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Mr. Jeffrey Derouen  
Executive Director  
Kentucky Public Service Commission  
211 Sower Boulevard  
Frankfort, Kentucky 40602

**PUBLIC SERVICE  
COMMISSION**


Dear Mr. Derouen:

Re: PSC Case No. 2011-00314;  
William Allen Roberts v. Taylor County RECC

At a March 6, 2012 informal conference conducted in this matter, the staff directed the undersigned to report further upon additional communications between the parties. You will, accordingly, please find enclosed 10 copies of that required status report.

Very truly yours,

SPRAGENS & HIGDON, P.S.C.



Robert Spragens, Jr., Counsel for  
Taylor County RECC

RS,JR:js  
Enclosures

cc: William Allen Roberts



spouse and report to the undersigned whether any of those proposals might be made the subject of a formal agreement which would be submitted as a part of this proceeding.

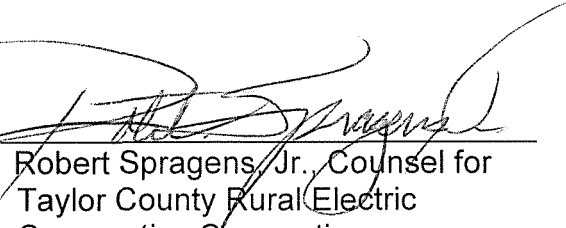
William Allen Roberts has now reported to the undersigned counsel that he and his wife did, in fact, consider all of those matters which were discussed at the meeting of the parties on March 13<sup>th</sup>; and that they reviewed anew their plans with respect to their property to which service is to be provided, that property now including a partially-completed cabin. The result of those discussions was that the Robertses determined that it was not economically feasible for them to go forward with the cabin project. Inasmuch as the Robertses had before them a purchase offer for that property, they thus decided to accept that purchase offer and, on Thursday, April 5, 2012, they closed the sale of their subject property to a young man who, purely by coincidence, is an employee of Taylor County RECC, and who is thus completely aware of the difficulties which have been encountered in providing for extension of service to the subject property. It is obviously the belief of this purchaser that, given his relationship with other property owners in the area, he will be able to eliminate the acrimony among neighbors about which the staff heard discussion at the informal conference, and that Taylor County RECC will thus be able to acquire, by negotiation, easements necessary to extend service to the property in question.

In light of the sale by the Robertses of the subject property, it would appear appropriate that the within proceeding be dismissed.

Respectfully submitted,

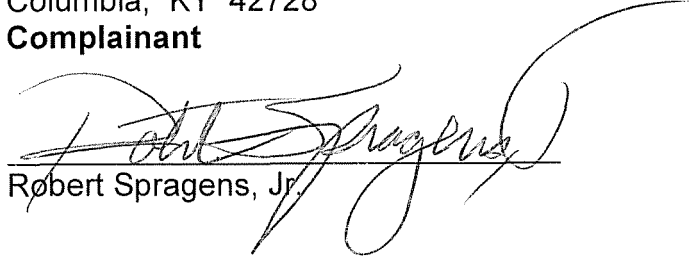
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By

  
Robert Spragens, Jr., Counsel for  
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Cooperative Corporation

I hereby certify that a true copy of the  
foregoing was mailed this 16<sup>th</sup> day of  
April, 2012, to:

William Allen Roberts  
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**Complainant**

  
Robert Spragens, Jr.