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Mr. David Kluth
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Western Area Power Administration
South Dakota Maintenance Office
200 4th Street SW
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ND SHPO Ref.: 11-2157A WAPA Nextera Energy "Wilton IV Wind Energy Center: A Class II Architectural Inventory in Burleigh County, North Dakota"

Dear Mr. Kluth,

We received ND SHPO Ref.: 11-2157A WAPA Nextera Energy "Wilton IV Wind Energy Center: A Class II Architectural Inventory in Burleigh County, North Dakota," and find the report acceptable. We concur with your "No Historic Properties Affected" determination for standing structures in the APE.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this project. Please include the ND SHPO reference number listed above in further correspondence for this specific project. If you have any questions, please contact Susan Quinnell at 701-328-3576, or squinnell@nd.gov

Sincerely,

Merlan E. Paaverud, Jr.
State Historic Preservation Officer (North Dakota)

C: Mr. Patrick Fahn, PSC

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Letter concurrence - No historic properties effected