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June 28, 2016

**Hand Delivery**

Mr. Darrell Nitschke  
Executive Director  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 E. Boulevard, Dept. 408  
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In re: ONEOK Bakken Pipeline, L.L.C.  
Bear Creek NGL Pipeline Project  
Dunn & McKenzie Counties  
Case No. PU-15-801  
Our File No. 72-591-006

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

Enclosed for filing are eleven copies of the SHPO concurrence dated June 21, 2016.

Please call should you have any questions. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "John W. Morrison".

John W. Morrison

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enc.

cc: Michael Dailey (via email)  
Todd Kelvington (via email)

**Lisa Herberholz**

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**Subject:** FW: (External) RE: ONEOK Bear Creek NGL Mitigation Corridor [NDSHPO 15-1509c and 16-421h]

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**From:** Picha, Paul R. [mailto:ppicha@nd.gov]

**Sent:** Tuesday, June 21, 2016 2:57 PM

**To:** 'Mark Johnson'; Kelvington, Todd E.; 'mkrumweide@merjent.com'; 'Mike Madson'

**Cc:** Quinnell, Susan L.; Liz France; Damita Engel; 'Jennifer Harty'

**Subject:** (External) RE: NBPL's Killdeer Project Mitigation Corridor [NDSHPO 15-1509c and 16-421h]

June 21, 2016

Mark A. Johnson, REM, CEA  
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NDSHPO Ref.: 15-1509c PSC/FERC TransCanada Killdeer Lateral Pipeline Project, Dunn County, North Dakota  
NDSHPO Ref.: 16-0421h PSC ONEOK Bakken Pipeline LLC, Bear Creek NGL

Dear Mr. Johnson and Mr. Kelvington:

We have received and reviewed updated project information for 15-1509c and 16-0421h: "Field Report and Interim Results of Data Recovery Excavations, Site 32DU2216," by Jennifer L. Harty (Metcalf Archaeological Consultants, June 2016) and find it acceptable pursuant to the mitigation plan investigations objective.

A corridor monitoring program in accord with an approved monitoring plan will be implemented per our project meeting discussions of June 21, 2016.

With that, we concur with a "No Adverse Effect" determination provided (a) that the site recommendations found in prior December 30, 2015, [15-1509] project letter correspondence are followed, (b) that the project takes place within the utility corridor for site 32DU2216 following the approved treatment plan [16-0421], (c) that site 32DU2216 analyses are conducted and a

reporting document is completed, and (d) that an approved project corridor monitoring plan that is forthcoming is implemented.

Thank you for the opportunity to review the project, and we look forward to further consultations on it.

Sincerely,

*Paul R. Picha*

[signed for]

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

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**From:** Mark Johnson [[mailto:Mark\\_Johnson@transcanada.com](mailto:Mark_Johnson@transcanada.com)]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 15, 2016 2:16 PM  
**To:** Picha, Paul R.  
**Subject:** NBPL's Killdeer Project Mitigation Corridor

Hi Paul,

I know OneOk is nearing the end of their investigations within the mitigated corridor and I just wanted to touch base with you. I'm hoping when you agree that the corridor is completely mitigated by OneOk that you would be able to provide us an email or some kind of letter to the affect that we can proceed with our work through the corridor under our FERC Blanket Authority. We would then be able to approve the remainder of our work to go forward related to the lateral construction. Thanks for all the help and coordination you've provided us to date.

Kind regards,

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