

From: [Kullen, Douglas](#)
To: [Chapin, Allison M.](#)
Cc: [Kullen, Douglas](#)
Subject: FW: Heritage Prairie Wind, Livingston County archaeology report
Date: Tuesday, February 6, 2024 11:30:20 AM

Allison,

FYI.

Doug

From: Kruchten, Jeff <Jeff.Kruchten@Illinois.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, February 6, 2024 11:27 AM
To: Kullen, Douglas <dkullen@burnsmcd.com>
Subject: Heritage Prairie Wind, Livingston County archaeology report

Hi Doug,

Apologies for the delayed response. I have reviewed the report of archaeological survey for the Livingston County portion of this project and concur with all of the determinations and recommendations.

Take care,

Jeff Kruchten
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November 8, 2023

Mr. Jeff Kruchten
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Re: Archaeological Survey Report for Heritage Prairie Wind Project, Livingston County
SHPO Log Number 020040523

Dear Jeff:

This cover letter accompanies submittal of the archaeological survey report for Illinois Generation's Heritage Prairie Wind Project (Livingston County portion). The project is not Federally-permitted, but is subject to IEPA NPDES permitting. The contact person for this project is: Allison Chapin, Burns & McDonnell, 200 West Adams Street, Suite 2700, Chicago, IL 60606 (amchapin@burnsmcd.com, 773-251-7285).

The project is a wind generation facility located east of Dwight. The Livingston County portion of the project covers approximately 2,347 acres. The project generally covers agricultural land, but also crosses ditches, channelized streams, and intersects with existing roadways. The project will include all standard wind farm components including up to 87 turbines in Livingston County. Maximum turbine height is 499 feet, but the APE concerning archaeological sites is defined by standard buffers around areas of ground disturbance. An historical architecture report by Burns & McDonnell is being submitted separately. Please call me at 630-408-2385 with any archaeological questions.

Sincerely,

Burns & McDonnell Engineering Company, Inc.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Douglas Kullen'.

Douglas Kullen, MA, RPA
Senior Cultural Resource Specialist

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cc: Allison Chapin, Burns & McDonnell
Allen Wynn, Pattern Energy
Aleyda Galan, ConnectGen, LLC

From: [Baker, Rita E](#)
To: [Porterfield, Elizabeth I](#)
Cc: [Young, LaDonna](#)
Subject: SHPO #020040523 Heritage Prairie Wind Farm Section 6
Date: Thursday, November 9, 2023 3:41:47 PM

Good afternoon, Elizabeth.

I just completed my review of Section 6 for resources #L-1 through #L-116 and the Cardiff Windshield Survey and I concur with your determination that all of these properties are **not eligible** for NRHP listing.

I also concur with the Campus Windshield Survey that the Sacred Heart Church (including the former rectory and convent school), the Winifred Walsh/John Mamer House and the Charles Walsh house **are all individually eligible** for NRHP listing. I also agree with your **proposed historic district** that includes both sides of E 2700N Road from N 3300E Road (Locust Street/County Hwy 3) to Elm Street and the first two parcels on both sides of Elm Street to the north.

Best,
Rita

Rita Baker

Historian

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From: [Porterfield, Elizabeth I](#)
To: [Baker, Rita E](#)
Cc: [Harris, Brandy M](#); [Chapin, Allison M.](#); [Allen Wynn](#); [Aleyda Galan - ConnectGen LLC \(agalan@connectgenllc.com\)](#)
Subject: Livingston Co., Heritage Prairie Wind, Historic Resources Evaluation - Section 6 submitted for SHPO review
Date: Friday, November 3, 2023 2:50:00 PM

Hi Rita,

The **Section 6** submittal of the Historic Resources Evaluation for the **Heritage Prairie Wind Project** in Kankakee and Livingston Counties has been uploaded to the SHPO's portal link today for SHPO review. Although one additional section of the Project APE in Kankakee County (Section 5) has not yet been submitted to your office for review, at the request of the client to prioritize Livingston County, the current memorandum submittal represents Section 6 of the overall Project APE and documents resources exclusively in Livingston County.

