

April 4, 2022

Todd Peterson Montana-Dakota Utilities 400 N 4th Street Bismarck, ND 58501

Re: Lewis & Clark Station, Notification of Statistically Significant Levels Above Ground Water Protection Standards (Spring 2021)

Dear Mr. Peterson:

The Spring 2021 assessment monitoring event at Lewis & Clark Station has resulted in detections of lithium at statistically significant levels above ground water protection standards (GWPS) established under the CCR Rule (40 CFR 257, Disposal of Coal Combustion Residuals From Electric Utilities), § 257.95 (h). The data supporting this determination were received April 15, 2021.

Sincerely,

Paul T. Swenson, P.E.