

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**Falkirk Mining Company  
Revision No. 21, Permit NAFK-9503  
Renewal No. 3, Permit NAFK-9503  
Application**

**Case No. RC-10-636  
Case No. RC-10-635**

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FIRST CLASS MAIL**

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**

**COUNTY OF BURLEIGH**

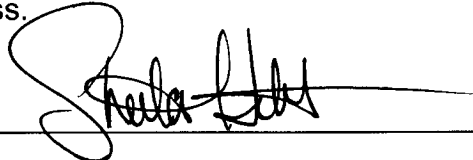
**Sheila Hibel** deposes and says that she is over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action and on, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of **January, 2011**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **23** envelopes by standard first-class mail, postage prepaid, **24** certified mail envelopes, postage prepaid, and **7** inside mail envelopes, all securely sealed and each containing:

**NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF RENEWAL AND REVISION APPLICATIONS  
FOR SURFACE COAL MINING AND RECLAMATION OPERATIONS**

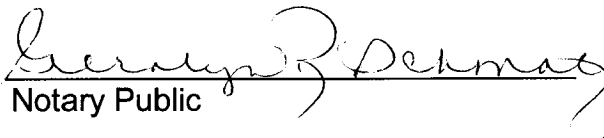
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See Attached Lists

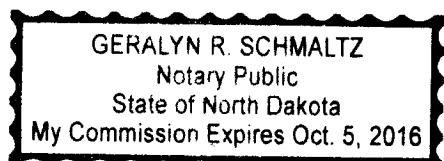
To the best of affiant's knowledge each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

  
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Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 12<sup>th</sup> day of **January, 2011**

  
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Notary Public

**S E A L**




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January 12, 2011<sup>11</sup> 

The Falkirk Mining Company has filed applications to renew and revise Surface Coal Mining Permit No. NAFK-9503 covering lands located in:

All or portions of Sections 7, 8, 18, 19, and 30, T145N, R82W; Sections 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 33, 34, 35, and 36, T145N, R83W; and Sections 4, 5, and 9, T144N, R83W, McLean County, totaling 12,386.4 acres.

The five-year permit renewal will allow Falkirk to continue to operate within the existing permit area until April 17, 2016. The revision identifies the next 5-year coal removal subarea and updates materials in the permit including legal information, environmental resource information, operation plans, and reclamation plans, including the worst-case reclamation cost estimate used for setting the amount of the performance bond. The renewal and revision applications and surface coal mining and reclamation permit may be inspected at:

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

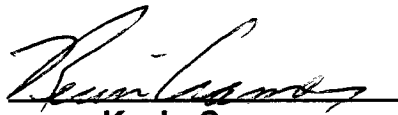
McLean County Auditor  
County Courthouse  
Washburn, North Dakota 58577

You may submit written comments or objections on the proposed permit renewal 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 renewal and revision applications. 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 March 7, 2011.

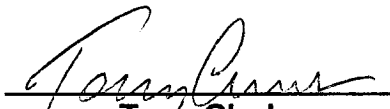
If there is an informal conference, you may request a formal administrative hearing on the Commission ruling on the application. Your request for a formal hearing must be made within thirty days of the Commission ruling on the application.

Written comments, objections, or requests for informal conferences should be addressed to the Public Service Commission, 600 East Boulevard Ave, Dept. 408, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0480. For more information you may contact the Public Service Commission at 701-328-2400; or Relay North Dakota 1-800-366-6888 TTY.

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**



**Kevin Cramer**  
Commissioner



**Tony Clark**  
Chairman



**Brian P. Kalk**  
Commissioner

CERTIFIED MAIL  
SURFACE OWNERS

Great River Energy  
12300 Elm Creek Blvd.  
Maple Grove, MN 55369-4718  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6693**

Mildred Leidholm  
Trustee of the Lloyd Leidholm Testamentary Trust  
9697 58th St SW  
Mott, ND 58646-8897  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6792**

Mildred & Valentine Jahner,  
Life Estate  
Rt. 3, Box 63  
Mott, ND 58646  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6891**

Roger O. Peterson, Life Estate  
2963 5th St. SW  
Washburn, ND 58577-9414  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6709**

Roy B. & Eva Leidholm, Life Estate  
1412 1st Ave.  
Washburn, ND 58577  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6808**

Curtis Jahner  
Rt. 3, Box 63  
Mott, ND 58646  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6907**

Neal Peterson  
Box 107  
Washburn, ND 58577  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6716**

Brian Leidholm  
8455 Offenhauer Dr., Apt. 1728  
Reno, NV 89511  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6815**

Brent Jahner  
1428 1st St. W  
Dickinson, ND 58601  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6914**

Cheryl Gillespie  
2809 Smokey Ln.  
Bismarck, ND 58504-8939  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6723**

Cordell Leidholm  
503 1st St. SW  
Dickinson, ND 58601  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6822**

Thomas W. & David A. Lindell  
P.O. Box 427  
Washburn, ND 58577  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6921**

William Frederick & Patricia Lindell  
P.O. Box 427  
Washburn, ND 58577  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6730**

Glynda Janz  
1208 19th St. SE  
Mandan, ND 58554  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6839**

