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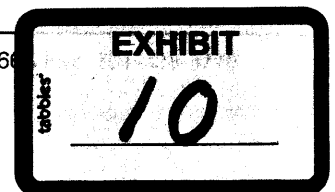
NDSHPO REF.: 15-0694 PSC Paradigm Midstream, LLC, Paradigm Palermo  
Gathering Pipeline, Mountrail County, North Dakota

Dear Bill:

We have reviewed project correspondence: 15-0694 PSC "A Class I AND Class III Cultural Resource Inventory of the Paradigm Palermo Gathering Pipeline, Mountrail County, North Dakota," by Matthew Cox and Scott Yost (SWCA ROI 14-670, December 2014) and find it acceptable, and we concur with a "No Significant Sites Affected" determination provided the recommendations (pp. 48-49, attached) are followed. Thank you for the opportunity to review this project. If you have questions please contact either Paul Picha at [ppicha@nd.gov](mailto:ppicha@nd.gov) or (701) 328-3574 or Susan Quinnell at [squinnell@nd.gov](mailto:squinnell@nd.gov) or (701) 328-3576.

Sincerely,

Claudia J. Berg  
Director, State Historical Society of North Dakota  
and  
State Historic Preservation Officer (North Dakota)  
enc. as stated





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**ND SHPO REF.: 14-1537 ND PSC Application PU-14-620 "A Class I and Class III Cultural Resource Inventory of the Paradigm Sacagawea Pipeline, McKenzie and Mountrail Counties, North Dakota"**

Dear Mr. Harding,

We reviewed ND SHPO REF.: 14-1537 ND PSC "A Class I and Class III Cultural Resource Inventory of the Paradigm Sacagawea Pipeline, McKenzie and Mountrail Counties, North Dakota," and find the report acceptable.

We concur with a "No Significant Sites" determination for the project provided the project remains as described and mapped in the above-captioned report by Aidan McCarty and Carolyn Riordan dated February 12, 2015.

The following is a list of archaeological sites found outside the exterior boundaries of the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation, aka Three Affiliated Tribes, aka Mandan Hidatsa Arikara Nation, (MHAN), and the sites should be avoided. Cairn site 32MN1031 although not relocated has a site boundary from a previous survey. Also stone circle site 32MN1130, cairn sites 32MN1131 and 32MN1206, stone circle site 32MN1207, cultural material scatter site 32MN1320, and cairn site 32M22195 should be avoided. The following site areas found outside the exterior boundaries of MHAN should be monitored: 32MNx110, 32MNx213, 32MNx324, 32MNx923, and 32MZx97.

Federal consultation for project areas *within* the exterior boundaries of MHAN is with the MHAN Tribal Historic Preservation Office. Thank you for the opportunity to review this project. If you have questions please contact Susan Quinnell at [squinnell@nd.gov](mailto:squinnell@nd.gov) or (701) 328-3576.

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ND SHPO Ref: 15-0759 "Addendum to the Class I and Class III Cultural Resource Inventory of the Paradigm Sacagawea Pipeline, McKenzie and Mountrail Counties, North Dakota, to Allow for Temporary Work Space"

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We reviewed ND SHPO Ref: 15-0759 "Addendum to the Class I and Class III Cultural Resource Inventory of the Paradigm Sacagawea Pipeline, McKenzie and Mountrail Counties, North Dakota, to Allow for Temporary Work Space." If consulted by a state agency, we would concur with a "*No Significant Sites Affected*" determination provided the project is of the nature stated and it takes place in the locations plotted, mapped, and described in the aforementioned project documentation.

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

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**NDSHPO REF.: 15-0694A PSC "Addendum to the Class I and Class III  
Cultural Resource Inventory of the Paradigm Palermo Gathering Pipeline,  
Mountrail County, North Dakota, to Allow for Temporary Work Space"**

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We have reviewed project correspondence: NDSHPO REF.: 15-0694A PSC "Addendum to the Class I and Class III Cultural Resource Inventory of the Paradigm Palermo Gathering Pipeline, Mountrail County, North Dakota, to Allow for Temporary Work Space," by Aidan McCarty and Carolyn Riordan (May 21, 2015) and find it acceptable, and we concur with a "No Significant Sites Affected" determination provided 32MN1149, 32MN1297, 32Mn1317 and 32MN1318 are avoided. Fencing and monitoring to be utilized as needed to protect these cultural resources.

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

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