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STATE OF INDIANA

INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE JOINT PETITION )  
OF CRAWFORDSVILLE ELECTRIC LIGHT ) CAUSE NO. 46424  
& POWER AND TIPMONT RURAL )  
ELECTRIC MEMBERSHIP CORPORATION ) APPROVED: AUG 26 2026  
PURSUANT TO IND. CODE § 8-1-2.3-6 FOR )  
APPROVAL OF A CHANGE TO THE )  
SERVICE AREA BOUNDARIES WITHIN )  
U.S.G.S. FACET MAP 1-15-1 AND J-15-1 IN )  
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, INDIANA )

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

**Presiding Officer:**

**Kristin E. Kresge, Administrative Law Judge**

On June 5, 2026, in accordance with Ind. Code § 8-1-2.3-6, Crawfordsville Electric Light & Power (“CEL&P”) and Tipmont Rural Electric Membership Corporation (“Tipmont REMC”) (collectively, “Joint Petitioners”) filed their Verified Joint Petition to Modify Service Area Boundaries (“Joint Petition”) with the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission (“Commission”). Pursuant to Ind. Code § 8-1-2.3-6(a)(2), the Joint Petition seeks Commission approval of the electric service area boundary changes to which Joint Petitioners have mutually agreed. Joint Petitioners’ mutual agreement is to change certain Commission-assigned service area boundaries located on U.S.G.S. Facet Maps I-15-1 and J-15-1 in Montgomery County, Indiana. Drawings of the agreed-upon boundary changes were attached to the Joint Petition.

On July 8, 2026, the Indiana Office of Utility Consumer Counselor (“OUCC”) filed its Notice of Intent Not to File Testimony.

Having considered the evidence and applicable law, the Commission finds:

**1. Commission Jurisdiction.** Tipmont REMC, is a rural electric membership corporation organized and existing under the laws of Indiana, with its principal place of business located in Linden, Indiana. It is engaged in the business of distributing, furnishing and selling retail electric service to the public in Indiana, including Montgomery County, and has charter authority to do so.

CEL&P, is a public utility organized and existing under the laws of Indiana and has its principal office at 808 Lafayette Road, Crawfordsville, Indiana 47933. It is engaged in the business of distributing, furnishing and selling retail electric services to the public in Indiana, Montgomery County, and has charter authority to do so.

Each Joint Petitioner is an “electricity supplier” as such term is defined by Ind. Code § 8-1-2.3-2(b) and the purpose of the Joint Petition is to change the Joint Petitioners’ respective assigned service areas, pursuant to Ind. Code § 8-1-2.3-6(a)(2), which provides that the assigned service area boundaries of electricity suppliers may be changed upon a mutual agreement of the affected electricity suppliers and approval of this Commission. Therefore, the Commission has jurisdiction over the parties and the subject matter of this Cause.

**2. Relief Sought.** Joint Petitioners assert that, since the Commission’s August 24, 1983 Final Order in Cause No. 36299-S217(X), certain service territory modifications between Joint Petitioners have become necessary. Joint Petitioners now believe that it would be more efficient to modify the service area boundaries as reflected on U.S.G.S. Facet Maps I-15-1 and J-15-1 and Exhibits “A-1” through “A-4” attached to the Joint Petition. The first proposed boundary change, shown on Exhibits “A-1” and “A-2,” consists of CEL&P losing service territory and Tipmont REMC gaining service territory. The second proposed boundary change, shown on Exhibits “A-3” and “A-4,” consists of Tipmont REMC losing service territory and CEL&P gaining service territory. These changes will allow CEL&P to serve Parcel ID No. 54-07-28-700-042.002-028 more efficiently and at the customer’s request, to change the boundary to follow a naturally occurring creek, and to update the maps to reflect an annexed parcel that CEL&P is already serving. In exchange, Tipmont REMC will receive the opportunity to serve Parcel ID No. 54-07-19-500-007.000-024, which is adjacent to a current Tipmont REMC service location at Parcel ID No. 54-07-19-500-007.001-024.

Joint Petitioners state that the proposed modifications will not cause duplication of facilities, cause a waste of materials or resources, or cause uneconomic, inefficient or inadequate electric service to the public. There is no evidence to the contrary before the Commission in this proceeding.

**3. Notice.** Ind. Code § 8-1-2.3-6(a)(2) provides:

If notice of a verified request for a change of boundary lines by mutual agreement under this subdivision is published in a newspaper of general circulation in every county in which the boundary lines are located and an affected electricity customer does not request a hearing within twenty (20) days of the last date of publication, the Commission may approve the change without a hearing.

The evidence shows that Joint Petitioners’ intent to file for a change of boundary lines located on U.S.G.S. Facet Maps I-15-1 and J-15-1 was published on June 9, 2026, in the Journal Review. This is a newspaper of general circulation in Montgomery County, which is the county in which the affected boundary lines are located. Also, in accordance with 170 IAC 1-1.1-9, Joint Petitioners posted the Legal Notice on Tipmont REMC’s and CEL&P’s websites located at <https://tipmont.com/categories/electric/electric-service-territory-change-2026-06/> and <https://www.celp.com/news>, on June 8, 2026, where it will remain for at least 30 days following the Final Order in this cause of action.

At least 20 days have passed since the last date of publication of the Notice and no affected electricity customer has requested a hearing. Therefore, pursuant to Ind. Code § 8-1-2.3-6(a)(2), the Commission may approve the requested boundary line changes without a hearing.

**4. Approval of Requested Relief.** Based upon the foregoing findings, the Commission concludes that the agreed-upon changes to Joint Petitioners' respective assigned service area boundaries located on U.S.G.S. Facet Maps I-15-1 and J-15-1, as specifically depicted in the Joint Petition and Exhibits "A-1" through "A-4" attached thereto, will promote economical, efficient and adequate electric service to the public consistent with the legislative policy set forth in Ind. Code § 8-1-2.3-1 and; therefore, should be approved.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED BY THE INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION, that:**

1. Joint Petitioners' agreed-upon service area boundary line modifications as set forth above and in the Joint Petition and in Exhibits "A-1" through "A-4" attached thereto filed in this Cause on June 5, 2026, are approved.

2. Within 30 days of the date this Order is approved, Joint Petitioners shall coordinate with each other to update the service territory mapping system to reflect the modified service area boundaries as approved by this Order. Additionally, Joint Petitioners shall notify the Commission's Energy Division staff at [serviceterritory@urc.in.gov](mailto:serviceterritory@urc.in.gov) when the service territory mapping system has been updated.

3. This Order shall be effective on and after the date of its approval.

**SWINGER, BAIN, JERRELLS, AND ZIEGNER CONCUR; DEIG ABSENT:**

**APPROVED: AUG 26 2026**

**I hereby certify that the above is a true  
and correct copy of the Order as approved.**

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**Dana Kosco  
Secretary of the Commission**