Via U.S. First Class Mail

Todd Cornett, Siting Division Administrator Oregon Department of Energy 550 Capitol St. NE, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Salem, OR 97301

Re: Summit Ridge Wind Farm Preliminary Request for Amendment (pRFA) 6 to the Site Certificate

Dear Mr. Cornett:

On behalf of Aypa Power LLC, Summit Ridge Wind, LLC (Certificate Holder), submits this preliminary Request for Amendment 6 to the Site Certificate (pRFA) for the Summit Ridge Wind Farm (Facility). The Facility is an approved wind energy generation facility consisting of up to 72 turbines, within an approved site boundary of approximately 11,000 acres in Wasco County, Oregon; Phase 1 of construction commenced in August 2020.

In this RFA 6, the Certificate Holder is proposing changes that would support the addition of solar and battery storage to the Facility, increase turbine size and generating capacity, and improve grid reliability by providing multiple sources of renewable and stored energy to the proposed Boyd Ridge substation, while significantly reducing the number of turbines and acreage of the site boundary. An amendment is required to incorporate these changes, consistent with OAR 345-027-0350(3) and (4). All required materials are included with this request. The Certificate Holder will also provide suggested modifications to the Draft Habitat Mitigation Plan, Draft Revegetation and Weed Control Plan, and Draft Wildlife Monitoring and Mitigation Plan, under separate cover.

We look forward to working with you during this amendment process.

If you have any questions, or require further information, please contact me at:

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Sincerely,

Samuel Littlefield

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**Enclosures** 

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