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RE: HP# 1812-035-01; Central Nebraska Public Power and Irrigation District's (Central) Renewal Application for Low Impact Hydropower Institute (Institute): Certification for the Kingsley Dam Hydroelectric Project, North Platte and Platte Rivers (south-central Nebraska): Low Impact Hydropower Institute-Certificate #37

Dear Mr. Hixson:

Thank you for submitting the information for the above referenced project for Nebraska State Historic Preservation Office (NeSHPO) review and comment.

According to the information provided, it is my opinion that Central meets or exceeds the Institute's criteria and standards for Cultural and Historic Resource Protection necessary for the recertification of Kingsley Dam structures located along the North Platte River and Platte River.

This determination is based on the successful channels of communication and Section 106 reporting procedures developed between Central and the NeSHPO. These processes assist Central in proactively identifying and mitigating potential impacts to prehistoric or historic cultural resources either on or eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places caused by future construction projects.

Should you have any questions regarding this determination, please contact this office by phone (402-471-2609) or email (John.Rissetto@nebraska.gov).

Sincerely,



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