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Mr. Llevando Fisher, President
Northern Cheyenne Tribal Council
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Dear President Fisher

I would like to thank you and your staff for hosting our meetings on 7 Aug 14 and 15 Sep 14. I appreciated you investing some of your limited time speaking with my team and setting up the opportunity to speak directly to your Council. It is my sincere hope that these meetings will allow us to keep the lines of communication open as the Air Force moves forward with the Powder River Training Complex (PRTC) proposal. The comments of the Northern Cheyenne throughout our previous consultations have helped shape the mitigating actions contained in the current programmatic agreement for PRTC. Whether or not the PRTC proposal is approved by the Air Force, we will continue to reach out to the Northern Cheyenne people and their leaders to improve our understanding of their concerns and future plans.

I enjoyed the opportunity to meet with you in person and was honored to address your Council. Please feel free to contact me directly at (605) 385-2801 or 28bw.cc@us.af.mil. If you prefer, your staff can contact my Airspace Manger, Mr. George Stone at (605) 385-1230 or george.stone@us.af.mil, or my natural and cultural resources manager, Mr. John Morgenstern at (605) 385-2690 or john.morgenstern@us.af.mil. Thank you again for your hospitality.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "K-BK" followed by a stylized flourish.

KEVIN B. KENNEDY, Colonel, USAF