**Head of [Insert Name of Lead Indian Tribe] Accepting Designation as Lead Indian Tribe for Tribal Consortium [Insert Name of Tribal Consortium] for the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act Section 40101(d) Formula Grant Program**

[Date]

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Dear U.S. Department of Energy Contracting Officer:

As the Head of the [Insert Name of Lead Indian Tribe], I submit this letter in support of the [Insert Name of Lead Indian Tribe] application for grant funding pursuant to “BIL – Preventing Outages and Enhancing the Resilience of the Electric Grid Formula Grants to States and Indian Tribes” (DOE-FOA-0002736), which implements Section 40101(d) of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA), also known as the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL).

[Insert Name of Lead Indian Tribe] is an eligible Indian Tribe to apply to DOE-FOA-0002736. In accordance with its authority under Tribal laws and customs, the [Insert Name of Lead Indian Tribe] accepts designation as the lead Indian Tribe for Tribal Consortium [Insert Name of Tribal Consortium], which includes the following members: [Insert Name of all Members of Tribal Consortium]. As the Lead Indian Tribe for Tribal Consortium [Insert Name of Tribal Consortium], [Insert Name of Lead Indian Tribe] will be the sole Indian Tribe to apply for, receive, and administer the resulting grant agreement on behalf of Tribal Consortium [Insert Name of Tribal Consortium]. [Insert Name of Lead Indian Tribe] is responsible for meeting all grant requirements on behalf of Tribal Consortium [Insert Name of Tribal Consortium].

The Point of Contact for [Insert Name of Lead Indian Tribe] is [Insert Member Name/Contact Info of Lead Indian Tribe].

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