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I will schedule both papers for Friday, November 14.

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North Dakota Newspaper Association

Please have the attached Notice of Filing and Notice of Informal Hearing and Notice of Opportunity for Hearing with Map published one time as a legal publication, in the next issue of the following newspapers:

Dickinson Press  
Morton County and Mandan News

The map must be published as is. Please publish the map in the size of two or three columns wide. If you cannot publish the map as requested, please let me know as soon as possible.


Do not publish in the classifieds. Please run it as a "News Item Only" article as well.

Send the bill to the Public Service Commission along with a tear sheet for billing purposes.

Please confirm via email that you received this request.

If you have any questions or cannot open the files, please call me at 328-4076 or email.

Thank you.

  
*Kathy Acker*  
Administrative Assistant

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**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

**Sunflower Wind Project, LLC  
Wind Energy Conversion Facility – Stark & Morton  
Siting Application**

**Case No. PU-14-105**

**NOTICE OF FILING AND NOTICE OF INFORMAL HEARING AND  
NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING**

**November 6, 2014**

On June 25, 2014 the Commission issued Certificate of Site Compatibility No. 39 to Sunflower Wind Project, LLC authorizing construction of a 110 MW Sunflower Wind Energy Project, LLC using either of two site plans consisting of up to 55 Vestas V-110 2.0 MW turbines or 59 General Electric 1.85-87 turbines and associated facilities in Stark and Morton Counties of North Dakota.

On October 16, 2014, Sunflower Wind Project, LLC filed an application for a third site plan option consisting of up to 55 Vestas V-100 2.0 MW turbines and associated facilities in revised locations within the previously-designated project area shown on the attached map. On November 6, 2014 the Commission deemed the application complete.

Those interested are invited to comment in writing. Persons desiring a hearing must file a written request identifying their interest in the proceedings and the reasons for requesting a hearing. **Comments and requests for hearing must be received by December 18, 2014.** If deemed appropriate, the Commission can determine this matter without a hearing.

An **Informal Hearing** on the application for a third site plan option is scheduled to begin **on December 16, 2014 at 1:30 p.m. CST at the Commission Hearing Room, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor, State Capitol, 600 E Boulevard Ave, Bismarck, ND, 58501-0480.** The issues to be considered are:

1. Will the location, construction, and operation of the proposed facilities produce minimal adverse effects on the environment and upon the welfare of the citizens of North Dakota?
2. Are the proposed facilities compatible with the environmental preservation and the efficient use of resources?
3. Will the proposed facility locations minimize adverse human and environmental impact while ensuring continuing system reliability and integrity and ensuring that energy needs are met and fulfilled in an orderly and timely fashion?

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.

**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

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**Randy Christmann  
Commissioner**

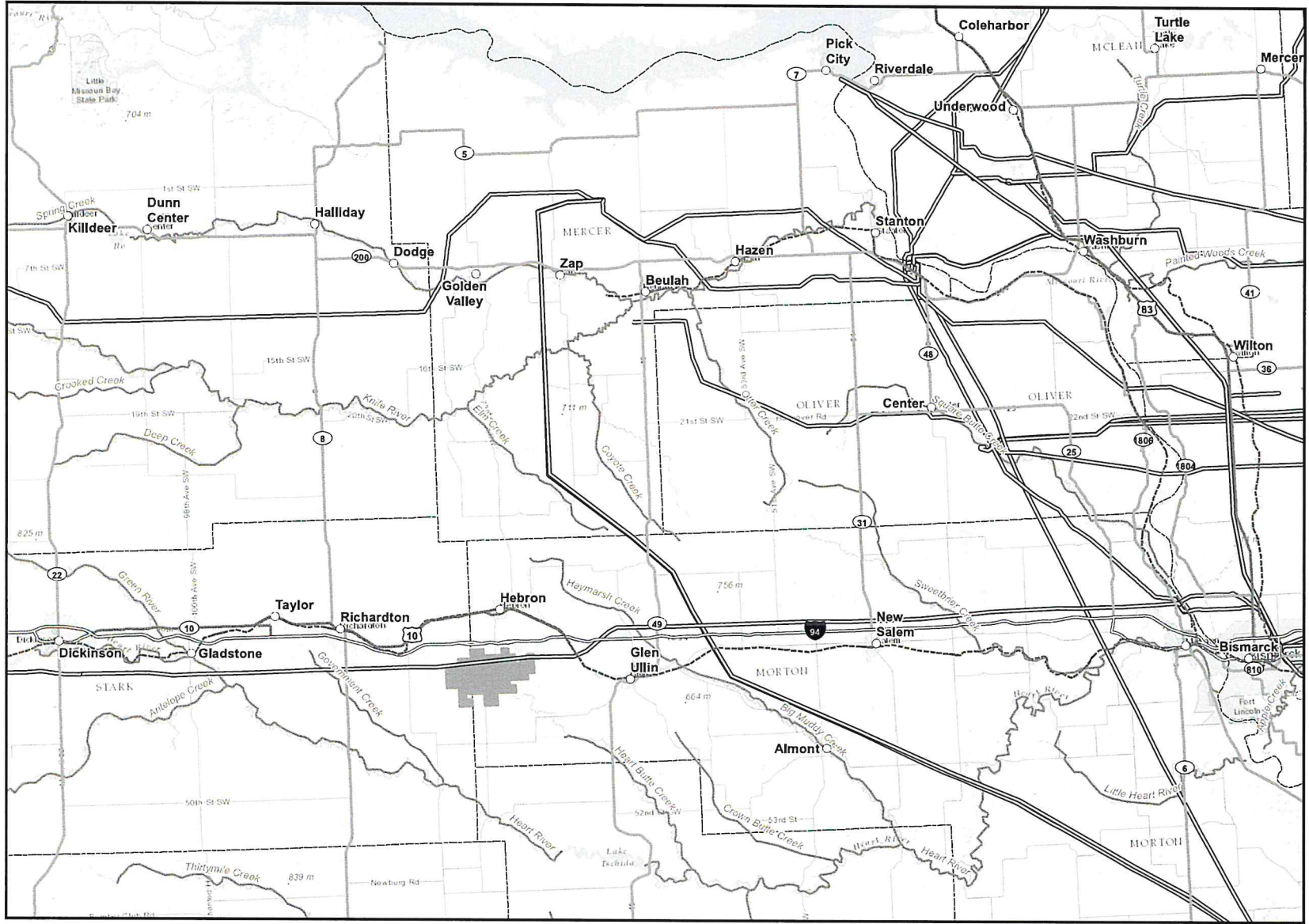
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**Brian P. Kalk  
Chairman**

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**Julie Fedorchak  
Commissioner**


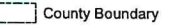

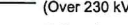
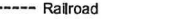
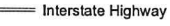
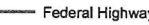


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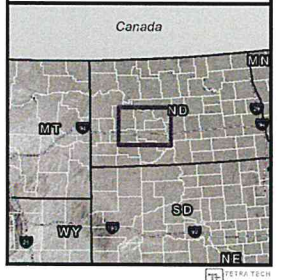
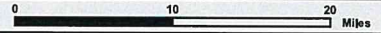
# Sunflower Wind Project Application for North Dakota Certificate of Site Compatibility

## Figure 1 Project Location

Morton and Stark Counties, ND  
February 2014

-  Project Area
-  County Boundary
-  Existing Transmission Line (Over 230 kV)
-  Railroad
-  Interstate Highway
-  Federal Highway
-  State Highway
-  Stream or River
-  City/Town

1:480,000 WGS84 UTM Zone 13N



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