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Ms. Barcy McNeal
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Re: Trishe Wind Ohio, LLC, Case No. 13-197-EL-BGN

Dear Ms. McNeal:

The December 16, 2013 Opinion, Order, and Certificate approving Northwest Ohio Wind Energy, LLC's [now known as Trishe Wind Ohio, LLC ("Trishe")] Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need ("Certificate") and the October 1, 2013 Supplement to Amended Application ("Supplement") established a set of conditions and supplemental commitments as part of the Certificate.

Within this set of conditions and commitments, **Supplement Commitment No. 4** requires that:

Applicant will have a vegetation management plan. Prior to commencement of construction, Applicant will submit this plan to OPSB Staff for review and acceptance. The plan will identify all areas of proposed vegetation clearing for the Facility, specifying the extent of the clearing, and describing how such clearing work will be done so as to minimize removal of woody vegetation. The plan will also describe how trees and shrubs around structures, along access routes, at construction staging areas, during operation and maintenance, and in proximity to any other facilities will be protected from damage. Priority will be given to protecting mature trees throughout the Project area, and all woody vegetation in wetlands and riparian areas, both during construction and during subsequent operation and maintenance of all facilities; low-growing trees and shrubs in particular will be protected wherever possible within the proposed right-of-way. The vegetation management plan will also explore various options for disposing of downed trees, brush, and other vegetation during initial clearing for the Facility, and recommend methods that minimize the movement of heavy equipment and other vehicles within the right-of-way that would otherwise be required for removing all trees and other woody debris off site.

Since the area in which the foundation work to be conducted at the substation site will not generally involve the clearing of riparian vegetation, a vegetation management plan will not be required for this phase of the construction. Thus, this letter is to inform the OPSB Staff that Trishe is in compliance with Supplement Commitment No. 4 for the foundation work at the substation.

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If you have any questions please call at the number listed above.

Sincerely,



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