



Affidavit of Publication

Colleen Park, being duly sworn, states as follows:

1. I am the designated agent, under the provisions and for the purposes of, Section 31-04-06, NDCC, for the newspapers listed on the attached exhibits.
2. The newspapers listed on the exhibits published the advertisement of: **Public Service Commission - Dakota Gasification Company; Case No. PU-21-150; 1 or 2** time(s) as required by law or ordinance.
3. All of the listed newspapers are legal newspapers in the State of North Dakota and, under the provisions of Section 46-05-01, NDCC, are qualified to publish any public notice or any matter required by law or ordinance to be printed or published in a newspaper in North Dakota.

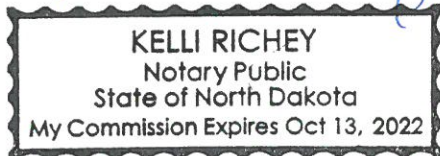
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State of North Dakota

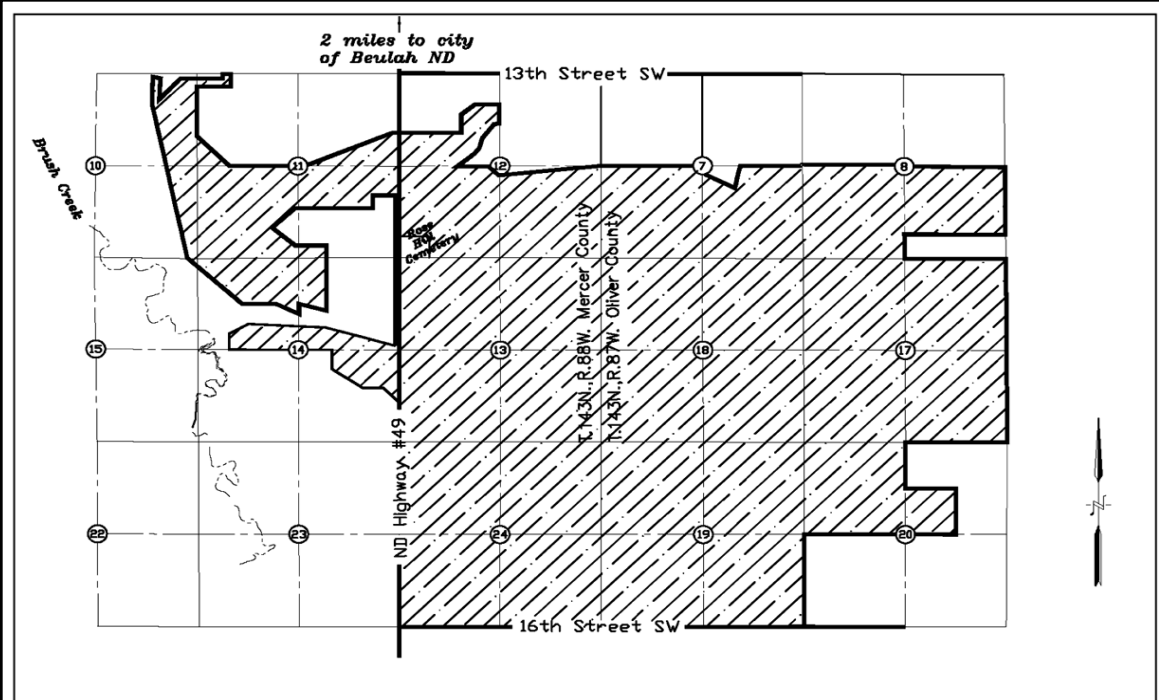
County of Burleigh

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of July, 20 21.

Kelli Richey



Public Notices



KRSB-8802 Permit - Public Notice - Permit Transfer

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TRANSFER, SALE OR ASSIGNMENT OF RIGHTS GRANTED UNDER AN APPROVED SURFACE COAL MINING AND RECLAMATION OPERATIONS PERMIT

Please take notice that WESTMORELAND BEULAH MINING LLC, PO Box 39, Beulah, ND 58523 has filed an application to the North Dakota Public Service Commission for Application for Transfer, Sale or Assignment of Rights Granted Under an Approved Surface Coal Mining and Reclamation Operations Permit.

