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Ms. Sandra Barnum
Cultural Resources Director
Department of the Army US Army - Engineer District, Omaha
106 South 15th Street
Omaha, NE 68102-1618

Re: **STB Finance Docket No. 33407: Final Historic District Treatment Plan for the Winona & Saint Peter/Dakota Central Railroad Historic District (LBG Report MNSD1)**

Dear Sandra Barnum:

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Mr. Ian Ritchie
Archaeologist
Douglas Ranger District
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Newcastle, WY 82701

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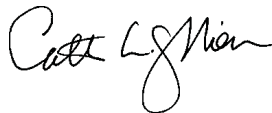
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Rapid City, SD 57701

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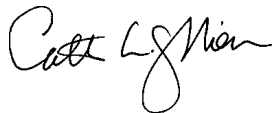
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Historic Preservation Officer
Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma
P.O. Box 145
Concho, OK 73022

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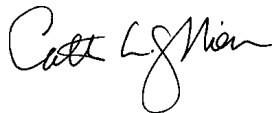
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Acting Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Cheyenne River Lakota Tribe
P.O. Box 590
Eagle Butte, SD 57625

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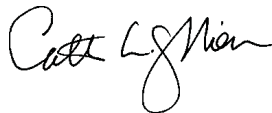
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Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
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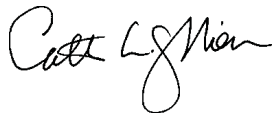
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Eastern Shoshone Tribe
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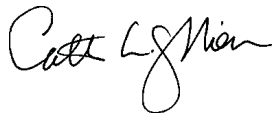
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Kiowa Culture Preservation Authority
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P.O. Box 885
Carnegie, OK 73015

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Ms. Clair Green
Cultural Resource Manager
Lower Brule Sioux Tribe
187 Oyate Circle
Lower Brule, SD 57548

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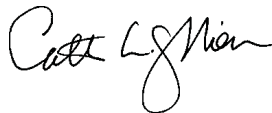
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Ms. Pamela Halverson
Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Lower Sioux Community
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Morton, MN 56270

Re: **STB Finance Docket No. 33407: Final Historic District Treatment Plan for the Winona & Saint Peter/Dakota Central Railroad Historic District (LBG Report MNSD1)**

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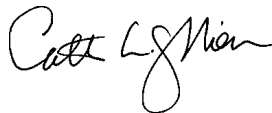
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Mr. David Grignon
Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin
P.O. Box 910
Keshena, WI 54135

Re: **STB Finance Docket No. 33407: Final Historic District Treatment Plan for the Winona & Saint Peter/Dakota Central Railroad Historic District (LBG Report MNSD1)**

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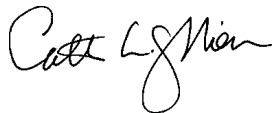
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Ms. Darlene Conrad
Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Northern Arapaho Tribe
P.O. Box 396
Fort Washakie, WY 82514

Re: **STB Finance Docket No. 33407: Final Historic District Treatment Plan for the Winona & Saint Peter/Dakota Central Railroad Historic District (LBG Report MNSD1)**

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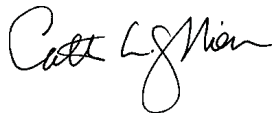
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Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Northern Cheyenne Tribe
P.O. Box 128
Lame Deer, MT 59043

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Mr. Michael Catches Enemy
Historic Preservation Officer
Oglala Lakota Tribe
P.O. Box 320
Pine Ridge, SD 57770

Re: **STB Finance Docket No. 33407: Final Historic District Treatment Plan for the Winona & Saint Peter/Dakota Central Railroad Historic District (LBG Report MNSD1)**

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Mr. Tony Provost
NAGPRA Coordinator
Omaha Tribe of Nebraska
P.O. Box 368
Macy, NE 68039

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Historic Preservation Officer
Pawnee Nation of Oklahoma
P.O. Box 470
Pawnee, OK 74058

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Historic Preservation Officer
Ponca Tribe of Nebraska
P.O. Box 288
Niobrara, NE 68760

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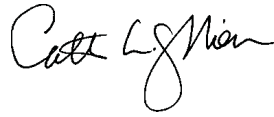
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Mr. Marc Mogan
Cultural Committee
Prairie Island Indian Community
5636 Sturgeon Lake Road
Welch, MN 55089

