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GRANTEE

City of Klamath Falls

500 Klamath Ave.

Klamath Falls, OR 97601

OWNER/GRANTOR:

Donald C. Kirkpatrick, Trustee

4666 Reeder Rd.

Klamath Falls, OR 97603

RIGHT-OF-WAY OPTION

The undersigned, Grantor, for and in consideration of \$ 9500⁰⁰, hereby grants to the City of Klamath Falls, an Oregon municipal corporation, its successors and assigns, Grantee, until midnight, MAY 1ST 1998, the exclusive option to purchase for the total sum of \$ 47500⁰⁰, including said sum paid herewith, an easement for a right-of-way 125 feet in width for electric power transmission lines, distribution lines and communications lines of one or more wires, fibers, cables and other conductors and conduits and all necessary or desirable appurtenances, including towers, poles, props, guys and other supports, upon, over and across those certain premises situated in Section 7 of Township 39 South, Range 9 East, W.M., County of Klamath, State of Oregon, along the course more particularly described and shown on the attachment hereto marked Exhibit "A," together with the further rights set forth in the form of easement attached hereto marked Exhibit "B," each by this reference made a part hereof.

During the term of this option, Grantee shall be and is hereby designated the agent of Grantor for the purposes of applying for or ratifying any conditional use permit required for the construction and operation of said transmission line.

This option shall be deemed duly exercised if Grantee shall, within said option period or any extension thereof, give written notice of Grantee's election to exercise this option. Such notice may be delivered to Grantor personally, or by letter duly directed and mailed to Grantor at the address hereinafter shown.

Grantee shall, within fifteen (15) days after giving such notice, tender to Grantor the balance of said purchase price by Grantee's check payable to the order of Grantor, and Grantor shall simultaneously execute, acknowledge and deliver to Grantee a good and sufficient easement substantially in said form attached hereto; or Grantee may within such time deposit said balance of the purchase price in escrow with a duly qualified title insurance company, Agent and cause written notice of such deposit to be given Grantor, in which case Grantor shall within thirty (30) days thereafter deliver such easement duly executed and acknowledged to said Agent for Grantee.

Grantee may, at its own risk, enter upon said premises at all times during said option period or any extension thereof for any purpose provided, however, that if Grantee fails to exercise this option within said option period, then all of Grantee's rights hereunder shall

terminate and Grantee shall remove all of its personal property from said premises and shall reimburse Grantor for any damages caused by Grantee to said premises or to any crops growing thereon.

Dated this 31st day of July, 19 97.
The Donald C. Kirkpatrick 1991 Revocable Trust
 by: Donald C. Kirkpatrick
 Donald C. Kirkpatrick, Trustee

Address: 4666 Reeder Rd.
Klamath Falls, OR 97603

State of Oregon
 County of Klamath ss

On this day personally appeared before me the above-name DONALD C. KIRKPATRICK
 as TRUSTEE of The Donald C. Kirkpatrick 1991 Revocable Trust
 and proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to the person(s) whose name(s) subscribed
 to the within instrument, and acknowledged that he (he/she/they)
 executed it.

Witness under my hand and official seal this 31st day of July, 1997.



Kristi L. Redd
 Notary/public for OREGON
 Residing at Klamath County
 My commission Expires: 11/16/99

AFTER RECORDING RETURN TO:
 City Recorder
 500 Klamath Avenue
 Klamath Falls, OR 97601

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GERA**G. E. Raleigh and Associates, Inc.****CONSULTANTS**

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EXHIBIT "A" Sheet 2 of 2

July 8, 1997

Donald C. Kirkpatrick 1991 Revocable Trust

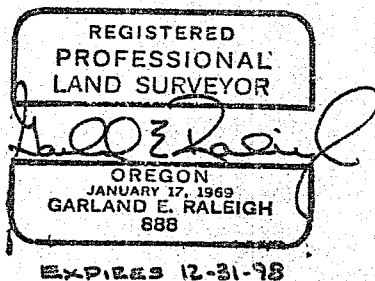
Klamath County, Oregon

Section 7 in Township 39 South, Range 9 East of the Willamette Meridian

A right-of-way 125 feet wide over and across a portion of property in the northwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter (NW/4 & SW/4-SE/4) of Section 7, Township 39 South, Range 9 East of the Willamette Meridian, Klamath County, Oregon, as described in a Deed recorded in Volume M92 on Pages 10632 and 14838, Official Records of Klamath County Oregon. The boundaries of said right-of-way lie 62.5 feet on the west and east side of, and are parallel with, the following described survey line, and are to be lengthened or shortened to terminate at the North and South lines of said property.. The basis of bearings is the Oregon State Coordinate System (NAD-83), South Zone.

Beginning at a point on the North line of said property that bears S.33°36'00"E., 519.15 feet from the Center of Section 7, evidenced by an automobile axle; thence S.12°26'17"W., 947.60 feet; thence S.00°54'07"E., 531.88 feet to the South line of said property.

The above described right-of-way contains 4.253 acres, more or less.



Project Management
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Right-of-Way

Surveying
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EXHIBIT "B"

TRANSMISSION RIGHT OF WAY EASEMENT

For value received, Donald C. Kirkpatrick, Trustee, (Grantor) hereby grants to the City of Klamath Falls, an Oregon municipal corporation, its successors and assigns (Grantee), an easement for a right of way 125 feet in width for the construction, reconstruction, operation, maintenance, repair, replacement, enlargement, and removal of electric power transmission lines, distribution lines and communication lines and all necessary or desirable accessories and appurtenances thereto, including without limitation: supporting towers, poles, props, guys and anchors, including guys and anchors outside of the right of way; wires, fibers, cables and other conductors and conduits therefor; and pads, transformers, switches, vaults and cabinets; along the general course now located by Grantee on, over or under the surface of the real property of Grantor in Klamath County, State of Oregon, more particularly described as follows or as more particularly described and/or shown on Exhibit(s) "A" attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof:

Said right of way located in Section 7 of Township 39 South, Range 9 East, W.M., Klamath County, Oregon

During the term of the option, Grantee shall be and is hereby designated the agent of Grantor for the purposes of applying for or ratifying any conditional use permit required for the construction and operation of said transmission line.

Together with the right of access to the right of way from adjacent lands of Grantor for all activities in connection with the purposes for which this easement has been granted; and together with the present and (without payment therefor) the future right to keep the right of way and adjacent lands clear of all brush, trees, timber, structures and other hazards which might endanger Grantee's facilities or impede Grantee's activities.

At no time shall Grantor erect or permit the erection of any buildings or structures of any kind or nature, or place or use or permit any equipment or material of any kind that exceeds twelve (12) feet in height, or light any fires, or place or store any flammable materials (other than agricultural crops), on or within the boundaries of the right of way. Subject to the foregoing limitations, the surface of the right of way may be used for roads, agricultural crops and other purposes not inconsistent with the purposes for which this easement has been granted; and Grantee shall reimburse Grantor for any physical damage to Grantor's property or crops caused by Grantee's activities.

The rights and obligations of the parties hereto shall be binding upon and benefit their respective heirs, successors and assigns; and this easement shall terminate if and when Grantee shall have abandoned all use of the right of way and no longer has any future need therefor.

Executed this _____ day of _____, 1997

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

State of _____)

County of _____)

This instrument was acknowledged before me on _____, 1997,

by _____ as _____

of _____

Notary Public for _____

Residing at _____

My Commission Expires _____

Filed for record at request of City of Klamath Falls the 12th day
of August A.D., 19 97 at 3:50 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Vol. M97,
of Deeds on Page 26516.

By Bernetha G. Letsch, County Clerk