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NDSHPO 18-1105 ONEOK Demicks Lake Project, Requested Review of Project Modifications

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Dear Maddy:

We have reviewed the projects listed below, and that were discussed in our May 7, 2019, teleconference.

Additional Survey Area	Legal Description	Activity	Regulating Authority	Acres
Access Road MP 22.7	T150N, R99W, S14	Minor grading and possible rock pad at entrance	None	2.9
Access Road MP 39.1	T149N, R101W, S23	Minor grading and possible rock pad at entrance	None	5.5
Access Road MP 22.3	T150N, R99W, S14	Minor grading and possible rock pad at entrance	None	0.3
HDD drill box and ROW MP 23.4 - 24.4	T150N, R99W, S22	Topsoiling within workspace and excavation for drill box	ND PSC	39.6
HDD drill box and ROW MP 22.8 - 23	T150N, R99W, S14	Topsoiling within workspace and excavation for drill box	ND PSC	25.2
HDD Stringing Area MP 22.6	T150N, R99W, S14	Topsoiling within workspace and timber mat installation	ND PSC	6.62

We concur with a "No Significant Sites Affected" determination provided the projects are of the nature stated and they take place in the locations plotted in the provided project documentary attachments.

We look forward to receiving the cumulative project report covering the investigations in the near future.

Thank you for an opportunity to review the project, and for your due diligence efforts.

Sincerely,

*Paul R. Picha*  
[signed for]

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RE: NDSHPO 18-1105 ONEOK Demicks Lake Project, Requested Review of Project Modifications

Mr. Picha,

As we discussed on Wednesday, May 7<sup>th</sup>, ONEOK has identified a few priority locations for its Demicks Lake Pipeline Project (Project) where Project modifications have resulted in the need to conduct additional cultural resources surveys. These include three temporary access roads and workspaces associated the horizontal directional drill (HDD) entry and exit drill points with a stringing area (see table below and maps attached). The HDD drill points and stringing area are within the jurisdiction of the North Dakota Public Service Commission (NDPSC), while the temporary access roads are not.

In May 2019, Metcalf Archaeological Consultants, Inc. (Metcalf) completed surveys for all of the locations listed in the table below and no archeological sites were identified. Locations of the 2019 surveys are identified on the attached maps. The surveys conformed to the *North Dakota SHPO Guidelines Manual for Cultural Resource Inventory Projects*. The attached maps also indicate that no previously identified cultural resources were recorded within the surveyed areas.

Metcalf is in the process of drafting the addendum Class III report for the Project and ONEOK expects to provide that report in the next few weeks. However, as construction is beginning to mobilize and due to the difficulty of set up, ONEOK would like to start immediately on preparing for the HDD between Mileposts (MPs) 22.8 and 24.4.

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As no state or federal permits have been identified for the access roads, ONEOK is providing this information part of their due diligence Project review; however, the HDD and stringing area are regulated by the NDPSC. As stated above, an addendum Class III report will be submitted in the coming weeks, but ONEOK respectfully requests an expedited review and written concurrence (email) that the proposed Project would not affect properties listed on, or eligible for listing on, the Natural Register of Historic Places, prior to submission of that report.

We appreciate your assistance with this request and look forward to your review and comments on these specific Project components. If you have any questions, please contact Kari Krause directly at 612.643.5248 or [Kari.Krause@merjent.com](mailto:Kari.Krause@merjent.com) as soon as possible.

Respectfully,

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