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*Comment Date:* 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time on September 16, 2024.

Dated: August 30, 2024.

**Debbie-Anne A. Reese,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 2853-073]

#### Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation; Notice of Availability of Final Environmental Assessment

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's (Commission) regulations, 18 CFR part 380, the Office of Energy Projects has reviewed the application for a new license to continue to operate and maintain the Broadwater Hydroelectric Project, located on the Missouri River in Broadwater County, Montana and has prepared a Final Environmental Assessment (FEA) for the project. The project is adjacent to and includes federal lands administered by the Bureau of Land Management.

The FEA contains staff's analysis of the potential environmental impacts of the project and concludes that licensing the project, with appropriate environmental protective measures, would not constitute a major federal action that would significantly affect the quality of the human environment.

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**Debbie-Anne A. Reese,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

### Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Project No. 10853-027, 10853-030]

#### Otter Tail Power Company; Notice of Effectiveness of Withdrawal of Temporary Variance Request and Application for Amendment of License

On May 3, 2022, Otter Tail Power Company (licensee) filed a temporary variance request and on December 2, 2022, the licensee filed an application for non-capacity amendment of the license for the 3.238-megawatt Otter Tail River Hydroelectric Project No. 10853. On August 14, 2024, the licensee filed a notice of withdrawal of the temporary variance and amendment application. The project is located on the Otter Tail River in Otter Tail County, Minnesota.

No motion in opposition to the notice of withdrawal has been filed, and the Commission has taken no action to disallow the withdrawal. Pursuant to Rule 216(b) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure,<sup>1</sup> the withdrawal of the application became effective on August 29, 2024, and this proceeding is hereby terminated.

Dated: August 30, 2024.

**Debbie-Anne A. Reese,**

*Acting Secretary.*

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<sup>7</sup> *Algonquin Gas Transmission, LLC*, 170 FERC ¶ 61,144, at P 40 (2020).

<sup>1</sup> 18 CFR 385.216(b) (2023).