

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**BakkenLink Pipeline, LLC
Crude Oil Pipeline – Williams to Billings Counties
Public Convenience And Necessity**

Case No. PU-13-901

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

January 29, 2014

On December 16, 2013, BakkenLink Pipeline, LLC, filed an application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to construct and operate a 132-mile, bi-directional crude oil pipeline and other facilities to be used for the transport of crude oil from near Tioga (Beaver Lodge), North Dakota, to a crude oil rail loading facility near Fryburg, North Dakota. The pipeline will be located in Williams, McKenzie, Stark, and Billings Counties, North Dakota. BakkenLink Pipeline, LLC, requests a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a for-hire carrier.

The issues to be considered in this matter are:

1. Whether public convenience and necessity will be served by the construction and operation of the crude oil pipeline and other facilities.
2. Whether the applicant is fit, willing, and able to provide service.

Those interested are invited comment on the application in writing. Persons desiring a hearing must file a written request identifying their interest in the proceeding and the reasons for requesting a hearing. Comments and requests for a hearing must be received by **March 2, 2014**. If deemed appropriate, the Commission can determine this matter without a hearing.

For more information, contact the Public Service Commission, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505, 701-328-2400; or Relay North Dakota 1-800-366-6888 TTY. If you require any auxiliary aids or services, such as readers, signers, or braille materials, please notify the Commission at least 24 hours in advance.

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