

February 26, 2026

Bryan Weimer
Director of Public Works and Development
6924 South Lima Street
Centennial, CO 80112

**RE: Engineer's Certification of No Impact for Floodplain Development Permit
Case No. LE25-003 ASI25-001**

Dear Mr. Weimer,

This letter serves as Certification of No Impact to the Floodplain for the project entitled "Xcel Tline: Pathways Segment 5 Arapahoe County Build. The project is located in Arapahoe County and involves building approximately 18 miles of 345-kV double-circuit transmission line and equipment addition at the Harvest Mile Substation.

The project area lies within a designated Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Special Flood Hazard Area (SFHA), as shown on the Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) Panel No. 08005C0575K for Unincorporated Arapahoe County, dated December 17, 2010. Kiowa Creek Tributary is a drainageway with a tributary area of 130 acres or greater and has a flood hazard area defined by approximate methods. County shows the project area located along Kiowa Creek and within the approximate 100-year floodplain.

No increase in either the floodplain width or water surface elevation will result from the project Pathways Segment 5 Arapahoe County build, located within the approximate 100-year floodplain of the Kiowa Creek Tributary. The size of pole #596 is small compared to the floodplain extent, as detailed in the Technical Memo of Floodplain Delineation Study, dated October 14, 2025.

Sincerely,
Jose Velasquez P.E., CFM.



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