

March 02/2023

Utah Public Service Commission

160 East 300 South, 4th Floor

Salt Lake City UT 84111

Re: Wildland Fire Protection Plan Annual Compliance Report

To Whom it may Concern,

Utah Code 54-24-203(3) establishes the process for the electric cooperatives to prepare a wildland fire protection plan. On 01/2021, Bridger Valley Electric Association, in coordination with SWCA Environmental Consultants prepared a wildland fire protection plan. A copy of the action and the wildland fire protection plan was subsequently filed with the Public Service Commission for public inspection as required by 54-24-203 (5) (a) in June 2020.

Additionally, Utah Code 54-24-203 (4) states that an electric cooperative must file an annual report detailing the cooperative's compliance with the approved wildland fire protection plan. This filing confirms That Bridger Valley Electric Association presented the compliance report to its governing authority at a regular board meeting held on 11/22/2022. This report included our actions taken through the course of the year. Trimming the right of ways, breakers put to non reclosing, and raptor guarding as outlined in our Wildland Fire Protection Plan.

Bridger Valley Electric Association has complied with the statutory requirement of 54-24-203 and is available for further questions from the Commission if needed.

Thank You,

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