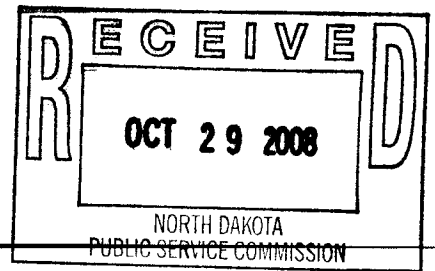




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October 27, 2008

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**NDSHPO REF.: 08-0444b PSC/KLJ M-Power and [Luverne] Wind, LLC
157 Mega Watt (MW) Griggs and Steele Counties, Wind Farm & 230 kV
Transmission Line (13 miles) Letter Correspondence and Map
Documentation; PSC Case: PU-08-766**

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Dear John and Jennifer:

A. Ruric Todd III
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We have received and reviewed letter correspondence and accompanying map documentation of October 24 regarding: **08-0444b: "PSC/KLJ M-Power and [Luverne] Wind, LLC 157 Mega Watt (MW) Griggs and Steele Counties, Wind Farm & 230 kV Transmission Line (13 miles)."**

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We concur with a **"No Significant Sites Affected"** determination, and if consulted by a federal agency we would concur with a **"No Historic Properties Affected"** determination, provided the project is restricted to the nature stated and it takes place in the plotted locations in the received project documentation. Cultural resource recommendations provided in February 28, 2008 project correspondence have been undertaken. Project additions and/or modifications are subject to cultural resource protocols as outlined. Also, all borrow/fill/material is to be derived from an approved source. *Lastly, we look forward to receiving the complete final project report covering the investigations.*

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If you have questions please contact either Susan Quinnell at (701) 328-3576 or Paul Picha at (701) 328-3574. Please include the **NDSHPO REF.: 08-0444b** in correspondence regarding the project.

Merlan E. Paaverud, Jr.
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Sincerely,

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