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March 29, 2023

Mr. Bob Larsen, Operations Manager
Bridger Valley Electric Association, Inc
P.O. Box 399
Mountain View, WY 82939

Re: *Bridger Valley Electric Association's Wildland Fire Protection Plan*; Docket No. 23-022-01

Dear Mr. Larsen:

The Public Service Commission (PSC) received and reviewed Bridger Valley Electric Association's (BVEA) March 2, 2023 filing of its Wildland Fire Protection Plan (WFPP) and Compliance Report ("Report"). Specifically, this annual Report contains a description of the actions taken to mitigate the risks and reduce the probability of wildfire initiation due to the generation and transmission of electricity within BVEA's service area.

The PSC also reviewed the March 21, 2023 comments filed by the Division of Public Utilities (DPU). DPU states that BVEA presented the Report to its governing board on November 22, 2022. The DPU recommends the PSC acknowledge that the WFPP and Report comply with Utah Code Ann. § 54-24-203(4)(b).

Based on the PSC's review of the Report and DPU's recommendation, the PSC acknowledges the Report complies with Utah Code Ann. § 54-24-203(4)(b). In accordance with Utah Code Ann. § 54-24-203(5), the WFPP and Report are available for public inspection at the PSC's offices.

Sincerely,

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg

PSC Secretary

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