The permit area, KRSB-8802, is located in Sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 24 T143N, R88W, Mercer County, North Dakota and Sections 7, 8, 17, 18, 19 and 20 T143N, R87W, Oliver County, North Dakota. The precise location and boundaries of the permit area are depicted on the accompanying map.

This application for transfer, sale or assignment of rights granted under an approved surface coal mining and reclamation operations permit encompasses 4,905.9 acres in Permit KRSB-8802 issued to Dakota Westmoreland Corporation for coal excavation, mining and associated disturbance activities in support thereof. Coal removal has been completed from this permit area but final reclamation of portions of the permit area remains to be completed. A number of facilities (shop/office, coal dump, haulroads, etc) are also being used to support mining in another permit area.

A copy of the application for transfer, sale or assignment of rights of a surface coal mining permit is available for public inspection at the Office of the Director, Reclamation Division, Public Service Commission, 600 East Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 408, Bismarck, North Dakota and the Office

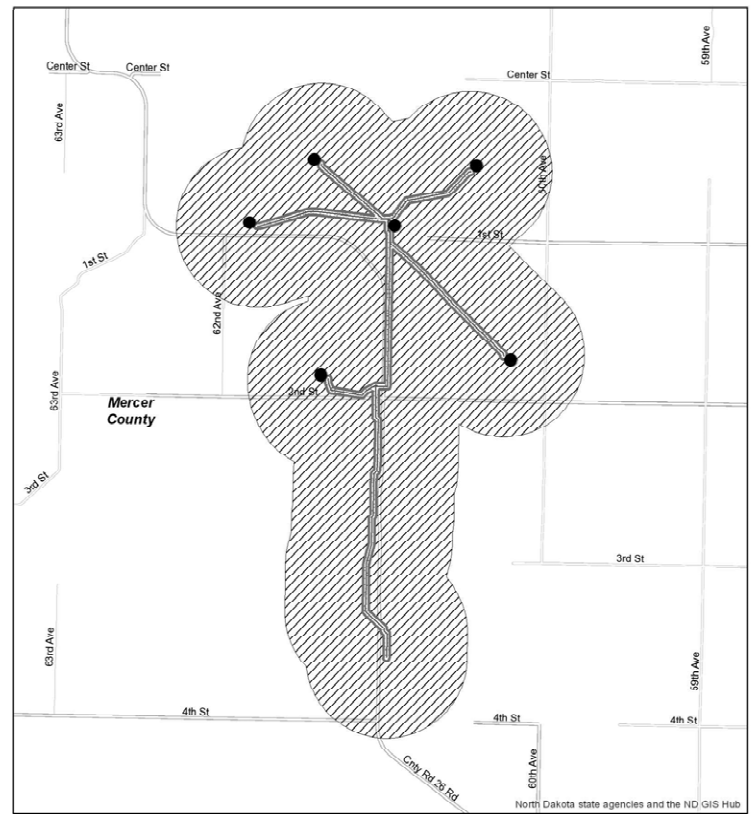
of the County Auditor, Mercer County, Stanton, North Dakota and the Office of Oliver County Auditor, Oliver County, Center, North Dakota. This application is available for public inspection therein during normal business hours. A DVD copy of the application may also be requested by contacting the Public Service Commission at (701) 328-2400 or ndpsc@nd.gov or by sending a written request.

Any person with an interest which may be adversely affected may file written comments, objections, or request an informal conference on the application with the North Dakota Public Service Commission within 30 days of the last publication of this notice. Any request for informal conference must include the reasons for the request.

The legal description and names of the apparent surface and subsurface mineral owners of land included with the area applied for are as follows:

Mercer County, T.143N., R.88W.			Oliver County, T.143N., R.87W.		
SECTION	LOCATION	SURFACE OWNER(S)	SECTION	LOCATION	SURFACE OWNER(S)
10	E1/2E1/2	Westmoreland Beulah Mining LLC Otter Tail Power Co. Northern Municipal Power Agcy. Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. Northwestern Energy	7	S1/2	Dennis Neuberger
11	W1/2	Westmoreland Beulah Mining LLC Otter Tail Power Co. Northern Municipal Power Agcy. Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. Northwestern Energy	8	SW1/4, SE1/4	Tjay Gustafson
11	NE1/4	Otter Tail Power Co. Northern Municipal Power Agcy. Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. Northwestern Energy	17	SW1/4, SE1/4	William & Miles Heth
11	SE1/4	Westmoreland Beulah Mining LLC Otter Tail Power Co. Northern Municipal Power Agcy. Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. Northwestern Energy	17	N1/2	Westmoreland Beulah Mining LLC
12	NW1/4	Allegra & Leroy Boeckel	18	NW1/4	Leland Erickson, Michael C. Bergquist, Gerald Bergquist
12	SE1/4	Abbey Family Partnership	18	NE1/4	E. Wayne Boland, Joseph Edward Reich, Stephanie Ann Keltner,
12	SW1/4	Westmoreland Beulah Mining LLC Otter Tail Power Co. Northern Municipal Power Agcy. Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. Northwestern Energy	18	SW1/4	Bertha, Faith & Faye LLC
13	NW1/4, NE1/4, N1/2S1/2	Darrell Herman	18	SE1/4	Jerome & Jane Boeshans
13	S1/2S1/2	Karen Heth	19	NE1/4, SE1/4	William & Miles Heth
14	N1/2	Westmoreland Beulah Mining LLC Otter Tail Power Co. Northern Municipal Power Agcy. Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. Northwestern Energy	19	NW1/4	Marleen Schnaidt
14	SE1/4	Jonathan W.A. Liebelt Estate	19	SW1/4	Mary Margaret Wolf
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(6-3-21)(6-10-21)(6-17-21)(6-24-21)



Dakota Carbon Pipeline Project

Proposed Well Locations
Pipeline Routes
200' PSC Corridor
Study Area

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION Dakota Gasification Company Carbon Dioxide Gas Pipeline - Mercer County Siting Application

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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
Randy Christmann, Commissioner
Julie Fedorchak, Chair
Brian Kroshus, Commissioner
(6-17-21)(7-8-21)

IN DISTRICT COURT, MERCER COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA Civil No. 29-2021-CV-00077

SUMMONS

The Industrial Commission of North Dakota, acting as the North Dakota Housing Finance Agency, Plaintiff,

vs.
Patrick K. Blevins; Kellye L. Wilson fka Kellye L. Blevins; and any other person in possession;
Defendants.

THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANTS:

YOU ARE HEREBY summoned to answer the Complaint of the Plaintiff which is herewith served upon you and which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of District Court of Mercer County, North Dakota, and to serve a copy of your answer thereto on the undersigned at her office at 720 Main Avenue, in the City of Fargo, County of Cass, State of North Dakota, within twenty one (21) days after service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the date of service, and in case of your failure to appear or answer as above directed, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the Complaint herein.

MORTGAGORS ARE NOTIFIED FURTHER that this is a communication from a debt collector and this is an attempt to collect a debt. Any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

Dated at Fargo, North Dakota, this 17th day of May, 2021.

/s/ Sarah A. Aaberg
Sarah A. Aaberg (ND ID #08393)
Special Assistant Attorney General for the Industrial Commission of North Dakota acting as the North Dakota Housing Finance Agency
Attorney for Plaintiff
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This action relates to the foreclosure of a real estate mortgage owned by above-named Plaintiff upon the following described property situated in the County of Mercer, State of North Dakota, to-wit:

Lot Three (3), Block Seven (7), Century First Addition to the City of Beulah, Mercer County, North Dakota.
Parcel ID Number: BB-144-88-47-07-03
(Street Address: 212 10th Street Northwest, Beulah, North Dakota 58523).

/s/ Sarah A. Aaberg
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(6-10-21)(6-17-21)(6-24-21)

CITY OF ZAP

The City of Zap is selling two vehicles with no titles on bids buyer would be responsible to get title.

2003 Ford Ranger Super, 1978 Chevy truck.

Send your bid to City of Zap, Box 97, Zap ND 58580 by June 21 at 6:30 PM. The bids will be opened at our regular City Council Meeting. You may also bring the Bid on that night must have them there by 6:30 p.m.

Zap City Council

(6-10-21)(6-17-21)

Classifieds

keep you on the right track.

