

**STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA**  
**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

Falkirk Mining Company  
Revision No. 38, Permit NAFK-8405  
Approval

Case No. RC-18-20

**NOTICE OF PERMIT REVISION APPROVAL**

**October 24, 2018**

**Preliminary Statement**

On January 5, 2018, Falkirk Mining Company filed an application for Revision No. 38 to Permit No. NAFK-8405 to add 1680.1 acres to the permit for the Falkirk Mine. The revision also includes plans for mining 160 acres of federal coal that is located within the addition area. The acreage added to the permit is located in portions of Sections 3, 4, 5, 8, 9 and 10, T146N, R82W in McLean County and the federal coal to be mined is located in the NE1/4 of Section 10 of the addition area. The permit revision updates all relevant operations and reclamation plans in the permit and the stand-alone Ground Water Hydrology and Reclamation Bond/Cost sections of the permit.

The Commission has completed its review of the revision application and has conditionally approved the permit revision. The revision will give Falkirk Mining Company the right to conduct mining operations on the land and to modify the mining and reclamation plans in Permit NAFK-8405 as described in Revision No. 38.

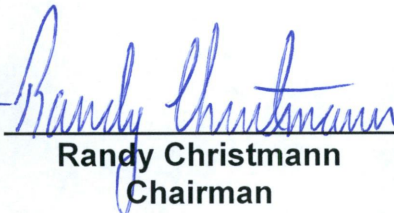
**Notice**

Any person with an interest, which is or may be adversely affected by this permit revision approval, may request a formal hearing with the Commission within thirty days of the publication of this notice. The request should be addressed to the Public Service Commission, 600 East Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 408, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0480.

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