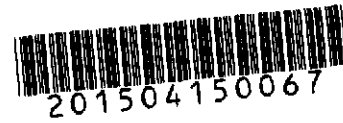


**RETURN ADDRESS:**

Puget Sound Energy, Inc.  
Attn: ROW Department  
1660 Park Lane  
Burlington, WA 98233

SKAGIT COUNTY WASHINGTON  
REAL ESTATE EXCISE TAX

*Assessment*  
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**PUGET SOUND ENERGY** *Inc* Deputy  
**EASEMENT**

Amount Paid \$  
Skagit Co. Treasurer

GUARDIAN NORTHWEST TITLE CO.  
ACCOMMODATION RECORDING ONLY

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GRANTOR (Owner): GRANDVIEW NORTH, LLC  
GRANTEE (PSE): PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC.  
SHORT LEGAL: Parcel A survey Auditor's File Number 200704170179 in SE¼ 23-35-4  
ASSESSOR'S PROPERTY TAX PARCEL: P76922/4170-000-004-0101

For and in consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are acknowledged, **GRANDVIEW NORTH, LLC, a Washington limited liability company** ("Owner" herein), hereby grants and conveys to **PUGET SOUND ENERGY, INC., a Washington corporation** ("PSE" herein), for the purposes described below, a nonexclusive perpetual easement over, under, along across and through the following described real property (the "Property" herein) Skagit County, Washington:

**SEE EXHIBIT "A" AS HERETO ATTACHED AND BY REFERENCE INCORPORATED HEREIN.**

Except as may be otherwise set forth herein PSE's rights shall be exercised upon that portion of the Property ("Easement Area" herein) described as follows:

**An Easement Area ten (10) feet in width having five (5) feet of such width on each side of the centerline of PSE's facilities as now constructed, to be constructed, extended or relocated lying within the above described property – generally located in the southerly portion of the above described Property adjacent to Trail Road**

1. **Purpose.** PSE shall have the right to use the Easement Area to construct, operate, maintain, repair, replace, improve, remove, upgrade and extend one or more utility systems for purposes of transmission, distribution and sale of electricity. Such systems may include, but are not limited to:

**Underground facilities.** Conduits, lines, cables, vaults, switches and transformers for electricity; fiber optic cable and other lines, cables and facilities for communications; semi-buried or ground-mounted facilities and pads, manholes, meters, fixtures, attachments and any and all other facilities or appurtenances necessary or convenient to any or all of the foregoing.

Following the initial construction of all or a portion of its systems, PSE may, from time to time, construct such additional facilities as it may require for such systems. PSE shall have the right of access to the Easement Area over and across the Property to enable PSE to exercise its rights granted in this easement.

2. **Easement Area Clearing and Maintenance.** PSE shall have the right, but not the obligation to cut, remove and dispose of any and all brush, trees or other vegetation in the Easement Area. PSE shall also have the right, but not the obligation, to control, on a continuing basis and by any prudent and reasonable means, the establishment and growth of brush, trees or other vegetation in the Easement Area.

*No monetary consideration paid*

3. **Restoration.** Following initial installation, repair or extension of its facilities, PSE shall, to the extent reasonably practicable, restore landscaping and surfaces and portions of the Property affected by PSE's work to the condition existing immediately prior to such work. PSE shall use good faith efforts to perform its restoration obligations under this paragraph as soon as reasonably possible after the completion of PSE's work.

4. **Owner's Use of Easement Area.** Owner reserves the right to use the Easement Area for any purpose not inconsistent with the rights herein granted, provided, however, Owner shall not excavate within or otherwise change the grade of the Easement Area or construct or maintain any buildings or structures on the Easement Area and Owner shall do no blasting within 300 feet of PSE's facilities without PSE's prior written consent.

5. **Indemnity.** PSE agrees to indemnify Owner from and against liability incurred by Owner as a result of the negligence of PSE or its contractors in the exercise of the rights herein granted to PSE, but nothing herein shall require PSE to indemnify Owner for that portion of any such liability attributable to the negligence of Owner or the negligence of others.

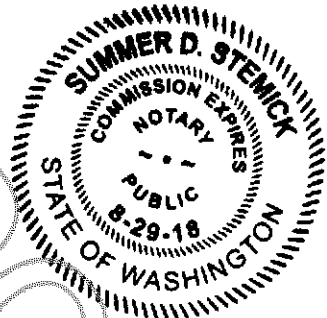
6. **Termination.** The rights herein granted shall continue until such time as PSE terminates such right by written instrument. If terminated any improvements remaining in the Easement Area shall become the property of Owner. No termination shall be deemed to have occurred by PSE's failure to install its systems on the Easement Area.

7. **Successors and Assigns.** PSE shall have the right to assign, apportion or otherwise transfer any or all of its rights, benefits, privileges and interests arising in and under this easement. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the rights and obligations of the parties shall be binding upon their respective successors and assigns.

DATED this 27 day of MARCH, 2015.

OWNER:  
GRANDVIEW NORTH, LLC

BY: [Signature]  
Scott T Wammack, managing member



STATE OF WASHINGTON )  
 ) ss  
COUNTY OF )

On this 27<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2015, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared **Scott T Wammack** to me known to be the person(s) who signed as **managing member**, of **GRANDVIEW NORTH, LLC**, the limited liability company that executed the within and foregoing instrument, and acknowledged said instrument to be his free and voluntary act and deed and the free and voluntary act and deed of **GRANDVIEW NORTH, LLC** for the uses and purposes therein mentioned; and on oath stated that he was authorized to execute the said instrument on behalf of said.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and official seal the day and year first above written.

