

A CMS Energy Company

May 4, 2004

Michigan Electric Transmission Company, LLC C/O NSI Consulting & Development, Inc. 26657 Woodward Ave., Suite 100 Huntington Woods, MI 48070

Attention: Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer

SUBJECT: 4800 Volt/Single Phase Distribution Line

Reference No: 05884170/Gladwin Twp/Gladwin/Hall

REFERENCE: Amended and Restated Easement Agreement (the "Agreement") dated April 29, 2002, between Consumers

Energy Company ("Consumers") and Michigan Electric Transmission Company, now Michigan Electric

Transmission Company, LLC ("METC")

Pursuant to Section 7.1 of the Agreement, Consumers hereby notifies METC that Consumers intends to build a 4800 Volt distribution line on certain land in which METC has an interest under the Agreement. The location of the land on which said line will be constructed, and a further description of the intended use, are set forth on "Annex A", attached to this letter.

Under said Section 7.1 of the Agreement, METC must within 30 days of this notice notify Consumers, as "Initiating User," of whether or not METC approves the proposed use as a Compatible Use. If you do not notify us either way within 30 days of this notice, then, as provided in said Section 7.1, METC will be deemed to have approved the proposed use as being a Compatible Use. We would appreciate, however, receiving METC's express approval of the proposed use as being a Compatible Use as soon as possible so that we can start work without delay.

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This letter is being sent to you in duplicate. If METC agrees that the proposed use is a Compatible Use, please indicate that by signing and returning a copy of this letter to us as soon as possible, so that we can immediately proceed with construction. The other copy is for your records.

Very truly yours,

Stacie Lahr

Consumers Energy One Energy Plaza

Jackson, MI 49201

APPROVED:

MICHIGAN ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION

COMPANY, LLC

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Date: '____

ANNEX A

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LAND TO BE IMPACTED:

Land located in the Township of Gladwin, County of Gladwin, State of Michigan, described as follows:

That part of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 13, Township 19 North, Range 1 West, lying North of Wagarville Road and East of Sugar River Trail.

PROPOSED USE:

To add a single phase, 4800 kV distribution line 12.5' below existing 138 kV transmission line. See attached 391 form and sketch.

Prepared by: Stacie M Lahr 05/04/04 Consumers Energy Company EP7-436 One Energy Plaza Jackson, MI 49201

FIELD REVIEW FOR COMPATIBLE USE OF RIGHT-OF-WAY

Request #05884170

METC # 67

May 27, 2004

Description

Consumers Energy Company (CE) sent a letter to Michigan Electric Transmission Company, LLC (METC) on May 4, 2004 asking for a distribution line to be added to an existing METC 138 kV wood pole line. Commonwealth Associates, Inc. (CAI) was contracted to do a field inspection of the area and to determine if code clearances would be maintained.

Results

The METC transmission line was identified as the Bard Road – Wirtz Road 138 kV Line. The proposed distribution line was to be attached to structure #912. The structure type is a standard single circuit 138 kV line structure type TL-E191C2-1 on two wood poles. This is a 15° angle structure. The structure is in good shape. The pole class sizes and spans were field verified and matched the plan profile and TRS190113. The proposed distribution underbuild to be attached is to attach to the left (south) pole of the two pole angle structure as a full dead end and then go underground to the home of Kirk Louis.

A field review was done on May 25, 2004 by Conrad Olfier P.E. Structural calculations were done to prove the pole class was of adequate strength to withstand the new load applied by the distribution wires. Using Class B construction, the pole is adequate to carry the new distribution line. A guy will have to be added to structures at the distribution line point of the attachment and also is a common practice. The distribution line and guy will be attached at 12.5' below the conductor and 33.5' above grade.

There will be sufficient clearance between the 138 kV and distribution line. Based on our field review and calculations, we find no problems with attaching this distribution line to this section of this line.

Attachments

Photos

If there are any questions concerning this review, please contact Rich Collins of Commonwealth Associates, Inc. at (517) 788-3971, email at rncollins@cai-engr.com.

Form 391 11-2003

CONSUMERS ENERGY

NOTIFICATION OF PROPOSED LINE CONSTRUCTION REQUIRING COORDINATION WITH TRANSMISSION LINES

Send two (2) copies to:		TO BE FILLED IN BY SYSTEM OWNER / ENGINEER / CES	
Transmission Lines Design and Sta	andards		
Att: Justin Lancaster		Headquarters Gladwin	
Jackson, Michigan		Work Order No. <u>05884170</u>	
		Date <u>04/27/04</u>	
PROPOSED DISTRIBUTION CONSTRUCTION			
Sketch Attached Yes No		TO BE FILLED IN BY TRANSMISSION LINES DESIGN AND STANDARDS OR METC	
Primary:		7,112-01	AND ON METO
Voltage 4800 P	hase single	Engineering Required	☐ Yes ☐ No
No. of Wires 2 C	rossarms Per Pole 2	Checked By Date	
Wire Size #4 acsr Le	ength of Crossarms 8'	GWO No	
Distance Below Transmission 1	2.5		
Skip-Span Yes	⊠ No		
Secondary:			
No. of Wires V	Vire Size		
Other Details:			
EXISTING DISTRIBUTION FACIL	ITIES		
Description:	<u></u>		
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LOCATION			
Township Gladwin	County Gladwin		
Section 13	Range 01		
Transmission Line Involved Gallagher Bard Line #388			METC Line
Transmission Pole No. #912			
REMARKS:			
Prepared By Robert A Hall 246-2010 System Planning and Performance / Electric Service			Date
			Data
Approved By Transmission Lines Design and Star		andards	Date
Approved By		1	Date
, pp.0100 bj	METC		

METC lines are subject to the easement rights of METC. Your request has been forwarded to Real Estate for processing and will require a 30-day period prior to approval. Initiation of any construction activities without appropriate METC approval may require relocation or removal of the lines at your expense.



Photo showing the existing structure #912 looking west.

