

From: Miles Schumacher
Sent: Thursday, November 30, 2023 10:52 AM
To: Thurber, Jon <jon.thurber@state.sd.us>
Cc: Murphy, Brian J. <Brian.J.Murphy@nexteraenergy.com>; Kim Becker <kbecker@lynnjackson.com>
Subject: FW: [EXT] Crowned Ridge transmission line

Jon:

Just forwarding emails from the counties regarding completion of road repairs. Please advise whether you feel these are sufficient. This one is Codington County and Grant County will follow.

Miles



Miles Schumacher

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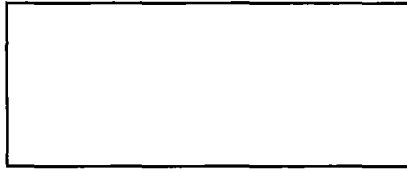
From: cchighway <cchighway@codington.org>
Sent: Thursday, November 30, 2023 9:19 AM
To: Miles Schumacher <mschumacher@lynnjackson.com>
Cc: Waylon Blasius <waylonb@bannerassociates.com>; Mark Junker <markj@bannerassociates.com>
Subject: RE: [EXT] Crowned Ridge transmission line

Mr. Schumacher,

Thank you for reaching out. All roads have been repaired after construction was completed on the transmission line and wind towers. If you need more from Codington County, please let us know.

Thank you

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From: Miles Schumacher <mschumacher@lynnjackson.com>
Sent: Tuesday, November 28, 2023 10:47 AM
To: cchighway <cchighway@codington.org>
Cc: Kim Becker <kbecker@lynnjackson.com>
Subject: [EXT] Crowned Ridge transmission line



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Mr. Rick Hartley:

I am one of the attorneys for Crowned Ridge Wind with regard to the transmission line that runs a short distance in Codington County from the substation in the northeast corner of the county toward Stockholm. One of the conditions for the permit from the Public Utilities Commission was to post a bond to assure that any necessary road repairs were taken care of. Since this project has long been completed the PUC now wants us to apply to have the bond released. Before we appear before the PUC I wanted to check to see whether you can confirm that road repairs associated specifically with this transmission project have been completed. Your response to this email would be much appreciated.
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From: Daren Peterson <daren.peterson@grantcountysd.us>
Sent: Monday, November 27, 2023 10:58 AM
To: Miles Schumacher <mschumacher@lynnjackson.com>
Cc: Kathy Folk <kathy.folk@grantcountysd.us>; Karen Layher <karen.layher@grantcountysd.us>
Subject: RE: Crowned Ridge Transmission Line

Mr. Schumacher,

Kerwin Schultz has retired and I (Daren Peterson) have been the Supt. of Grant County since Nov. of 2022. I have been with the county for 25 years so I know of this project. Everything has been completed in Grant County, SD for road repairs.

Thank You, Daren Peterson, Supt.

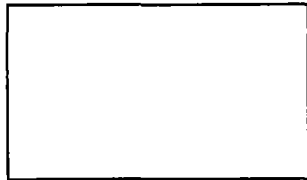
From: Miles Schumacher <mschumacher@lynnjackson.com>
Sent: Monday, November 27, 2023 10:23 AM
To: Kerwin Schultz <kerwin.schultz@grantcountysd.us>
Cc: Kim Becker <kbecker@lynnjackson.com>
Subject: Crowned Ridge Transmission Line

EXTERNAL EMAIL

Mr. Schultz:

I am one of the attorneys for Crowned Ridge Wind with regard to the transmission line that angles from southeast of Stockholm running south of Milbank to the Big Stone II substation east of Milbank. One of the conditions for the permit from the Public Utilities Commission was to post a bond to assure that any necessary road repairs were taken care of. Since this project has long been completed the PUC now wants us to apply to have the bond released. Before we appear before the PUC I wanted to check to see whether you can confirm that road repairs associated specifically with this transmission project have been completed. Your response to this email would be much appreciated.

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CONFIRMATION OF ROAD REPAIRS

The undersigned, as one of the Township Supervisors for Stockholm Township, in Grant County, South Dakota, hereby confirms road repairs associated with the Crowned Ridge Wind transmission line are completed.

Dated 1-18, ²⁰²⁴~~2023~~.

Wade Falk

CONFIRMATION OF ROAD REPAIRS

The undersigned, as one of the Township Supervisors for Troy Township, in Grant County, South Dakota, hereby confirms road repairs associated with the Crowned Ridge Wind transmission line are completed.

Dated 12-10, 2023.



CONFIRMATION OF ROAD REPAIRS

The undersigned, as one of the Township Supervisors for Waverly Township, in Codington County, South Dakota, hereby confirms road repairs associated with the Crowned Ridge Wind transmission line are completed.

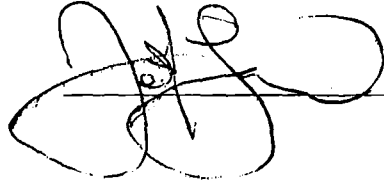
Dated Dan Thyen Chairman, 2023.

Dan Thyen

CONFIRMATION OF ROAD REPAIRS

The undersigned, as one of the Township Supervisors for Alban Township, in Grant County, South Dakota, hereby confirms road repairs associated with the Crowned Ridge Wind transmission line are completed.

Dated 1-12-2024, 2023.



A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of several loops and a long horizontal stroke, positioned above a solid horizontal line.

CONFIRMATION OF ROAD REPAIRS

The undersigned, as one of the Township Supervisors for Madison Township, in Grant County, South Dakota, hereby confirms road repairs associated with the Crowned Ridge Wind transmission line are completed.

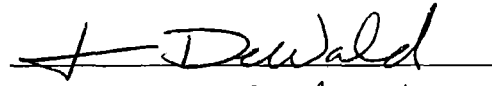
Dated ~~Mark Severson~~¹¹⁻¹², 2023.

Mark Severson
Supervisor

CONFIRMATION OF ROAD REPAIRS

The undersigned, as one of the Township Supervisors for Big Stone Township, in Grant County, South Dakota, hereby confirms road repairs associated with the Crowned Ridge Wind transmission line are completed.

Dated Dec 12, _____, 2023.



Jim DeWald, SUPERVISOR
Big Stone Township

CONFIRMATION OF ROAD REPAIRS

The undersigned, as one of the Township Supervisors for Grant Center Township, in Grant County, South Dakota, hereby confirms road repairs associated with the Crowned Ridge Wind transmission line are completed.

Dated 12-21-2013, 2013.

Debra A. [unclear]
Grant Center Supv.



expire
05-16-2028

Grace Greiner
Notary Public
South Dakota
Grant, County