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February 10, 2021

RE: NHPA Section 106 Undertaking: Sudbury-Hudson Transmission Reliability Project, Sudbury, Massachusetts: USACE #NAE-2017-01496, MHC #RC.62384, EEA #15703

Dear Mr. Eddins,

This letter is to follow up on my December 4, 2020 phone call and December 9, 2020 email regarding the above named undertaking that the Sudbury Historical Commission (SHC) is reviewing, as a consulting party, under Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended.

By this letter, the Historical Commission of the Town of Sudbury, Massachusetts, formally requests that the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation agrees to become a Consulting Party in this NHPA Section 106 undertaking case. The SHC makes this request because there are numerous procedural issues - as outlined in the attached e106 form – associated with this Section 106 proceeding. Additional information about this undertaking is also attached.

Also, the Sudbury Historical Commission has not yet received a written response from the US Army Corps of Engineers to the Commission's August 17, 2020 letter requesting that the Corps formally recognize the SHC as a Consulting Party.

The Commission thanks the Advisory Council for its attention to our request.

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Sincerely,

Diana E. Warren Vice Chair

Sudbury Historical Commission

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