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## **PSC Schedules Public Hearing for Proposed Carbon Dioxide Pipeline Project in Mercer County**

BISMARCK, ND – The North Dakota Public Service Commission (PSC) will hold a public hearing on Monday, July 12, regarding a proposal to construct a carbon dioxide pipeline in Mercer County.

Dakota Gasification Company (DGC) is proposing to construct approximately 6.8 miles of carbon dioxide gas pipeline from DGC's Great Plains Synfuels Plant to six carbon dioxide sequestration well locations. The project would include ancillary facilities such as launching and receiving stations for testing and monitoring equipment, cathodic protection and communication systems, buildings, fencing, and miscellaneous minor structures. Maximum flow rate of the pipeline would be 200 million standard cubic feet per day.

The estimated cost of the project is \$25 million. (Note to the media: A map showing the proposed location of the project has been provided to you for use with any announcements/stories you print.)

### **Details for the public hearing are as follows:**

- **Monday, July 12, 2021 – 8:30 a.m. Central**
- **Energy Wellness Center  
1900 Central Avenue North  
Beulah, ND 58523**

The hearing provides an opportunity for members of the public to contribute to the PSC's official record. Any comments from members of the public must be received at the hearing to be part of the record. People with concerns, questions or support/opposition for the project are encouraged to attend the hearing and present their information. Information received after the hearing will not be part of the official record and cannot be used as a basis for the Commission's decision unless certain additional procedures are followed.

The North Dakota Public Service Commission is a constitutionally created state agency with authority to permit, site and regulate certain business activities in the state including electric and gas

utilities, telecommunications companies, power plants, electric transmission lines, pipelines, railroads, auctioneers, commercial weighing devices, pipeline safety and coal mine reclamation. For more information, contact the Public Service Commission at (701) 328-2400 or [www.psc.nd.gov](http://www.psc.nd.gov).

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