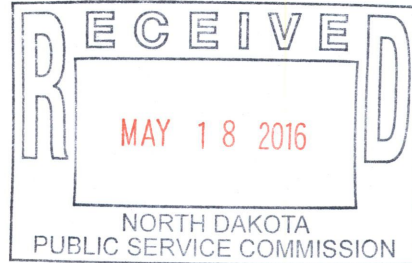


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In re: Oliver Wind III, LLC  
Case Nos. PU-16-122 and PU-16-123  
Our File No. 35-218-029

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

Please find enclosed for filing eleven copies of each of the agency correspondence in the captioned cases.

Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Wade C. Mann". The signature is stylized and includes a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Wade C. Mann

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enc.

cc: Sara Cardwell (via email)  
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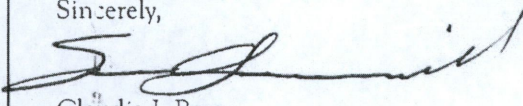
ND SHPO REF: 16-0485C ND PSC Case #PU-16-123 "Class III Cultural Resource Inventory Oliver III Transmission Line Oliver and Morton Counties, North Dakota"

Dear Mr. Holven,

We reviewed ND SHPO REF: 16-0485C ND PSC "Class III Cultural Resource Inventory Oliver III Transmission Line Oliver and Morton Counties, North Dakota," and find the report acceptable. We can concur with a "No Significant Sites Affected" determination for this portion of the Oliver III project, provided the transmission line corridor remains as described and mapped in your report dated April 28, 2016.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this portion of the Oliver III project. If you have any questions please contact Paul Picha, Chief Archaeologist (701) 328-3574 or Susan Quinnell, Review and Compliance Coordinator at (701) 328-3576, e-mail [squinnell@nd.gov](mailto:squinnell@nd.gov)

Sincerely,

  
Claudia J. Berg  
Director State Historical Society of North Dakota

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ND SHPO Ref: 16-0485D PSC Case PU-16-123 Next Era "Class III Cultural Resource Inventory Oliver III Wind Energy Center, Morton and Oliver Counties, North Dakota"

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Dear Mr. Holven,

Chester E. Nelson, Jr.  
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We reviewed ND SHPO Ref: 16-0485D PSC Case PU-16-123 Next Era "Class III Cultural Resource Inventory Oliver III Wind Energy Center, Morton and Oliver Counties, North Dakota" and find the report acceptable.

A. Ruric Todd III  
Jamestown

We concur with a "*No Significant Sites Affected*" determination provided the project remains as mapped and described, including site avoidance buffers described in page iii of the Management Summary.

Sara Otte Coleman  
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Thank you for the opportunity to review this project. Please include the ND SHPO reference number listed above in any further correspondence for this specific project. If you have any questions, please contact either Paul Picha at (701) 328-3574 or [ppicha@nd.gov](mailto:ppicha@nd.gov) or Susan Quinnell at (701) 328-3576 or [squinnell@nd.gov](mailto:squinnell@nd.gov).

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