

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**  
**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

<b>Badger Wind, LLC</b> <b>Badger Wind Project</b> <b>Siting Application – McIntosh and Logan</b> <b>Counties</b>	<b>Case No. PU-22-086</b>  <b>BADGER WIND, LLC’S</b> <b>APPLICATION FOR PROTECTION</b> <b>OF INFORMATION</b>
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Pursuant to North Dakota Administrative Code (“NDAC”) § 69-02-09-01, Badger Wind, LLC (“Badger Wind”) submits this application to protect from disclosure certain confidential information filed with the North Dakota Public Service Commission (“Commission”) in the above-captioned matter. The purpose of this application for protection of information is to protect from public disclosure cultural resource location information pursuant to North Dakota Century Code (“NDCC”) § 49-22-26 (“The [C]ommission may limit access to, and release of, information that contains data that specifically identifies the location of cultural, archaeological, historical, or paleontological sites.”).

Specifically, Badger Wind requests that protection be given to the following cultural resource location information, along with associated GIS data:

- Figures 3, 12, 17, 27, 32, 45, 51, 56, 59, and 64, Maps 2, 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6, and 2.7, and the figure included at the end of Appendix B of Late-Filed Exhibit No. 33-A (Updated Class III Cultural Resources Inventory, dated June 27, 2022);
- Figure 1, Maps A – H of Late-Filed Exhibit No. 33-C (Supplemental 2022 Intensive Cultural Resources Inventory, dated June 27, 2022); and
- Table 3 of Late-Filed Exhibit No. 33-E (Intensive Cultural Resource Inventory of Collection Line Reroutes, dated August 2, 2022).

Specifically, Badger Wind requests that the information be available only to the Administrative Law Judge, the Commission, the Commission’s counsel, and the Commission’s siting analysts.

Seven (7) hard copies and electronic versions of the unredacted, nonpublic versions of Late-Filed Exhibit No. 33-A (Updated Class III Cultural Resources Inventory, dated June 27, 2022), Late-Filed Exhibit No. 33-C (Supplemental 2022 Intensive Cultural Resources Inventory, dated June 27, 2022), and Late-Filed Exhibit No. 33-E (Intensive Cultural Resource Inventory of Collection Line Reroutes, dated August 2, 2022) are being provided to the Commission as late-filed exhibits. Also provided is a USB drive containing nonpublic GIS data. Electronic and two (2) hard copies of the redacted public versions of the above-referenced late-filed exhibits are also being provided.

Dated this 26th day of August, 2022.

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