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Mr. Wade Burns  
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ND SHPO REF.: 11-1814A PSC Hiland Operating LLC "Hiland 1B Pipeline:  
An Addendum to the 2011 Class III Cultural Resources Inventory in  
McKenzie County, North Dakota"

Dear Mr. Burns,

We reviewed ND SHPO REF.: 11-1814A PSC Hiland Operating LLC "Hiland  
1B Pipeline: An Addendum to the 2011 Class III Cultural Resources  
Inventory in McKenzie County, North Dakota." We find the above-captioned  
report acceptable. We concur with "No Historic Properties Affected" and "No  
Significant Sites" determinations, provided the project follows the surveyed areas  
in the Addendum report.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this project. If you have any questions  
please contact Susan Quinnell at (701)328-3576 or [squinnell@nd.gov](mailto:squinnell@nd.gov)

Sincerely,

Merlan E. Paaverud, Jr.  
State Historic Preservation Officer (North Dakota)  
And Director, State Historical Society of North Dakota

C: Patrick Fahn, PSC

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**Letter concurrence - no historic properties and no  
significant sites affected**

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