MEMORANDUM

To: Commissioners Christman, Fedorchak and Kroshus
Fr: Jerry Lein
Da: May 22, 2017
Re: Tree and Shrub Mitigation Plan, Case Nos. PU-15-690 & PU-15-697

Brady Wind reports removal of 12 Russian Olives, 2 Willow and 20 Siberian Elm for a total of 34 trees, all of which were on three landowners' properties. All three landowners requested replacement on their property or a nearby property. Based on landowner preference and consultation with Billings and Stark Soil Conservation Districts among others, NextEra plans to replace trees removed with 24 Green Ash, 4 Cottonwood, and 40 Siouxland Cottonwood for a total of 68 trees. Planting is to occur yet this spring or early summer, 2017.

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