

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION RENEWAL TO A SURFACE MINE PERMIT

Please take notice that Dakota Westmoreland Corporation, PO Box 39, Beulah, North Dakota 58523, has made application to the North Dakota Public Service Commission for Renewal No. 7 to Surface Coal Mining Permit KRSB-8603.

The permit area is located in Sections 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, and 23, T.143N., R.88W., Mercer County, North Dakota. The precise location and boundaries of the permit area are depicted on the accompanying map.

Permit KRSB-8603 encompasses 3,878.2 acres for coal excavation, mining and associated disturbance activities in support thereof. Renewal No. 7 updates the current permit to reflect changes necessary for the next permit term including the legal and financial sections, general operations and reclamation plans. Renewal No. 7 will allow mining and reclamation activities to continue during the next five-year permit term ending August 7, 2026

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, a copy of Dakota Westmoreland Corporation's permit renewal application will not be available for inspection at the Public Service Commission, State Capitol, Bismarck, ND, or the Mercer or Oliver County Auditor's office. Those wishing to review the renewal application may request a copy by contacting the Public Service Commission at 701-328-2400 (877-245-6685 toll free) or [ndpsc@nd.gov](mailto:ndpsc@nd.gov), or by sending a written request to: Public Service Commission, 600 East Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 408, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0480, within 30 days after the last publication of this notice.

Any persons with an interest which is or may be adversely affected may file written comments, objections, or request an informal conference on the permit renewal application with the North Dakota Public Service Commission, 600 East Boulevard, Dept. 408, Bismarck, North Dakota, 58505-0480, within 30 days of the last publication of this notice.

The legal description and names of the apparent surface owners of land included within the permit area are as follows:

### T.143N., R88W., Mercer County

<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>SURFACE OWNER(S)</u>	<u>COAL OWNER(S)</u>
S½, Sec. 15	Faye L. Keogh Revocable Trust	Robert A. Keogh Robert A. Keogh Mineral Trust Faye Keogh Revocable Trust Claire C. Schwalbe
NE¼, Sec. 19	Casey Voigt Casey and Julie Voigt *Subject to Contract for Deed from: Shawn and Maria Voigt, Karmen and Craig Eslinger, Donalda Voigt, and Kenneth Voigt	Patience & Calvin Saylor Casey & Julie Voigt Kari & Michael Trappen Karmen & Craig Eslinger Dean Voigt Donalda Voigt Kenneth Voigt Shawn & Maria Voigt
N½, Sec. 21	Sharon Winkler Joan Miller	Sharon Winkler Joan Miller
NE¼, Sec. 22	Terence Schmidt	United States of America
NW¼, Sec 22	Ron and Janice Gunsch Janice & Marvin Sigman Sylvia & Dalton Zeiszler	United States of America

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 22	Vergene Christianson	United States of America
E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 22	Ron and Janice Gunsch	United States of America
W $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 22	Rita Schmidt Bonnita Schmidt Debra (Schmidt) Hoerer Darla (Schmidt) Ratzak Gene Schmidt Candida (Schmidt) Rhoades	United States of America
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 23	Terence Schmidt	Terence Schmidt Tammy Schmidt
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Sec. 23	Terence Schmidt	Julia K. Allison Carl Bauer John Bauer  Joan Brown  Karen P. Dietz  Margianna L. Hunt  Nancy Weigel Jensen  Kathy M. Leber  Kathleen McCrary  Susan McCrary  Cheryl McFadden  David M. Pantermuehl  John Pantermuehl  Roland M. Pantermuehl  Barbara Ann Teed  Eugene Arnold Weigel Karel M. Weigel Janice P. Ziegler
N $\frac{1}{2}$ , Sec. 29	Lyle & Patricia Winkler	Lyle & Patricia Winkler

