

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Falkirk Mining Company
Revision No. 13, Permit NAFK-9601
Application

Case No. RC-08-640

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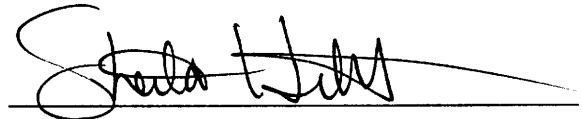
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NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF PERMIT REVISION APPLICATION FOR
SURFACE COAL MINING AND RECLAMATION OPERATIONS

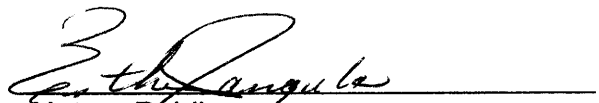
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See Attached Lists

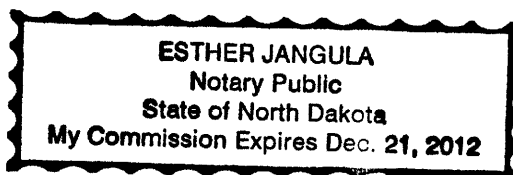
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this 4th day of June, 2009


Notary Public

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NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF REVISION APPLICATION

June 3, 2009

The Falkirk Mining Company has filed the application for Revision No. 13 to Surface Coal Mining Permit NAFK-9601 to revise reclamation plans to change the post-mining land use plans on 428 acres surrounding Coal Lake to recreational use. These lands will be transferred to North Dakota Department of Transportation to mitigate No-Mow acres in McLean County. This revision also updates legal information, other reclamation plans, and other sections of the permit in response to the Commission's latest midterm review of Permit NAFK-9601.

Areas affected by the post-mining land use change are located in:

The W $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 25, SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 26, and N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 35, all in T146N, R82W, McLean County.

The revision application and surface coal mining and reclamation permit may be inspected at:

Public Service Commission
State Capitol
Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0480

McLean County Auditor
County Courthouse
Washburn, North Dakota 58577


You may submit written comments or objections on the proposed permit revision application and its effects on the environment and on surface owners of the land in the permit area. You may request an informal conference with the Commission and the applicant on the revision application. The reasons for requesting an informal conference must be stated in the request. Written comments, objections, or requests for informal conference must be made by August 3, 2009.

If there is an informal conference, you may request a formal administrative hearing on the Commission ruling on the application. Your request for a formal hearing must be made within thirty days of the Commission ruling on the application.

Written comments, objections, or requests for informal conferences should be addressed to the Public Service Commission, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0480.

For more information you may contact the Public Service Commission at 701-328-2400.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



Tony Clark
Commissioner



Kevin Cramer
President



Brian P. Kalk
Commissioner

Mailing lists for Notice of Revision Application - local (McLean County), state and federal agencies and Advisory Committee members

**Use standard lists
Regular First Class, mailing affidavit**

Certified mailings to the following surface owner:

Great River Energy
12300 Elm Creek Blvd.
Maple Grove, MN 55369-4718