



May 15, 2026

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

**SHSND Ref.: 26-9033 Dakota Spirit Ag, PU-26-094 in portions [T140N R62W Section 21] in
Stutsman County, North Dakota**

Dear Sir or Madam,

Within the area listed for PU-26-094, there is a significant archaeological site, 32SN50. It is our determination that there are no significant sites affected by this project provided site 32SN50 is avoided by at least 100 feet.

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 Preservationist at lbmeidinger@nd.gov or (701) 328-2089.

Sincerely,

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

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