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NDSHPO REF.: 11-1854B PSC PU-11-601 "Thunder Spirit Wind Energy Center: Class I and Class II Architectural Reconnaissance Survey in Adams County, North Dakota"

Dear Mr. Sexton,

We reviewed correspondence and project document for: "Thunder Spirit Wind Energy Center: Class I and Class II Architectural Reconnaissance Survey in Adams County, North Dakota," by James Sexton (TetraTech July 2013 2013) and find it acceptable.

If consulted by a state or federal agency, we would concur with "*No Significant Sites Affected*" or "*No Historic Properties Affected*" determinations provided the project is of the nature stated and it takes place in the location plotted and described in the project documentation, and avoidance procedures are maintained.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this project. If you have questions please contact either Paul Picha at ppicha@nd.gov or (701) 328-3574 or Susan Quinnell at squinnell@nd.gov or (701) 328-3576.

Sincerely,

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

c: Patrick Fahn, North Dakota PSC

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Letter concurrence - no significant sites affected or
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