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**MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY
GAS EASEMENT**

Parcel No. 014-97
Work Req. No. 9701285
Project No. 75138
Sub No. 1000
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State of Iowa
County of Madison
Section _____
Township _____ North
Range _____ West of the 5th P.M.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

For and in consideration of the sum of One and no/100 Dollar (\$1.00), and other valuable consideration, in hand paid by MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY, an Iowa Corporation, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned Roger D. Russell & Barbara E. Russell

(Grantors), heirs and assigns, do hereby grant to MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY (Grantee), its successors or assigns, a perpetual right-of-way easement for the purpose of constructing, reconstructing, operating, maintaining and removing a pipeline for the transportation of gas, oil, petroleum and other substances and all appurtenances and equipment used and useful in the transportation of such substances, together with ingress and egress, upon, under, over, along and across the real estate described below.

In consideration of such grant, MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY agrees that it will repair or pay for any damage which may be caused to crops, fences, or other property of the undersigned by the construction, maintenance, operation, or removal of said pipeline, except such property placed subsequent to the granting of this easement that interferes with the operation and maintenance of the line and associated equipment.

Additionally, MIDAMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY shall have the right to remove from the strip of land specifically described below, any obstructions; including trees, plants, undergrowth, buildings, and structures that interfere with the proper operation and maintenance of said line and equipment.

Grantors agree that they will not construct or place any permanent buildings, structures, trees, plants, or other objects on the property described below or make any changes in ground elevation without written permission from Grantee indicating that said construction or ground elevation changes will not interfere with the Grantee's rights to operate and maintain its facilities.

EASEMENT DESCRIPTION:

A pipeline line easement to consist of a ten (10) foot wide strip of land the centerline of which is described as follows: Beginning at a point approximately 8 feet North of and 94 feet West of the Southeast corner of Lot 10, Block 11 of the Original Addition of Earham, Madison County, Iowa; thence South a distance of approximately 8 feet to the South line of said Lot 10.

This easement shall be binding upon the heirs, successors, and assigns of both parties and shall continue until canceled by mutual consent, or the removal and abandonment of said line. Grantors shall have the right of full enjoyment and use of the above described property except as such that will be inconsistent with this easement.

