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SHSND Ref: 23-0261 Basin Electric Power Cooperative PGS to Judson 345-kV Transmission Line Project, PU-23-338 in portions of 41 sections in Williams County, North Dakota

Dear Erin,

We reviewed the report for an additional 154.67 acres for the project SHSND Ref: 23-0261 Basin Electric Power Cooperative PGS to Judson 345-kV Transmission Line Project in Williams County, North Dakota. There are no significant sites affected by this project in this area provided site 32WI1187 is avoided and the project otherwise takes place in the location and in the manner described in the documentation.

Thank you for the opportunity to review this project under North Dakota cultural resources consultation. This letter does not serve as federal agency consultation or SHPO consultation for compliance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended, (36 CFR Part 800), or the National Environmental Policy Act, as amended, (42 U.S.C. §§ 4321- 4347).

If you have any questions, please contact Lorna Meidinger, Lead Historic Preservation Specialist at lbmeidinger@nd.gov or (701) 328-2089.

Sincerely,

for William D. Peterson, PhD
Director, State Historical Society of North Dakota

Cc: Damita Engel

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