## FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20426

OFFICE OF ENERGY PROJECTS

In Reply Refer To: OEP/DG2E/Gas Branch 1 WBI Energy Transmission, Inc. North Bakken Expansion Project Docket No. CP20-52-000

August 3, 2021

VIA FERC Service

Lori Myerchin Director, Regulatory Affairs and Transportation Services WBI Energy Transmission, Inc. PO Box 5601 Bismarck, ND 58506-5601

Re: Variance (V32) Approval

Dear Ms. Myerchin:

I grant your request, filed July 30, 2021, for WBI Energy Transmission, Inc. (WBI Energy) to utilize additional temporary (0.29 acres) and permanent (0.02 acre) workspace at access roads associated with the Elkhorn Creek Compressor Station and the Northern Border Interconnect to conform with county road permit requirements. This variance request (V32) is adjacent to 18th Street NW, in McKenzie County, North Dakota and will not impact sensitive resources.

Your request is in compliance with environmental condition number 5 of the Commission's June 1, 2021 Order Issuing Certificate (Order) in the above referenced docket. We have confirmed WBI Energy's receipt of all necessary federal authorizations relevant to this approval. I remind you that WBI Energy must continue to comply with all applicable terms and conditions of the Commission's Order. If you have any questions regarding this approval, please contact me at 202-502-6856.

Sincerely,

Dawn Ramsey

Environmental Project Manager

Office of Energy Projects

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