

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 (Fall 2021)**

Dear Mr. Peterson:

The Fall 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 October 7, 2021.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Paul T. Swenson", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Paul T. Swenson, P.E.