FORM 3

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Last) (First) (Middle) 7001 MT RUSHMORE RD				Relationship of Reporting Issuer (Check all applicable)     Director	Person(s		5. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)				
(Street) RAPID CITY (City)	SD (State)	57709 (Zip)	-		Officer (give title below)  SVP and Cl	Other (specify below)		6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line)  Form filed by One Reporting Person  Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned											
1. Title of Security (Instr. 4)				2. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned (Instr. I)			4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 5)				
Common Stock					0	D					
Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)											
		2. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)		3. Title and Amount of Sounderlying Derivative Sounders, 4)		4. Convers or Exerc	cise	Form:	6. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr.		
			Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	Derivativ Security	ve	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)	5)	

**Explanation of Responses:** 

Remarks:

/s/Amber Gonzales

11/07/2024

\*\* Signature of Reporting

Date

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5 (b)(v).
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## CONFIRMING STATEMENT

This statement confirms that the undersigned has authorized and designated each of Phillip Casey, Amy K. Koenig, and Tom D. Stevens, and Amber Gonzales signing singly, to execute and file on the undersigned's behalf all Forms 3, 4 and 5 (including any amendments thereto) that the undersigned may be required to file with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission as a result of the undersigned's ownership of or transactions in securities of Black Hills Corporation (the "Company"). The authority of Phillip Casey, Amy K. Koenig, and Tom D. Stevens, and Amber Gonzales under this Statement shall continue until the undersigned is no longer required to file Forms 3, 4 and 5 with regard to the undersigned's ownership of or transactions in securities of the Company, unless earlier revoked in writing. The execution of this confirming statement hereby revokes all prior authorizations. The undersigned acknowledges that Phillip Casey, Amy K. Koenig, and Tom D. Stevens, and Amber Gonzales are not assuming, nor is the Company assuming, any of the undersigned's responsibilities to comply with Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, amended.

Date: November 4, 2024 /s/ Sarah Wiltse

Name: Sarah Wiltse