Summer D Stemick  
(Signature of Notary)  
Summer D Stemick  
(Print or stamp name of Notary)  
NOTARY PUBLIC in and for the State of  
Washington, residing at Granite Falls  
My Appointment Expires: 8/29/18

Notary seal, text and all notations must not be placed within 1" margins

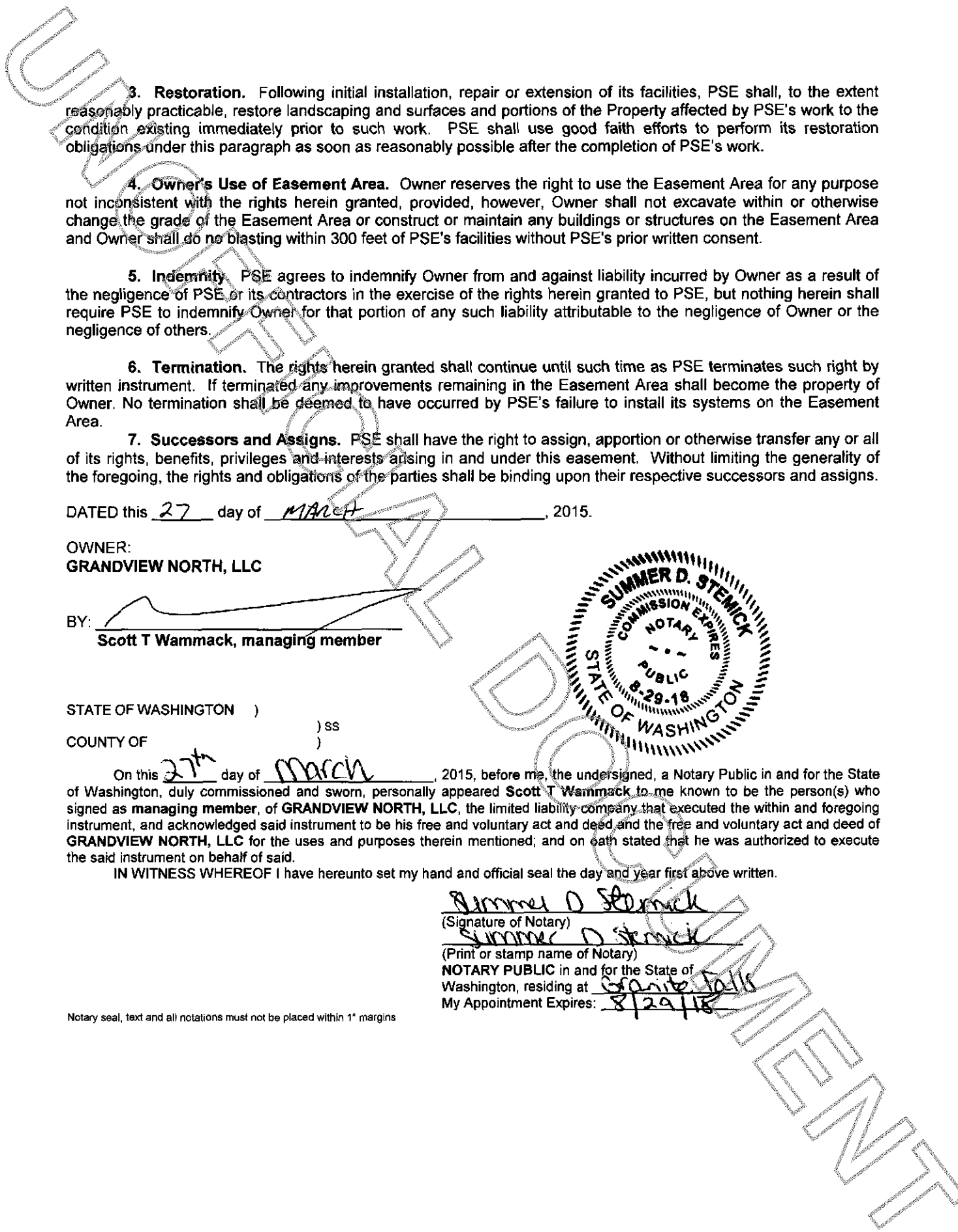


EXHIBIT "A"

The North 105 feet of the South 180 feet of the East 115.5 feet of Tract 4, "SEDRO ACREAGE," as per plat recorded in Volume 3 of Plats, page 35, records of Skagit County, Washington.

TOGETHER WITH the West 96.5 feet of the East 212 feet of Tract 4, "SEDRO ACREAGE," as per plat recorded in Volume 3 of Plats, page 35, records of Skagit County, Washington.

EXCEPT the Northerly 20 feet as conveyed to the City of Sedro-Woolley under Auditor's File Number 199911190064, records of Skagit County, Washington.

AND EXCEPT the East 10 feet as conveyed to the City of Sedro-Woolley under Auditor's File Number 9809280129, records of Skagit County, Washington.

AND EXCEPT the South 66.70 feet of the North 86.70 feet of the West 41.50 feet of the East 212 feet of Tract 4, "SEDRO ACREAGE," as per plat recorded in Volume 3 of Plats, page 35, records of Skagit County, Washington.

(Also known as Parcel A of Survey for Boundary Line Adjustment recorded April 17, 2007 under Auditor's File Number 200704170179.)

Situate in City of Sedro Woolley, County of Skagit, State of Washington.