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NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Geri Schmaltz Administrative Officer ND Public Service Commission 600 E Boulevard Ave. Dept. 408 Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

Ms. Schmaltz:

Thank you for your email dated May 7, 2021, informing the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) North Dakota Field Office (NDFO) of the Notice of Filing and Notice of Hearing for PSC Case No. PU-21-121, Bowman Wind Project.

The proposed project is adjacent to public lands managed by the BLM. Three 40-acre tracts managed by the BLM are located in the NWSW and NENW of Section 34 / T131N / R103W and SENE of Section 35 / T131N / R103W. The BLM expects that the entire project will be situated off public land and that no part of the project would impact BLM surface. Any requests for access across BLM surface or other expected impacts should be coordinated with the BLM NDFO.

I request that this letter be shared with the project proponent and be made part of the public record concerning the Bowman Wind Project.

If you have any questions, please contact Loren Wickstrom, North Dakota Field Office Manager, at (701) 227-7713.

Sincerely,

Loren Wickstrom