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**NDSHPO REF.: 13-1335A ND PSC "Epping Transmission Company, LLC
Addendum to the DAPL Connector Pipeline Project Class I and Class III
Cultural Resources Inventory Williams County, North Dakota"**

Dear Ms. Schmidt,

We reviewed NDSHPO REF.: 16-1335A ND PSC "Epping Transmission Company, LLC Addendum to the DAPL Connector Pipeline Project Class I and Class III Cultural Resources Inventory Williams 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 report dated September 2016.

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

Sincerely,

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

