Environmental Consultants & Contractors

SCS ENGINEERS

April 14, 2020 File No. 27219426.00

Mr. Brian Trower Assistant Director - Electric Services Ames Municipal Electric System 502 Carroll Avenue Ames, Iowa 50010

Subject: Notification Regarding Location Restriction Requirements

Dear Mr. Trower:

The Ames Municipal Electric System operated a Coal Combustion Residual (CCR) surface impoundment that ceased receiving CCR prior to October 19, 2015, qualifying it as an "inactive CCR surface impoundment." In accordance with the federal CCR regulations at 40 CFR §257.100(e)(2)(i), owners or operators of inactive CCR surface impoundments must demonstrate compliance with the Location Restrictions specified in 40 CFR §257.60-64. This demonstration must be completed no later than April 16, 2020.

The inactive CCR surface impoundment did not demonstrate compliance with the Location Restrictions and is therefore complying with the closure requirements as specified in 40 CFR §527.101(b).

Sincerely,

Christine L. Collier, P.E. **Project Manager**

SCS Engineers

(515) 631-6161

ccollier@scsengineers.com

pristing L Collier

Eric J. Nelson, P.E. **Project Director** SCS Engineers (608) 216-7352

enelson@scsengineers.com

CLC/EJN