SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of Metropolitan

Utilities District of Omaha, Omaha,
providing notice required by Neb.

Rev. Stat. § 66-1863, as amended,
that it intends to extend or enlarge
its service area or extend a gas

main.

Application No. P-0013.4

ORDER CLOSING DOCKET

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its service area or extend a gas

Entered: November 28, 2006

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND FINDINGS

On October 18, 2006, an application was filed by Metropolitan Utilities District (Applicant) of Omaha, Nebraska, providing notice as required by $Neb.\ Rev.\ Stat.\ \S\ 66-1863(1)$ (Cum. Supp. 2006), of its intent to extend or enlarge its service area or extend a gas main.

The Commission sent notice on October 24, 2006, by U.S. Mail to Aquila, Inc., that protests or formal interventions must be filed on or before November 8, 2006. The Commission also posted notice of the application on the Commission website on October 18, 2006.

No protests or petitions for intervention were filed. Therefore, pursuant to *Neb. Rev. Stat.* § 66-1863(3), the proposed enlargement or extension is presumed to be in the public interest and Applicant may proceed with the extension or enlargement without further Commission action.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Commission that this docket be closed without further Commission action.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 28th day of November, 2006.

COMMISSIONEDS CONCUPRING

Anne C. Bayle.

Executive Director

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST:

//s// Lowell C. Johnson