Connexus Energy Number (SORD#000W1632202T31R23S11NE)



PERMANENT UTILITY EASEMENT

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that City of Blaine (herein after called the "Owner") for a good and valuable consideration, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, does hereby grant unto Connexus® Energy, an incorporated cooperative association organized under the laws of the State of Minnesota (hereinafter called "Connexus Energy"), and to its successors or assigns, a permanent easement for the purposes hereinafter provided upon the lands of the Owner situated in the County of Anoka, State of Minnesota, and more particularly described as follows:

<u>Property Description</u>: The South 123.38 feet of that part of the North half of the Northeast Quarter, Section 11, Township 31 North, Range 23 West, Anoka County, Minnesota. Except the West 1170 feet thereof

Also.

The North 176.62 feet of the South half of said Northeast Quarter, Section 11, Township 31 North, Range 23 West, Anoka County, Minnesota except the West 1170 feet thereof

. Description of Easement:

Utility easement over, under and across the Northerly 20 feet of that part of The South 123.38 feet of that part of the North half of the Northeast Quarter, Section 11, Township 31 North, Range 23 West, Anoka County, Minnesota.

Connexus Energy shall be entitled to place, construct, operate, repair, maintain, relocate, and replace thereon, and in or upon all streets, roads, or highways abutting said lands, and electric distribution line or system, and to cut and trim trees and shrubbery to the extent necessary to keep them clear of said electric line or system, and to cut down from time to time all dead, weak, leaning or dangerous trees that are tall enough to strike the wires in falling.

Connexus Energy shall also be entitled to use this easement to excavate for, place, construct, operate and maintain underground conduit and/or cable lines for distributing electrical power, including all wires, cable, hand holes, manholes, transformer enclosures, concrete pads, connection boxes, ground connections, attachments, equipment, accessories and appurtenances desirable in connection therewith, under, upon and across the lands of Owners above described.

Connexus Energy shall have the right to inspect, rebuild, remove, repair, improve and make such changes, alterations, substitutions, and additions in and to its facilities as it may from time to time deem advisable, including the right to increase or decrease the number of poles, conduits, wires, cables, hand holes, manholes, connection boxes, transformers and transformer enclosures.

Connexus Energy shall have the right to keep the easement clear of all buildings, structures, fences, trees, shrubbery, undergrowth, roots and other obstructions that may interfere with or endanger its facilities and equipment.

For the purposes of construction, inspecting, maintaining or operating its facilities, Connexus Energy shall have the right of ingress and egress from the easement over the lands of Owners adjacent to the easement and lying between public or private roads and the easement, such right to be exercised in such manner as shall occasion the least predictable damage and inconvenience to Owners.

The undersigned covenants that it is the Owner of the above described lands and that the said lands are free and clear of encumbrances and liens of whatsoever character except those held by the following:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Owner's Representative have hereunto set their hands and sea this day of December, 2016.					
Signature of Owner Representative	Signature of Owner Representative				
Clark Arneson (City Manager) Printed Name of Owner Representative	Tom Ryan (Mayor) Printed Name of Owner Representative				
	(Seal)				
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT					
STATE OF MINNESOTA)					
COUNTY OF)					
the undersigned a Notary Public, withir	day of, 20 before me, and for the County and State aforesaid duly Arneson, City Manager and Tom Ryan, Mayor for the				

City of Blaine to me well known as the owner's representatives in the foregoing easement and

each stated that they had executed the s mentioned and set forth.	same for the	considerations	and purposes	therein
WITNESS my hand and seal as such Notary	Public this	day of	, 20	
Profest P		Notary Public		_
Drafted By: David Zieglmeier Land Rights Administrator Connexus Energy 14601 Ramsey Blvd Ramsey, MN 55303	(SEAL)		