Beulah Beacon

873-4381

Public Notices

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR A REZONING APPLICATION ZONING CASE 21-07-01

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Mercer County Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing on Thursday evening, July 15th, 2021 beginning at 7:00 p.m. Central Time, in the Mercer County Courthouse. The Planning Commission will review and give consideration to an application from Quinten Ferebee for approval of an application to rezone a parcel of land from **Commercial District to Agricultural District**.

The subject parcel is located 6 miles north of the intersection of Highway #200 & #200A. It consists of a 3-acre parcel located within the E2NE of Section 16 T145N R85W of the 5th Principle Meridian, Mercer County ND

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the public is hereby invited to comment on this rezoning application at this public hearing or forward written comments prior to this hearing to: Mercer County Auditor – PO Box 39 – Stanton, ND 58571. A copy of the application, location map and other documents is available to the public for inspection and copying in the Office of the County Auditor on Monday through Friday during regular office hours.

Cyndi Zueger, Mercer County Land Use Administrator
(7-1-21)(7-8-21)

CITY OF GOLDEN VALLEY SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES JUNE 29, 2021

The meeting was called to order at 7:20 pm by Mayor Deen Brecht

Council members present were: Bob Johnson, Rod Brecht, Shannon McKay and Kenton Richau

Council member(s) absent were: Also present: Discussion was held on banning fireworks.

Motion by Bob Johnson, second by Rod Brecht to ban fireworks for the dates of July 3-5, 2021. Roll call vote – all voted in favor.

Meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m. These minutes are unofficial and subject to council review and approval.

Deen Brecht, Mayor
Rachel Helling, Auditor
(7-8-21)

Dunn County Public Notices

State of North Dakota
County of Dunn
In District Court
Southwest Judicial District
Case No. 13-2020-CV-00077

NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE
Jordan Schuetzle,
Plaintiff,
vs.

Killdeer Parcel A, LLC, and any person in possession, and all persons unknown, claiming any estate or interest in, or lien or encumbrance upon, the real estate described in the complaint

Defendant,
Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a judgment rendered and given by the District Court of the Southwest Judicial District, County of Dunn, State of North Dakota, entered and docketed on the December 4, 2020 at 8:27am in an action wherein Jordan Schuetzle was Plaintiff and Killdeer Parcel A, LLC, and any person in possession, and all persons unknown, claiming any estate or interest in, or lien or encumbrance upon, the real estate described in the complaint were Defendants and Plaintiff Jordan Schuetzle obtained a judgment against Defendant Killdeer Parcel A, LLC for the sum of \$52,078.69, and by virtue of a writ issued by the Clerk of Court, under the seal thereof, directing me to sell the real property, pursuant to the judgment, notice is hereby given that pursuant to North Dakota law, including North Dakota Century Code Chapter 28-21, the sale of the real property hereinafter described will be sold at public auction.

I, Gary Kuhn, Sheriff of Dunn County, North Dakota, the person appointed by the Court to conduct the sale, will sell the hereinafter described real property to the highest bidder for cash at public auction inside the front doors of the Dunn County Courthouse, 205 Owens St., Manning, North Dakota 58642, on the 26 [day] of July [Month], 2021 at the hour of 10:00 A.M. (Mountain) to satisfy the amount of the judgment, with interest, costs, and expenses of the sale.

The premises to be sold, pursuant to the judgment, writ, and this notice, are situated in the County of Dunn, State of North Dakota, and are described as follows:

A TRACT OF LAND LOCATED IN THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE

SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 14, TOWNSHIP 145 NORTH, RANGE 95 WEST OF THE FIFTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, DUNN COUNTY, STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, being more specifically described as follows; Beginning at northwest corner of said Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 14, thence easterly along the north line of said Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 14 on an azimuth of 092°06'03" a distance of 313.34 feet to a point on the westerly 100 foot right-of-way line for ND Highway No. 22 thence southeasterly along said westerly 100 foot right-of-way line on an azimuth of 167°02'57" a distance of 1357.40 feet to a point on the south line of said Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 14 and the north line of Block 2 of B.T. Johnson Subdivision to the City of Killdeer, North Dakota, thence westerly along said south line of said Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 14 and said north line of Block 2 of B.T. Johnson Subdivision to the City of Killdeer, North Dakota on an azimuth of 270°19'17" a distance of 624.50 feet to the southwest corner of said Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 14, thence northerly along the west line of Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 14 on an azimuth of 000°18'04" a distance of 1319.93 feet to the point of Beginning.

