

**BLACK HILLS POWER, INC.**  
SD PUC DOCKET: EL14-061

REQUEST DATE : August 21, 2014  
RESPONSE DATE : September 17, 2014  
REQUESTING PARTY: SDPUC Staff

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**SDPUC Request No. 2:**

Per ARSD 20:10:22:05, please provide a list of “each notification that is required to be made to any other governmental entity.”

**Response to SDPUC Request No. 2:**

As part of the project routing and National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) compliance process, notification has been made to the following governmental entities:

The Department of Agriculture, U.S. Forest Service, Black Hills National Forest,  
The Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management,  
The Advisory Council on Historic Preservation,  
The South Dakota State Historic Preservation Officer, and the Wyoming State Historic Preservation Officer.

Black Hills National Forest, as the lead agency on the NEPA process has also consulted with the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe, Cheyenne/Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma, Crow Creek Sioux Tribe, Eastern Shoshone Tribe, Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe, Fort Peck Agency, Lower Brule Sioux Tribe, Mandan, Hidatsa & Arikara Nation, Northern Arapaho Tribe, Northern Cheyenne Tribe, Oglala Sioux Tribe, Rosebud Sioux Tribe, Santee Sioux Nation, Sisseton-Wahpeton Sioux Tribe, Spirit Lake Sioux Tribe, Standing Rock Sioux Tribe, Yankton Sioux Tribe, S.D. Department of Game, Fish and Parks, S.D. Department of Transportation, S.D. Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), Pennington County, South Dakota, City of Rapid City, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, Environmental Protection Agency, Weston County Commissioners, WY Department of Agriculture – Natural Resources, WY Department of Environmental Quality, WY Department of Transportation, WY Game & Fish Department, WY Office of State Lands & Investments, WY State Geological Society, and WY State Engineer’s Office

**Attachments:** None