

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**Westmoreland Beulah Mining, LLC
Permit Transfer, Permit KRSB-8802
Application**

Case No. RC-20-155

RE-NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF PERMIT TRANSFER APPLICATION

July 28, 2021.

Westmoreland Beulah Mining, LLC has filed an application to obtain Surface Coal Mining Permit KRSB-8802 from Dakota Westmoreland Corporation. This permit covers lands located in:

All or portions of Sections 7, 8, 17, 18, 19, and 20 of T143N, R87W, Oliver County; and, Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 24 of T143N, R88W, Mercer County, containing 4,905.9 acres.

This is the same notice that was originally sent May 28, 2021. The notice was originally published in the Beulah Beacon and Bismarck Tribune in June 2021. The notice is now being re-published in the Beulah Beacon and Bismarck Tribune, and published in the Center Republican as required by NDCC 38-14.1-18(1).

The application proposes to transfer the existing permit from the current permittee, Dakota Westmoreland Corporation, to Westmoreland Beulah Mining, LLC. Westmoreland Beulah Mining, LLC. will be both the permittee and operator for this permit at the Beulah Mine and will assume all the regulatory obligations previously held by Dakota Westmoreland Corporation.

The transfer application and current surface coal mining and reclamation permit may be inspected at the Office of the Director, Reclamation Division, Public Service Commission, 600 East Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 408, Bismarck, North Dakota and the Office of the County Auditor, Mercer County, Stanton, North Dakota and the Office of Oliver County Auditor, Oliver County, Center, North Dakota. A DVD copy of the transfer application may also be requested by contacting the Public Service Commission at (701) 328-2400 or ndpsc@nd.gov or by sending a written request.

You may submit written comments or objections on the proposed permit transfer application and its effects on the environment and on surface owners of the land in the permit area. Written comments or objections must be filed by September 20, 2021 and 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.

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