



June 6, 2018

Mr. Jerry Lein
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 E. Boulevard, Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505

RE: Road Shift Certification
Thunder Spirit Phase Two
Case Nos. PU-11-601, PU-15-592, and PU-17-192

Dear Mr. Lein,

ALLETE Clean Energy (ACE) is submitting its Road Shift Certification for the Thunder Spirit Wind Phase Two facility in Adams County, ND.

Please note four (4) copies, one for each of the above-referenced Cases and one for the portfolio holder, have been placed in the mail.

Sincerely,

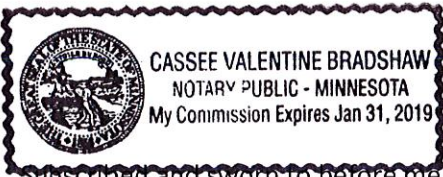
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6. The Project layout modifications and associated construction activities will not affect any known exclusion or avoidance areas within the designated Project site.

7. The Project will comply with the Commission's Order, including applicable siting laws and rules.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.



Subscribed and sworn to before me
This 5th day of June, 2018


Notary Public


John Hollingsworth

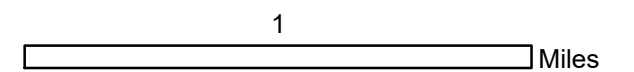
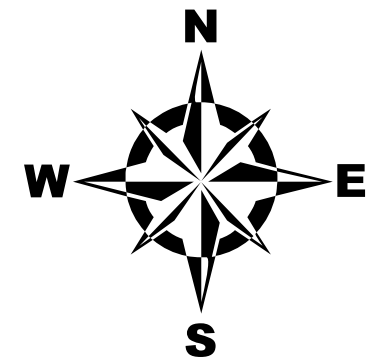
Thunder Spirit Phase 2 Proposed Road Shift

Exhibit A

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Legend

- Thunder Spirit Phase 2 Turbine Locations
- Originally Permitted Thunder Spirit Phase 2 Access Road
- Originally Permitted Road That Will Not Be Built
- Proposed Access Road Change



Source: Esri, DigitalGlobe, GeoEye, Earthstar Geographics, CNES/Airbus DS, USDA, USGS, AeroGRID, IGN, and the GIS User Community



Appendix A: Photos



Figure 1. Overview of the survey area. View to the northwest.



Figure 2. Overview of the survey area. View to the southwest.



Figure 3. Overview of the survey area. View to the northeast.



Figure 4. Overview of the survey area. View to the east.



Figure 5. Overview of the survey area. View to the northwest.



Figure 6. Overview of the survey area. View to the southeast.



Figure 7. Overview of the survey area. View to the east.



Figure 8. Overview of the survey area. View to the west.



Figure 9. Overview of a field clearing pile. View to the south.

Appendix B: Map

Appendix C: Literature/File Search Results
May 2, 2018



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ND SHPO Ref: 11-1854K ND Public Service Commission (PSC) "A Class III Cultural Resource Inventory for the 2018 Addendum to the Thunder Spirit II Wind Farm in Adams County, North Dakota"

Dear Ms. Brooks,

We reviewed ND SHPO Ref: 11-1854K ND Public Service Commission (PSC) "A Class III Cultural Resource Inventory for the 2018 Addendum to the Thunder Spirit II Wind Farm in Adams County, North Dakota," and find the report acceptable. There has been a good faith effort to identify and avoid impacts to "Significant Sites," provided the project remains as described and mapped in this BCA report dated May 2018.

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

Sincerely,

Claudia J. Berg
Director, State Historical Society of North Dakota