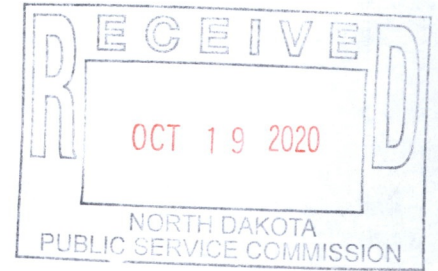




October 15, 2020



Mr. Dean K. Moos
Reclamation Director
ND State Public Service Commission
600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505

RE: Technical Review Responses for Revision 32 to Permit NAFK-9503

Dear Mr. Moos:

Falkirk submits the following responses to the technical review of the application for Revision No. 32 to Surface Coal Mining Permit NAFK-9503 for The Falkirk Mine in your letter dated October 14, 2020.

Cover Letter for Revision 32 to Permit NAFK-9503

- 1. Second paragraph in the cover letter incorrectly states that 9.4 acres be removed from the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 18. Please revise the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 18 to the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 18 and resubmit the application cover letter. (JAR/BEB/PJR)*

Please see the enclosed updated application cover letter.

1.1.2 – Revision Summary Pages

- 2. The first sentence in the Introduction narrative incorrectly states that Revision 32 to NAFK-9503 requests 9.4 acres be removed from the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 18. Please revise the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 18 to the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 18. (JAR/BEB/PJR)*

Please see updated Section 1.1.2, Revision Summary Pages.

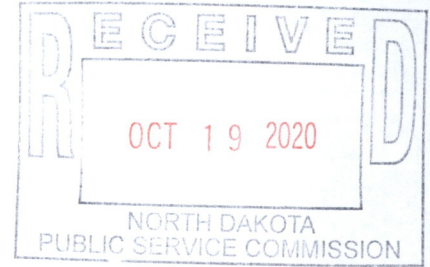
Sincerely,

THE FALKIRK MINING COMPANY

Jason Frye
Environmental Specialist

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Falkirk's response to the technical review letter
Falkirk Mining Company
Jason Frye



September 22, 2020

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RE: Revision 32 to Permit NAFK-9503

Dear Mr. Moos:

Enclosed please find three (3) DVDs comprising Revision 32 to Falkirk's Mining Permit NAFK-9503 and the application form for the revision to delete undisturbed acreage from a permit.

Revision 32 to NAFK-9503 requests 9.4 acres be removed from the NW ¼ of Section 18, T145N, R82W through an application for revision to delete undisturbed acreage. Updated information includes introductory information and legal information. Any remaining sections and maps effected by the deletion will be updated in Revision 33, Renewal #5. Falkirk is not requesting to reduce the current bond amount.

If you have any questions, please call me at 250-2603.

Sincerely,

THE FALKIRK MINING COMPANY

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