Dated in Manning, North Dakota this 24 day of June 2021.

Gary Kuhn
Sheriff of Dunn County, North Dakota
Its: Deputy Sheriff
Quinn P. Fyiling, ND #06744
Pearce Durick PLLC
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Bismarck, ND 58502-0400
(701) 223-2890
Attorneys for Plaintiff Jordan Schuetzle
(7-1-21)(7-8-21)(7-15-21)

NOTICE OF APPLICATION APPLICATION FOR APPROPRIATION OF WATER FROM GROUND WATER

TAKE NOTICE that OLSON FARMS, KILLDEER, ND, has submitted Water Permit Application No. 7181 to the North Dakota Office of the State Engineer for a permit to divert and appropriate water from ground water.

The application requests a permit to appropriate water from ground water, utilizing point(s) of diversion located in the SE1/4 of Section 20, Township 144 N., Range 094 W., Dunn County, NE1/4 of Section 29, Township 144 N., Range 094 W., Dunn County, SW1/4 of Section 21, Township 144 N., Range 094 W., Dunn County, and NW1/4 of Section 28, Township 144 N., Range 094 W., Dunn County, at a pumping rate of 2,700 gallons per minute during the operating season for each year said water permit may remain in force, with an annual appropriation of 675.0 acre-feet of water, for the purpose of irrigating 32.4 acres in the NE1/4 NE1/4 of Section 29, Township 144 N., Range 094 W., 32.6 acres in the NW1/4 NE1/4 of Section 29, Township 144 N., Range 094 W., 32.7 acres in the SW1/4 NE1/4 of Section 29, Township 144 N., Range 094 W., 32.5 acres in the NE1/4 SE1/4 of Section 20, Township 144 N., Range 094 W., 32.5 acres in the NE1/4 SE1/4 of Section 20, Township 144 N., Range 094 W., 32.8 acres in the NW1/4 SE1/4 of Section 20, Township 144 N., Range 094 W., 32.7 acres in the SW1/4 SE1/4 of Section 20, Township 144 N., Range 094 W., 32.7 acres in the NE1/4 NW1/4 of Section 28, Township 144 N., Range 094 W., 32.4 acres in the NW1/4 NW1/4 of Section 28, Township 144 N., Range 094 W., 32.3 acres in the SW1/4 NW1/4 of Section 28, Township 144 N., Range 094 W., as shown on the map(s) accompanying the application.

TAKE NOTICE that written comments regarding the proposed appropriation must be filed in the North Dakota Office of the State Engineer, 900 East Boulevard Avenue, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0850, by 5 o'clock p.m., on the 2nd day of August 2021. The State Engineer shall consider all written comments received and prepare a recommended decision which will be provided to the applicant and any person who filed written comments. Those persons may file additional comments with the State Engineer, request an adjudicative proceeding on the application, or both.

Dated at Bismarck, North Dakota, on June 25, 2021.

/S/ John Paczkowski, P.E.
Interim North Dakota State Engineer
900 East Boulevard Avenue
Bismarck, ND 58505-0850
(7-1-21)(7-8-21)

THE DUNN COUNTY PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION AGENDA FOR JULY 13TH, 2021

The Dunn County Planning & Zoning Commission meeting scheduled for **Tuesday July 13th, 2021 at 6:00 pm at the Dunn County Courthouse Commissioner's Board Room, 205 Owens Street, Manning ND 58642.**

This hearing will be done by Conference call, please see dunncountynd.org website for call in number or contact Planning & Zoning at 701-573-4609.

Call to order
Approval of Agenda-Additions
Approval of Minutes June 15th, 2021

1. Public Hearing: Milo Holte of Starbuck MN representing Badland Aggregate, Inc. has filed a Conditional Use Permit to mine an 18.4 Acre Gravel Pit located in the section 4-145-97 (10 acres) and section 3-145-97 (8.4 Acres). The property is zoned Rural Preservation and owned by Albert & Richard Dukart.

