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Prepared by, and after recording  
please mail to:

**BLACK HILLS NEBRASKA GAS, LLC**  
**ATTN.: ANDY RIALES, SR. RIGHT-OF-WAY AGENT**  
**4510 AIRPORT ROAD**  
**KEARNEY, NE 68847**  
**(402) 914-0137**

#### **EASEMENT FOR GAS LINES AND APPURTENANCES**

THIS EASEMENT is made and entered into this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2022, by and between Eastern Iowa Pumping, Inc., an Iowa Corporation "GRANTOR", and **BLACK HILLS/IOWA GAS UTILITY COMPANY, LLC d/b/a BLACK HILLS ENERGY, "GRANTEE"**.

Grantor, in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) and other valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, hereby grants, bargains, sells and conveys to Grantee, its lessees, licensees, successors and assigns, the right, privilege and perpetual easement to enter upon the lands of Grantor to survey, construct, operate, patrol, inspect, maintain, alter, add pipes, repair, rebuild and remove, on, under and over said lands and in and upon all streets, roadways or highways abutting said lands, now or at any future time, lines for the transmission and distribution of gas and all appurtenances and appliances necessary in connection therewith, including but not limited to above ground valve settings or district regulator stations, together with the right of ingress and egress to and from the said lines of Grantee over the lands of Grantor so that Grantee may go to and from said lines from the public roads adjacent to Grantor's lands, which said lands of Grantor, situate in the County of Delaware, in the State of Iowa further described on Exhibit "A" attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference.

#### **RECITALS**

WHEREAS, Grantor owns in fee simple certain real property situated in SECTION THIRTY-TWO (32), TOWNSHIP EIGHTY NINE (89) NORTH, RANGE FIVE (5) WEST, 4.06 & 3.43 acres in Lots 1 & 2 Mangold Addition, as appears in Warranty Deed in Book 2018, Page 46 & Book 2018, Page 1545 in the office of the recorder located in Delaware County, Iowa of the 5<sup>th</sup> P.M. (the "Subject Lands"); and

WHEREAS, Grantee desires a right of way and easement for the placement of its pipeline(s) and any necessary appurtenances ("Pipeline(s)"); and

WHEREAS, Grantee has requested from Grantor, and Grantor desires to grant to Grantee, certain permanent and temporary easements with respect to the Pipeline(s) (collectively, the "Easements").

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00), the mutual covenants and agreements hereinafter set forth, and other good and valuable consideration the receipt and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

1. Grant of Easements.

- (a) A Permanent Easement Thirty (30) Feet in Width Beginning at a point 42.47138 Latitude and -91.46284 Longitude; thence running an Eastern direction a distance of Eight Hundred Sixty-One (861) Feet more or less and Terminating at a point 42.47140 Latitude and -91.45964 Longitude. (the "Subject Lands")

**PLEASE SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT "A" HERETO AND MADE A PART HEREOF.**

Grantee may erect and use gates in all fences which cross or which shall hereinafter cross the route of said lines. Grantee is given the right to trim, cut and clear away or otherwise control any trees, limbs, brush and vegetation on or adjacent to the above described easement whenever, in its judgment, such will interfere with or endanger the construction, safety, operation or maintenance of said lines. In exercising its rights of ingress and egress Grantee shall, whenever practicable, use existing roads or lanes and shall repair any damage caused thereby.

It is the intention of the parties hereto that Grantor is hereby conveying the uses herein specified without divesting himself, his heirs or assigns, of the right to use and enjoy the above described premises: PROVIDED, however, such use shall not, in the judgment of said Grantee, interfere with or endanger the construction, safety, operation or maintenance of said lines, and provided further that no building shall be constructed on the easement without written permission from Grantee. In addition, the granting of any subsequent easements to third parties that either cross Grantee's gas lines or are situated within five feet of Grantee's gas lines shall require written permission from Grantee.

Grantee, its successors and assigns, agrees to pay for any damage caused to land, growing crops, fences, livestock or other personal property of Grantor from the construction, operation or maintenance of said lines.

Title to said lines shall be and remain in said Grantee.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD said easement and rights aforesaid with all and singular, the rights, privileges, appurtenances, and immunities thereto belonging or in any way appertaining unto Grantee its lessees, licensees, successors or assigns forever. This easement shall run with the land and shall be binding upon Grantor and Grantor's heirs, personal representatives, successors and assigns. Grantor hereby represents, warrants and covenants that Grantor is the sole owner(s) of the above-described land, subject to existing liens and right-of-way easement of record and has all rights to grant this easement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this instrument has been executed on the day and year first above written.

Grantor:

**EASTERN IOWA PUMPING, INC., AN IOWA CORPORATION**

By: Joseph G. Hildebrand (Signature)  
Name: Joseph G. Hildebrand, President & Director  
Address: 1625 220<sup>th</sup> Street  
Manchester, IA 52057

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF CORPORATION**

STATE OF Iowa )  
COUNTY OF Delaware ) SS.

On this 24 day of May, 2022, before me, a Notary Public, in and for said county, personally appeared Joseph G. Hildebrand, to me personally known, who being by me duly (sworn or affirmed) did say that that person is President and Director of said Eastern Iowa Pumping, Inc. and that said instrument was signed on behalf of the said Eastern Iowa Pumping, Inc. by authority of its board of \_\_\_\_\_ (directors or trustees) and the said \_\_\_\_\_ acknowledged the execution of said instrument to be the voluntary act and deed of said Eastern Iowa Pumping, Inc. by it voluntarily executed.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at 1625 220<sup>th</sup> St Manchester, IA 52057, in said county and state, the date aforesaid.

Staci M. Haesly  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 12-24-23  
(SEAL)



## EXHIBIT "A"

SECTION 32, TOWNSHIP 89 NORTH, RANGE 5 WEST  
4.06 & 3.43 ACRES IN LOTS 1 & 2 of MANGOLD ADD.  
DELAWARE COUNTY, IOWA

