

Attn: Jerry Lein
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Submittal via email to ndpsc@nd.gov
Case Number: PU-14-105

Re: Sunflower Wind Project – Construction Activities Update

Dear Mr. Lein,

The Sunflower Wind Project has begun construction activities for 2016 and per the requirements set forth in the ND-03 Sunflower PSC 2014-06-25 Cert Site Compatibility (PSC 2014-05-09 Certification of Provisions item number 5) weekly construction updates are to be provided to the PSC and 3rd party consultant, Carlson McCain.

Please find the weekly construction update for the Sunflower Wind Project below.

Sincerely,



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Weekly Construction Update

Week of 9/30/16

1. **Civil – Access Roads**
 - a. **SWPPP inspection and maintenance**
 - b. **Site cleanup and Restoration**

2. **Civil – Turbine Pad Sites - Complete**
3. **Turbine Foundations - Complete**

4. **O&M Building**
 - a. **Install roof panels and exterior sheeting**
 - b. **Electrical wiring**
 - c. **Install mezzanine decking**

5. **Substation**
 - a. **Function testing**
 - b. **Install substation fencing**
 - c. **Install transmission line pole**
 - d. **Install substation rock**

6. **Collection System**
 - a. **Collector system trenching – Complete**
 - b. **Blow in fiber optic cabling**

7. **Turbine Erection**
 - a. **Erect base and mid tower sections**
 - b. **Grout base sections**
 - c. **Stack top, nacelle and fly blades**

8. **Met Tower**
 - a. **Commissioning steel lattice towers**

See below for progress photos

O&M SCADA Room



Transmission line Pole Installation



Blow in Fiber Optic Cabling



Met Tower Erected