Milton L. Holznagel Revocable Trust  
c/o Laren Holznagel, Trustee  
Box 372  
Washburn, ND 58577  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6747**

Karen Perkerewicz  
7092 County Rd. 4  
Grafton, ND 58237  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6846**

Marva Deane Finck  
2028 N 4th St.  
Bismarck, ND 58501  
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Dean Leidholm  
1216 Chestnut Dr.  
Washburn, ND 58577  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6853**

Eileen C. Zander  
2806 18th Ave. SW  
Minot, ND 58701  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6761**

Tammy Novak  
c/o Colleen Brazell  
141 Georgia St.  
Bismarck, ND 58501  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6860**

Dwight D. & Denise Gradin  
1117 Kelly Dr.  
Washburn, ND 58577  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6778**

Sharon Rivers  
116 Rollingwood Dr.  
New Bern, NC 28562  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6877**

Sharyn M. Calton  
N 4928 1208th St.  
Prescott, WI 54021  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6785**

Dwayne Leidholm  
623 Loyal Ave.  
Hillsboro, ND 58045  
**7009 2820 0002 9236 6884**

**FALKIRK MINING COMPANY**

**Falkirk Mine - McLean County  
Standard First Class Mail**

LEWIS & CLARK REGIONAL  
DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL  
200 1<sup>st</sup> AVE NW, STE B  
MANDAN ND 585554-3109

MS BEV PETERSON  
3959 7<sup>TH</sup> STREET SW  
WASHBURN ND 58577

COUNTY COMMISSION  
COUNTY AUDITOR  
712 5<sup>th</sup> AVE  
WASHBURN ND 58577

SOUTH MCLEAN SCS  
DISTRICT CONSERVATIONIST  
PO BOX 537  
TURTLE LAKE ND 58575-0537

HONORABLE ELMER MILLER  
MAYOR OF WASHBURN  
PO BOX 467  
WASHBURN ND 58577-0467

HONORABLE RICK OLSON  
MAYOR OF UNDERWOOD  
PO BOX 168  
UNDERWOOD ND 58576-0168

LYNN OBERG  
WATER RESOURCE DISTRICT  
1237 RIVERSIDE LN  
WASHBURN ND 58577

PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION  
COUNTY AUDITOR  
712 5<sup>TH</sup> AVE  
WASHBURN ND 58577

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ND FOREST SERVICE  
MOLBERG CENTER  
307 1<sup>ST</sup> STREET EAST  
BOTTINEAU ND 58318

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ND GEOLOGICAL SURVEY  
600 EAST BOULEVARD  
BISMARCK ND 58505-0840  
(701) 224-2985

MR MERLAN PAAVERUD (INSIDE MAIL)  
STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF ND  
612 EAST BOULEVARD AVE  
ND HERITAGE CENTER  
BISMARCK ND 58505-0830

MR TODD SANDO (INSIDE MAIL)  
ND WATER COMMISSION  
900 EAST BOULEVARD  
BISMARCK ND 58505  
(701) 224-2750  
FAX 328-9721  
(701) 328-9715

MR TERRY STEINWAND (INSIDE MAIL)  
ND GAME & FISH DEPT  
100 NORTH BISMARCK EXPRESSWAY  
BISMARCK ND 58505  
(701) 221-6300

MR DAVE GLATT (INSIDE MAIL)  
ND HEALTH DEPT  
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SECTION  
GOLD SEAL CENTER  
918 E DIVIDE AVE  
BISMARCK ND 58501-1947  
(701) 224-2354

Scott Hochhalter  
ND Soil Conservation Committee  
2718 Gateway Ave., Unit #104  
Bismarck, ND 58503

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1595 WYNKOOP ST  
DENVER CO 80202-1129

MR PAUL J. SWEENEY  
NTRL RESRC CONSERVE SVC  
PO BOX 1458  
BISMARCK ND 58502-1458

MINING HEALTH & SAFETY ADMN  
CMSHA - US DEPT OF LABOR  
PO BOX 25367  
DENVER CO 80225-5367

MR JEFF TOWNER  
US FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE  
3425 MIRIAM AVENUE  
BISMARCK ND 58501-7926

MR DON PETERSON  
NATL FARMERS ORGN  
GASCOYNE ND 58629

MR JOHN MITTLEIDER  
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PO BOX 2793  
BISMARCK ND 58502-2793

DAKOTA RESOURCE COUNCIL  
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DICKINSON ND 58602-1095

MS GWEN THOMPSON  
CHAIRPERSON FOR DRC COAL COMM  
2010 E CAPITOL AVE #10  
BISMARCK ND 58501-2257

US ARMY CORP OF ENGINEERS  
ND REGULATORY FLD OFC  
1513 S 12 STREET  
BISMARCK ND 58504

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TNT STATE OFFICE  
5001 SOUTHGATE DR  
BILLINGS, MT 59101-4669

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MINOT AIR FORCE BASE  
MINOT ND 58705-5000

DAKOTA RESOURCE COUNCIL  
103½ SOUTH 3<sup>RD</sup> STREET  
BISMARCK ND 58501

Nick Chevance, Environmental Coordinator  
Planning & Compliance Office  
National Park Service, Midwest Region  
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Omaha, NE 68102-4226

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ND FARMERS UNION  
PO BOX 2136  
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