

June 17, 2022



**VIA E-MAIL AND FEDERAL EXPRESS**

Mr. Steven Kahl  
Executive Secretary  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 E. Boulevard, Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

**RE: Badger Wind, LLC's Application for a Certificate of Site Compatibility for the Badger Wind Project in McIntosh and Logan Counties, North Dakota  
Case No. PU-22-086**

Dear Mr. Kahl:

In prior filings in the above-referenced docket, Badger Wind, LLC ("Badger Wind") has indicated that it would be constructing up to 74 of the 79 proposed turbine locations. Recently, Badger Wind identified a potential turbine option that would result in construction of all 79 proposed turbine locations. Badger Wind provides this letter to inform the North Dakota Public Service Commission ("Commission") of the potential for all 79 proposed turbines locations to be constructed, and will also include this update in direct testimony presented at the June 28, 2022 public hearing.

Please note that all 79 proposed turbine locations were included in the final layout depicted in the updated figures filed on May 26, 2022, as well as the proposed hearing exhibits filed on June 8, 2022. Additionally, all 79 proposed turbine locations were included in the sound and shadow flicker modeling reports, were surveyed for cultural resources and wetlands/waterbodies, were included in the impact calculations conducted by Badger Wind, and were included in the offset calculations exchanged with the North Dakota Game and Fish Department and the United States Fish and Wildlife Service.

Electronic copies of this letter and a certificate of service were filed with the Commission today via e-mail, and an original and one (1) copy of this letter and the certificate of service were sent to the Commission via Federal Express.

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Badger Wind, LLC  
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If you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Mollie M. Smith".

MOLLIE M. SMITH

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**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**IN THE MATTER OF BADGER WIND, LLC'S  
APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF  
SITE COMPATIBILITY FOR THE BADGER  
WIND PROJECT IN MCINTOSH AND LOGAN  
COUNTIES, NORTH DAKOTA**

**Case No. PU-22-086**

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Malinda Maier, being first duly sworn, does depose and state that on June 17, 2022, this Certificate of Service and true and correct copies of Badger Wind, LLC's Filing Letter were sent by electronic mail to:

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