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Ms. Mack:

The applications for party status from Paul Johnson and Bridget Johnson for docket [EL26-014](#) - In the Matter of the Application of Crowned Ridge Energy Storage I, LLC for a Permit for an Energy Conversion Facility were approved by the Commission during their regular meeting in Pierre on July 28, 2026. The order approving the Johnsons' applications can be found on the docket at this link: [07/30/26 - Order Granting in Part and Denying in Part Party Status Applications](#) (SDREA, Paul Johnson, Bridget Johnson, Bob Welder)

On July 30, 2026, the order granting party status was emailed to Ms. Johnson at the address she provided to Staff. That same day, a copy was sent via U.S. mail to Mr. Johnson at the address he provided on his application. As official docket participants, Mr. Johnson and Ms. Johnson have been added to the docket's [service list](#).

We encourage you to listen to the [recording](#) of the July 28 commission meeting, beginning around timecode 28:24 for the full discussion of the EL26-014 docket.

Your comment and this response will be posted in the "Comments and Responses" section of the docket.

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