BLACK HILLS POWER, INC. d/b/a BLACK HILLS ENERGY EL19-006

REQUEST DATE : 02/26/19

RESPONSE DATE : 03/12/19

REQUESTING PARTY: Staff

SDPUC Request No. 1.8:

Does the project site have any prominent features such lakes, rivers, cemeteries, places of historical significance? Transportation facilities, or other public facilities adjacent to or abutting the project site? If so, provide a map showing those features.

Response to SDPUC Request No. 1.8:

The South Dakota State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) does not designate the project site as a place of historical significance. No cemeteries, lakes, prominent features, or public facilities are located within the Project site. Current land use in the Project area ranges from undeveloped, to residential with commercial and industrial development interspersed. The Project does border a tributary drainage of Rapid Creek located approximately 200 feet southwest of the proposed substation and a perennial unnamed stream that will be spanned for the 230kV transmission line. The potential impact to these drainage locations will be mitigated utilizing Best Management Practices, Standard Operating Procedures and a Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan.

Attachments: None

Responder: Tim Rogers