#### **BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA**

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION BY PREVAILING
WIND PARK, LLC FOR A PERMIT OF
A WIND ENERGY FACILITY IN BON
HOMME COUNTY, CHARLES MIX
COUNTY AND HUTCHINSON
COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA, FOR
THE PREVAILING WIND PARK
PROJECT

### APPLICANT'S RESPONSES TO INTERVENORS' SECOND SET OF DATA REQUESTS EL 18-026

Below, please find Applicant's responses to Intervenors' Second Set of Data Requests to Applicant.

#### **Objections to Definitions**

Prevailing Wind Park objects to the definitions of "You" and "Your". For purposes of these responses, "You" and "Your" shall refer to Prevailing Wind Park, LLC, the applicant in this matter and its parent company, sPower Development Company, LLC, and any employees thereof.

# **2-1**) Provide the application for a Large Wind Energy System Permit You submitted to Bon Homme County.

<u>Peter Pawlowski</u>: The application is available at: https://fredriksonandbyron.sharefile.com/d-sf499da35c754466a

# **2-2**) Provide any application You have submitted to Bon Homme County, Charles Mix County, or Hutchinson County.

<u>Peter Pawlowski</u>: Responsive documents are available at https://fredriksonandbyron.sharefile.com/d-sf499da35c754466a

#### 2-3) What is the modeled noise level and shadow flicker at the Presbyterian-Bohemian Cemetery located at the intersection of 401st Avenue and 295th Street near turbines 48 and 57?

<u>Aaron Anderson</u>: Assuming the figure below shows the Presbyterian-Bohemian Cemetery, the Project will result in approximately 10 hours per year of shadow flicker at the Presbyterian-Bohemian Cemetery using the GE 3.8-137 model.



<u>Chris Howell</u>: The noise modeling for the GE 3.8-137 turbine predicts a sound level from turbines of 33.8 dBA at this location.

2-4) Provide a map that shows the proposed turbines within 2 miles from the residence of Ms. Kelly Pazour (29668 402nd Avenue, Wagner, South Dakota 57380) and the applicable setbacks for those turbines, similar to the map on Page 88 of 156 of Staff Exhibit\_JT-1 in Docket EL18-003 for Ms. Teresa Kaaz (http://puc.sd.gov/commission/dockets/electric/2018/EL18-003/exhibits/staff/sl.pdf).

<u>Bridget Canty</u>: See Attachment 2-4 for turbine locations. For setbacks, see Figure 5 in the Application.

2-5) Provide a map that shows the proposed turbines within 2 miles from the residence of Mr. Jerome Powers (40427 294th Street, Wagner, South Dakota 57380) and the applicable setbacks for those turbines, similar to the map on Page 88 of 156 of Staff Exhibit\_JT-1 in Docket EL18-003 for Ms. Teresa Kaaz (http://puc.sd.gov/commission/dockets/electric/2018/EL18-003/exhibits/staff/sl.pdf).

<u>Bridget Canty</u>: See Attachment 2-5 for turbine locations. For setbacks, see Figure 5 in the Application.

2-6) Provide a map that shows the proposed turbines within 2 miles from the residence of Mr. Kevin Andersh and the applicable setbacks for those turbines, similar to the map on Page 88 of 156 of Staff Exhibit\_JT-1 in Docket EL18-003 for Ms. Teresa Kaaz (<u>http://puc.sd.gov/commission/dockets/electric/2018/EL18-</u>003/exhibits/staff/sl.pdf).

<u>Bridget Canty</u>: See attachment 2-6 for turbine locations. For setbacks, see Figure 5 in the Application.

2-7) Provide a map that shows the proposed turbines within 2 miles from the residence of Mr. Gregg Hubner (29976 406th Avenue, Avon, South Dakota 57315) and the applicable setbacks for those turbines, similar to the map on Page 88 of 156 of Staff Exhibit\_JT-1 in Docket EL18-003 for Ms. Teresa Kaaz (<u>http://puc.sd.gov/commission/dockets/electric/2018/EL18-003/exhibits/staff/sl.pdf</u>).

Bridget Canty: See response to Staff Request DR 2-23.

2-8) Provide a map that shows the proposed turbines within 2 miles from the residence of Mr. Paul Schoenfelder (40228 296th Street, Wagner, South Dakota 57380) and the applicable setbacks for those turbines, similar to the map on Page 88 of 156 of Staff Exhibit JT-1 in Docket EL18-003 for Ms. Teresa Kaaz (http://puc.sd.gov/commission/dockets/electric/2018/EL18-003/exhibits/staff/sl.pdf).

Bridget Canty: See response to Staff Request DR 2-24.

