OMAHA TRIBE OF NEBRASKA

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RESOLUTION NO. 25-118 OF THE OMAHA TRIBE OF NEBRASKA

RE: Perpetual Right of Way for Utilities Water Infrastructure Enhancement **T428N** – Well Head Station located on Section: 13 Township: 25N Range: 8E of 6th P.M.

- WHEREAS: The Omaha Tribe of Nebraska is a federally recognized Indian tribe, organized under a constitution and bylaws approved by the Secretary of Interior on April 30, 1936, pursuant to Section 16 of the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934; and
- **WHEREAS:** pursuant to Article III, Sec.1 of the constitution of the Omaha Tribe of Nebraska, the governing body of the Omaha Tribe shall also be known as Tribal Council; and
- WHEREAS: Article IV, Section 1 (j) of the Constitution of the Omaha Tribe of Nebraska provides the Omaha Tribal Council with the power to safeguard and promote the economy and general welfare of the Omaha Tribe; and
- **WHEREAS:** The Omaha Tribe Utilities has the responsibility and duty to maintain all infrastructure that serves the community and reservation through general repairs and prescribed expansion or addition of said infrastructure.
- **WHEREAS:** The Omaha Tribal council requires continuous upkeep of said infrastructure and maintains these perpetual utility Right of Way as they serve the community with clean water, specifically tribal tracts T428 as described in attached map and described as follows:
- **WHEREAS:** This work will require Northern Natural Gas to breach their workspace boundaries and extend beyond their current easement
- WHEREAS: Northern Natural Gas will compensate \$2,500.00 to the Omaha Tribe per project to have the right to utilize workspace beyond their easement of which there are currently two proposed projects on this tract that require enhancement or attention with the Temporary Workspace Agreement held by the B.I.A. Winnebago Agency.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT: The Omaha tribe grants the perpetual Right of Way infrastructure enhancements for utilities to remediate shallow cover over the Northern Natural Gas pipeline currently on tract T428 to the Omaha Tribe Utilities in conjunction with the Bureau of Indian Affairs and Northern Natural Gas.

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CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that the forego Omaha Tribal Council on the of: 4 for; 0 against;	22 day of $A\rho$, 2025, and	d was adopted by a vote
present.			
MEMBERS VOTE:	YES	NO	ABSTAIN
Jason Sheridan			Abstain
Leander Merrick	X		7(05)0011
Alan Harlan	X		
Cheyenne Robinson			Absent
Galen Aldrich, Sr.			Absent
Jerome Hamilton	X		7 (12)
Dustin Lovejoy	X 9		
Submitted by: Cheyenne Robinson, Secretary Omaha Tribal Council Date			
Attest:			
Jason Sheridan, Chairman Omaha Tribal Council			
Acknowledgement:			
Nilah Solomon, Superintendent Bureau of Indian Affairs		Date	

Pursuant to authority delegated to the Assistant Secretary-Indian Affairs by 209 DM 8, 230 DM 1, to the Great Plains Regional Director by 3 IAM 4 (Release No. 25-24), and to the Superintendents by Great Plains Region Addendum 3 IAM 4 (Release No. 0502).



February 28, 2025

Esther B. Warner Realty Specialist Acquisition & Disposal

Bureau of Indian Affairs, Winnebago Agency 355 BIA 3 Winnebago, NE 68071 402-878-2475 Office

Ms. Warner,

Northern Natural Gas has two proposed projects where they would like to remediate shallow cover over their pipeline. The workspace needed for the project extends beyond their easement. Northern Natural Gas would like to offer \$2,500 per project to have the right to utilize workspace beyond their easement. I have attached the two workspace maps for your review. Additionally, they would need approval via an executed Temporary Workspace Agreement form, which I have attached as well.

I appreciate your time on this matter and look forward to hearing from you soon.

Many Thanks,

Caley Hanigan Sr. ROW Agent 402-817-9944

