

On <u>SEPTEMBER 10</u>, 1998, for the consideration of system betterment, Grantor grants to Grantee a permanent overhead easement ("Right of Way") in, on and across a part of Grantor's Land called the "Right of Way Area."

"Grantor" is:

Charles Griffin and Carolyn A. Griffin, husband and wife, 8731 Jefferson Road, Clifford, MI 48727 "Grantee" is:

The Detroit Edison Company, a Michigan corporation, 2000 Second Avenue, Detroit, Michigan 48226

"Grantor's Land" is in Burlington Township, Lapeer County, Michigan described as: Section 17, T10N-R11E, The Northeast 14 of the Southeast 14

The "Right of Way Area" is a part of Grantor's Land and is described as:

- A 12' wide easement as shown on Exhibit "A", which is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

 1. Purpose: The purpose of this Right of Way is to construct, reconstruct, modify, add to, operate and maintain overhead
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- 2. Access: Grantee has the right of access to and from the Right of Way Area.
- **3. Buildings or other Permanent Structures:** No buildings or other permanent structures are allowed in the Right of Way Area without Grantee's prior written consent.
- 4. Trees, Bushes, Branches, Roots, Structures and Fences: Grantee may trim, cut down, remove or otherwise control any trees, bushes, branches and roots in the Right of Way Area (or that could grow into the Right of Way Area) and remove structures and fences in The Right of Way Area that Grantee believes could interfere with the safe and reliable construction, operation and maintenance of Grantee's facilities.
- 5. Restoration: If Grantee's employees, contractors, vehicles or equipment damage Grantor's Land while entering Grantor's Land for the purposes stated in this Right of Way, then Grantee will restore Grantor's Land as nearly as can be to its original condition.
- **6. Successors:** This Right of Way runs with the land and binds and benefits Grantor's and Grantee's successors and assigns.

(2) Witnesses: (Type or print name below signature)	Grantor: (Type or print name below signature)
x Rag B Know	Charles Guffin
ROSER B. KNIGHT	Charles Griffin
X Lay W. Kenney	Carolyse a Girllin
GARY W. KENNEY	Carolyn A Griffin

Acknowledged before me in LAPEER County, Michigan, on SEPTEMBER 10, 1998, by Charles Griffin and Carolyn A. Griffin, husband and wife.

GARY W. KENNEY

Notary's My Commission Expires June 23, 1999

(Notary's name, county, and date commission expires)

Notary's Signature

(Notary's name, county, and date commission expires)

Prepared by and Return to: Gary W. Kenney, LapSC, 1075 Suncrest Drive, Lapeer, MI 48446/gwk