2-9) Appendix T, page 84 email from Jennifer Bell to Bridget Canty on the subject of Prevailing Winds Tribal Meeting dated Monday, March 26, 2018 10:02:20 AM. Please provide any additional correspondence between Kip Spotted Eagle and/or the leadership of the Yankton Sioux Tribe, including any agreements made in regards to cultural discoveries during the construction of the Prevailing Winds Park project.

<u>Lisa Agrimonti</u>: Prevailing Wind Park objects to this request because it is overbroad and ambiguous regarding the parties to the requested communications. Prevailing Wind Park further objects to this request to the extent that it seeks confidential information.

Dated this 24th day of September, 2018.

By: /s/ Lisa M. Agrimonti

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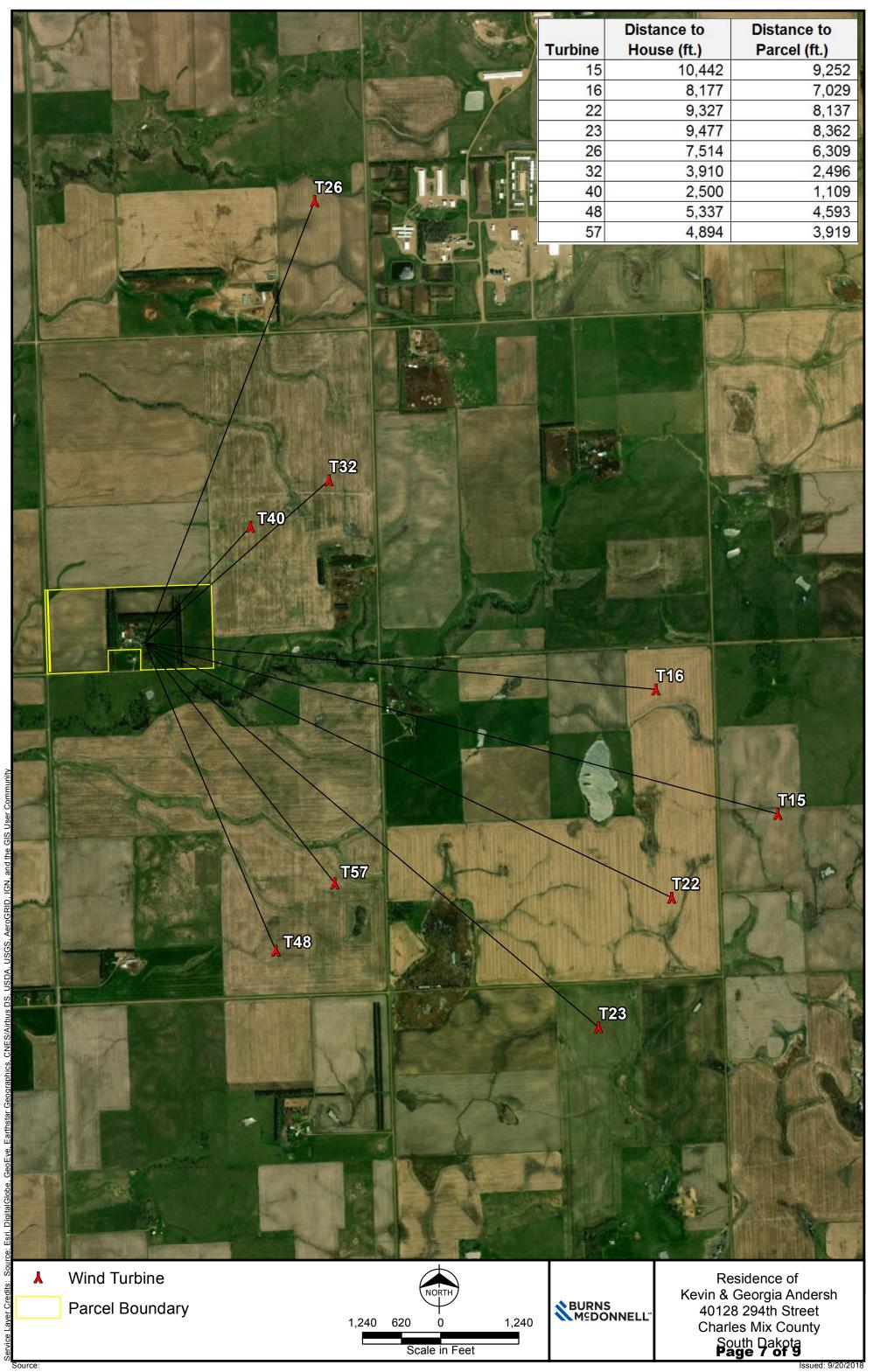
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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Bridget A. Duffus, of Fredrikson & Byron, P.A., hereby certifies that on the 24th day of September, 2018, true and correct copies of the following documents were served electronically on the persons listed below:

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- 2. Certificate of Service.

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