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Via Electronic Mail

Mr. Patrick Fahn
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In re: Brady Wind, LLC
Brady Wind Energy Center
Response to Notice of Noncompliance
Case No. PU-15-690
Our File No. 035218-000026

Dear Mr. Fahn:

I am writing on behalf of Brady Wind, LLC (“Brady Wind”) regarding the Notice of Noncompliance filed in Case No. PU-15-690 as Docket No. 202 pertaining to tree and shrub mitigation for the Brady Wind Energy Center located in Stark County, North Dakota (the “Wind Project”). Brady Wind submitted a consolidated Tree & Shrub Inventory and Mitigation Plan (the “Plan”) for its wind and associated 230kV transmission projects. Case No. PU-15-690, Docket No. 173; Case No. PU-15-797, Docket No. 141. The tree and shrub inventory contained within the Plan pertains to trees and shrubs removed during construction of Brady Wind’s 230kV transmission line (Case No. PU-15-797). A response related to Brady Wind’s mitigation efforts for the transmission line is filed separately in Case No. PU-15-797.

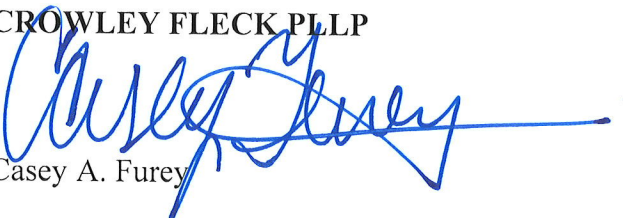
As provided for in the Wind Project’s siting application, trees and shrubs are sparse within the Wind Project area and Brady Wind worked to avoid tree and shrub impacts. *See* Case No. PU-15-690, Docket No. 1, Application pp. 7-20; 7-29; 7-39. No trees or shrubs were removed during the facility’s construction. Therefore, the Wind Project is in compliance with its Tree and Shrub Mitigation Specifications.

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Response to 15 June 2021 Notice of Noncompliance
Brady Wind, LLC
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Please do not hesitate to contact me with any additional questions.

Sincerely,

CROWLEY FLECK PLLP

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Casey A. Furey", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Casey A. Furey

cc: Tracy Davis (*via email*)