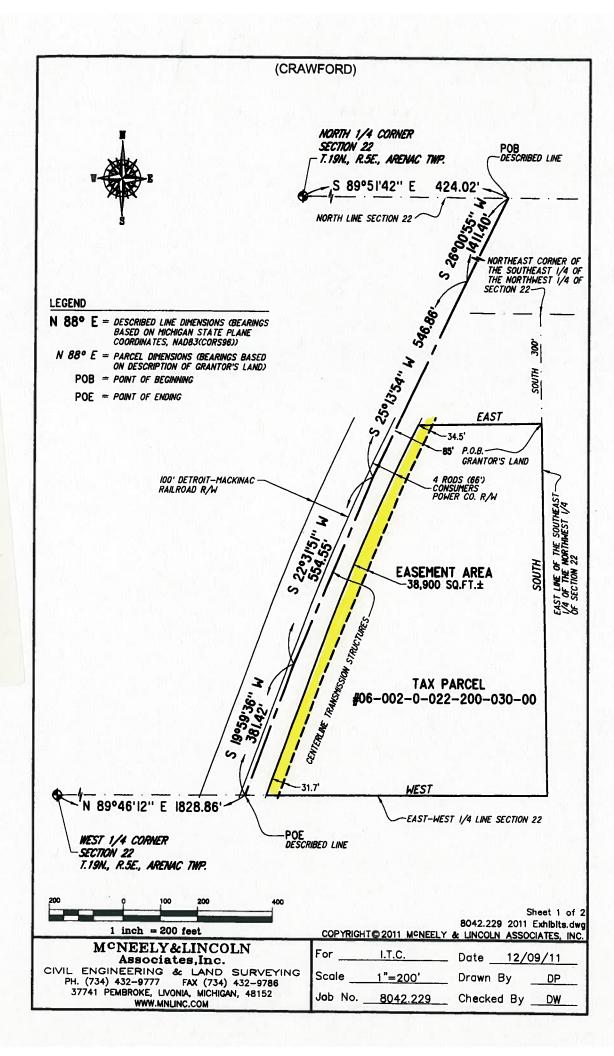
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## **GRANTOR'S LAND**

Land situated in the Township of Arenac, County of Arenac, State of Michigan, described as follows:

A parcel of land in the Southeast 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 22, Town 19 North, Range 5 East, described as follows: Commencing at a point 300 feet South of the Northeast corner of said Southeast 1/4, Northwest 1/4; running thence South along the East line of said Southeast 1/4, Northwest 1/4, to the South line of said forty acre parcel; thence West along the South line to a point 4 rods East of the Right of Way of the D&M RR; thence running Northeasterty parallel with said right of way to a point directly West of the Point of Beginning; thence East to the Point of Beginning.

(per First American Title Insurance Company Property Profile Report File No. 559315 dated October 17, 2011)

Tax Parcei No. 06-002-0-022-200-030-00

## **EASEMENT DESCRIPTION**

Part of Section 22, Town 19 North, Range 5 East, Arenac Township, Arenac County, Michigan, described as:

All that part of the above described Grantor's Land which lies within 85.00 feet each side of the following described line:

Commencing at the North 1/4 corner of Section 22, Town 19 North, Range 5 East, Township of Arenac, Arenac County, Michigan;

thence South 89 degrees 51 minutes 42 seconds East, along the North line of Section 22, 424.02 feet to the **Point of Beginning** of said described line:

thence South 26 degrees 00 minutes 55 seconds West 1411.40 feet;

thence South 25 degrees 13 minutes 54 seconds West 546.86 feet;

thence South 22 degrees 31 minutes 51 seconds West 554.55 feet;

thence South 19 degrees 59 minutes 36 seconds West 381.42 feet to the **Point of Ending** of said described line, said point lying distant North 89 degrees 46 minutes 12 seconds East, along the East-West 1/4 line of Section 22, 1828.86 feet from the West 1/4 corner of Section 22. The sidelines of herein described easement are to be extended or shortened so as to terminate at the boundaries of the above described Grantor's Land.

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