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To: Birkholz, David (COMM); Eknes, Bret (PUC)
Subject: CAPX2020 Fargo-St.Cloud Route

Dear Mr. Birkholz & Mr. Eknes

I am a property/home owner that is very concerned about the proposed CAPX2020 line from Fargo-St. Cloud. My property will be on the alternate route with the transmission lines right next to my house.

As I am looking out my window I am watching the birds at the birdfeeder and thinking some day in the future I may not be able to see this anymore if the transmission lines go past my house. What kind of impact would this have on the wildlife? What would happen to all the deer that are roaming the many cornfields & hayfields I see out my window. I do not want to see this happen.

I believe the line would be much bettersuited on the I-94 corridor instead of going through farm land, uprooting trees and destroying the environment. The ecological impact will be very damaging for future generations. What about the family farms? Don't they mean anything anymore?

I am also concerned if we do have the transmission lines running through who is to say there will not be any other "things" running through such as Natural Gas lines.

I am also concerned about the health effects this would have on the people who live near and close to the lines. What about the diseases this would cause? Cancer, Leukemia, Lou Gehrig's Disease and who know what other debillitating diseases.

I ask that you consider the I-94 corridor as the route for the transmission lines as I believe it will not have as great an impact as destroying the natural resources, enviorment, wildlife and the liveliehood for the people of the North Route Citizens Alliance.

Thank you for taking the time to read and listen to my concerns.

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