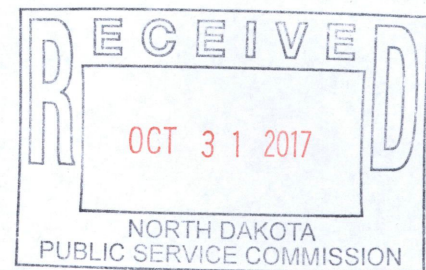


October 31, 2017

Hand Delivered

Mr. Darrell Nitschke
ND Public Service Commission
600 Boulevard Ave, Suite 1300
Bismarck, ND 58503



Re: Foxtail Wind, PU-17-284: State Historical Society – Class III Report

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

Last week, we hand-delivered a letter dated October 20, 2017 (Class III report) from the State Historical Society to your office. The file number included on the State Historical Society letter inadvertently referenced Case No. PU-17-120 and was filed in that proceeding.

We are enclosing a corrected letter to be filed in Case No. PU-17-284. We apologize for any inconvenience.

Very truly yours,

Stinson Leonard Street LLP



Aaron K. Friess

AKF:cp

Enclosure

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SHPO concurrence letter

Foxtail Wind, LLC

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NDSHPO REF.: 17-0099 PSC Foxtail Wind Energy Center, Dickey County,
North Dakota, Class III Report
PSC: PU-17-284

Dear Melinda:

We have received and reviewed the 17-0099 documentation: "Class III: Cultural Resource Survey for the Foxtail Wind Energy Center in Dickey County, North Dakota" by Melinda McCarthy, Thomas Eiceman, and H. Miller, AECOM, October 2017, and find it acceptable.

We concur with a "No Significant Sites Affected" determination provided the management and avoidance recommendations (pp. i-iii and 8-1 to 8-8 [Tables 8.1 to 8.3]) in the aforementioned document are followed as stipulated.

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 or Susan Quinnell at (701) 328-3576 or squinnell@nd.gov.

Sincerely,

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