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ARTICLE 1 - GRANT OF FRANCHISES

14.0101 Power to Grant

The governing body may grant to any person, firm, partnership, association, corporation, company or organization of any kind a franchise or special right or privilege to operate or do business in the city, but such franchise shall be subject to the provisions of this article.

14.0102 Compliance with Applicable Laws and Ordinances

The grantee of any franchise during the life of the franchise shall be subject to all lawful exercise of the police power of the city, and to such reasonable regulation as the city shall be resolution or ordinance provided

14.0103 Indemnification

The grantee of any franchise shall indemnify and save the city and its agents and employees harmless from all and any claims for personal injury or property damages and any other claims, cost, including attorney's fees, expenses of investigation and litigation of claims and suits thereon which may result from the activities of the grantee of the franchise in the city.

14.0104 Insurance

An grantee of a franchise by the city shall carry and keep in force a public liability policy of insurance, insuring the grantee of the franchise and the city against any and all liability of not less than Fifty Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$50,000.00) property damage, One Hundred Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$100,000.00) for any one person, personal injury or death, and Two Hundred Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$200,000.00) for any one accident resulting in personal injury or death. The city may demand proof of such insurance coverage in an insurance company licensed to do business in the State of North Dakota.

14.0105 Franchise Granted to

1. Otter Tail Power
2. Souris River Telephone