Three additional memorandum submittals regarding subsequent sections of the APE (including the final section [Section 5] of Kankakee County), will follow under separate cover.

Based on an email from C.J. Wallace on 10/03/2023, it's our understanding that your office is no longer requiring hard (paper) copies of reports, but please just let us know if that has changed or if we still need to mail a hard copy.

Thank you so much and have a great weekend!

Elizabeth Porterfield

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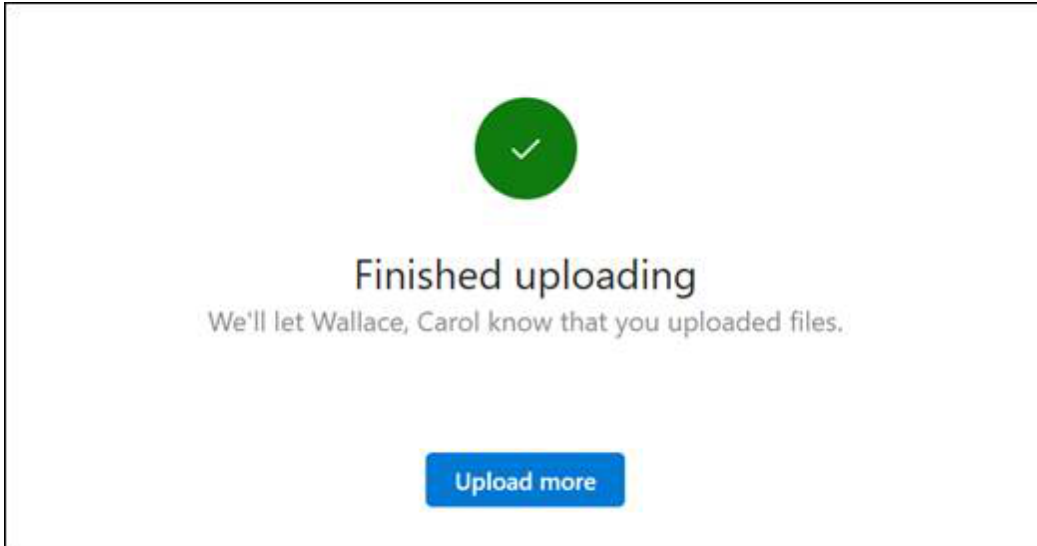
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From: [Porterfield, Elizabeth I](#)
To: [Porterfield, Elizabeth I](#)
Subject: SHPO submittal confirmation - HP6
Date: Friday, November 3, 2023 2:07:39 PM

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From: [Harris, Brandy M](#)
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Subject: Heritage Prairie Wind Farm Section 7 Memo
Date: Monday, February 5, 2024 10:35:00 AM
Attachments: [HPW7_AllAttachments-compressed.pdf](#)
[DRAFT Heritage Prairie Architecture Memo-Section 7_02052024.pdf](#)

Hello,

The **Section 7** submittal of the Historic Resources Evaluation for the **Heritage Prairie Wind Project** in Kankakee and Livingston Counties is attached for SHPO review. Although one additional section of the Project APE in Kankakee County (Section 5) has not yet been submitted to your office for review, at the request of the client to prioritize Livingston County, the current memorandum submittal represents Section 7 of the overall Project APE and documents resources exclusively in Livingston County.

Two additional memorandum submittals regarding subsequent sections of the APE (including the final section [Section 5] of Kankakee County), will follow under separate cover. Please reach out to me directly with any questions or concerns.

Thanks!
Brandy

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From: DNR.SHPO.Review
To: Harris, Brandy M
Subject: Automatic reply: Heritage Prairie Wind Farm Section 7 Memo
Date: Monday, February 5, 2024 10:37:18 AM

Thank you for your submittal to the Illinois State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO).

We are no longer requiring or receiving paper reviews or surveys. All projects must be submitted digitally.

The SHPO response for your project will be found at the SHPO Correspondence Tracking System (CTS) at <https://dnr2.illinois.gov/cts/> to read, download, and/or print our comments (allow 30 days for a SHPO response). SHPO comments for all items linked to your password from 2018 to present are located here.

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