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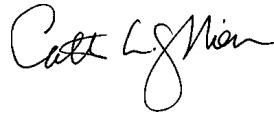
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Mr. Russell Eagle Bear
Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Rosebud Lakota Tribe
P.O. Box 658
Rosebud, SD 57570

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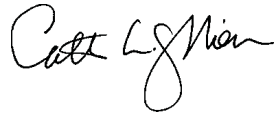
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Mr. Robert Campbell
Treasurer
Santee Sioux Tribe of Nebraska
108 Spirit Lake Avenue West
Niobrara, NE 68760

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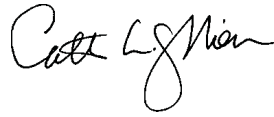
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Mr. Leonard Wabasha
Cultural Committee
Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux (Dakota) Community of Minnesota
2330 Sioux Trail NW
Prior Lake, MN 55372

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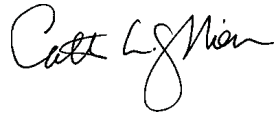
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Ms. Dianne Desrosiers
Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Sisseton-Wahpeton Dakota Nation
P.O. Box 907
Sisseton, SD 57262-0907

Re: **STB Finance Docket No. 33407: Final Historic District Treatment Plan for the Winona & Saint Peter/Dakota Central Railroad Historic District (LBG Report MNSD1)**

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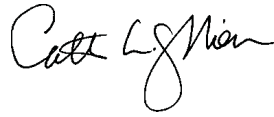
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Mr. William Ambrose Littleghost
Cultural Committee
Spirit Lake Tribe
P.O. Box 359
Ft. Totten, ND 58335

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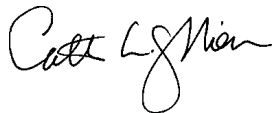
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Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Standing Rock Sioux Tribe
P.O. Box D
Ft. Yates, ND 58538-0522

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Mr. Perry Brady
Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Three Affiliated Tribes (MHA Nation)
404 Frontage Road
New Town, ND 58763

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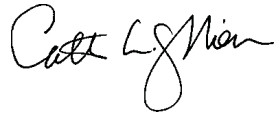
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Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
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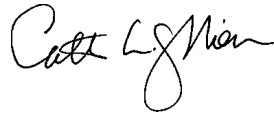
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Mr. Scott Larsen
Board Member
Upper Sioux Indian Community
P.O. Box 147
Granite Falls, MN 56241-0147

Re: **STB Finance Docket No. 33407: Final Historic District Treatment Plan for the Winona & Saint Peter/Dakota Central Railroad Historic District (LBG Report MNSD1)**

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Mr. David Lee Smith
Tribal Historian
Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska
100 Bluff Street, P.O. Box 687
Winnebago, NE 68071

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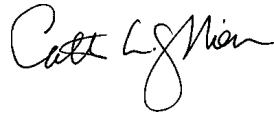
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Ft. Thompson, SD 57339-0050

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Dear Brandon Sazue:

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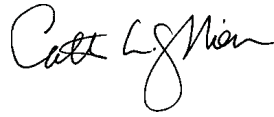
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Mr. Herb Jones
Government Affairs Director
Dakota, Minnesota, & Eastern Railroad
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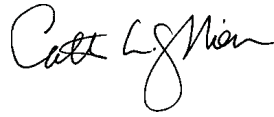
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Archaeologist
Bureau of Land Management
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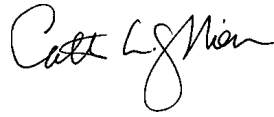
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Mr. Dale Old Horn
Tribal Historic Preservation Officer
Crow Nation
P.O. Box 159
Crow Agency, MT 59022

Re: **STB Finance Docket No. 33407: Final Historic District Treatment Plan for the Winona & Saint Peter/Dakota Central Railroad Historic District (LBG Report MNSD1)**

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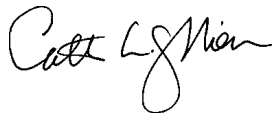
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Lake Andes, SD 57356

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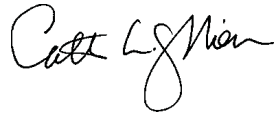
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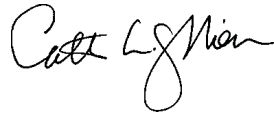
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Archaeologist
Bureau of Land Management-MT Office
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Billings, MT 59101

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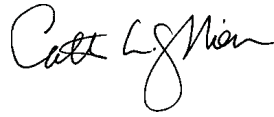
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