2. Public Hearing: Evan Vettel, Shane Vettel and Grant Slick of Manning ND, representing Cherry Creek Water, LLC has filed an Amendment to CUP #05-20201 Water Depot with pond to include Freshwater Pipeline to connect up with Freshwater Pipeline CUP #07-2020. The property is located in the SW4 section 9-147-96, SE4 section 8-147-96, NE4 section 8-147-96, SW4 section 5-147-96 and SE4 section 5-147-96. The property is zoned Rural Preservation and owned by Joseph & Darci Schettler and Brien and Shelley Dennis.

3. Public Hearing: David Lym or Del Olson of Killdeer ND, representing Dunn County has filed a Conditional Use Permit to mine an 18.0 Acre Gravel Pit located in the E2SW4 lot 3 & 4 section 18-141-96. The property is zoned Rural Preservation and owned by Dorman & Lorraine Bezdicsek.

If you have special needs in order to take part in the hearing, please contact the Dunn County Auditor, Manning, ND, prior to Tuesday July 13th, 2021.

Sandy Rohde, Secretary Dunn County Planning Commission.
(7-1-21)

NOTICE OF HEARING N.D. INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION OIL AND GAS DIVISION

The North Dakota Industrial Commission will hold a public hearing at 9:00 a.m. Wednesday, July 28, 2021, at the N.D. Oil & Gas Division, 1000 East Calgary Ave., Bismarck, N. D. At the hearing the Commission will receive testimony and exhibits. Persons with any interest in the cases listed below, take notice.

PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES: If at the hearing you need special facilities or assistance, contact the Oil and Gas Division at 701-328-8038 by Thursday, July 15, 2021.

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA TO: Case No. 28863: Application of Marathon Oil Co. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Lost Bridge-Bakken Pool to establish an overlapping 1280-acre spacing unit consisting of Sections 5 and 6, T.148N., R.95W., Dunn County, ND, and authorize one horizontal well to be drilled on such unit, and for such other relief as may be appropriate.

Case No. 28864: Application of Marathon Oil Co. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Murphy Creek-Bakken Pool to reduce the setback to 400 feet on either side of the common boundary between two 1280-acre spacing units described as Sections 25 and 36; and Sections 26 and 35, T.145N., R.96W., Dunn County, ND, and granting such other relief as may be appropriate.

Case No. 28865: Application of Marathon Oil Co. for an order amending the applicable orders for the Bailey-Bakken Pool to authorize up to nine wells to be drilled on a 1280-acre spacing unit described as Sections 18 and 19, T.146N., R.93W., Dunn County, ND, and granting such other and further relief as may be appropriate.

Case No. 28871: Application of Lime Rock Resources III-A, L.P. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit described as Sections 27, 28, 33 and 34, T.144N., R.95W., Murphy Creek-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 28872: Application of Lime Rock Resources III-A, L.P. for an order

pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit described as Sections 2, 3, 10 and 11, T.143N., R.95W., Murphy Creek-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 28873: Application of Lime Rock Resources III-A, L.P. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit described as Sections 3, 4, 9 and 10, T.143N., R.95W., Murphy Creek-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 28874: Application of Lime Rock Resources III-A, L.P. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit described as Sections 16, 17, 20 and 21, T.143N., R.95W., Murphy Creek-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 28875: Application of Lime Rock Resources III-A, L.P. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit described as Sections 28, 29, 32 and 33, T.143N., R.95W., Murphy Creek and/or Manning-Bakken Pools, Dunn County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 28876: Application of Lime Rock Resources III-A, L.P. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit described as Sections 16, 17, 20 and 21, T.142N., R.96W., Manning-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 28877: Application of Lime Rock Resources III-A, L.P. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit described as Sections 16, 17, 20 and 21, T.144N., R.97W., Little Knife-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08, and such other relief as is appropriate.

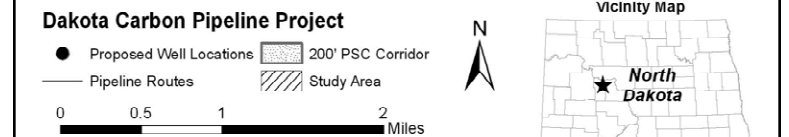
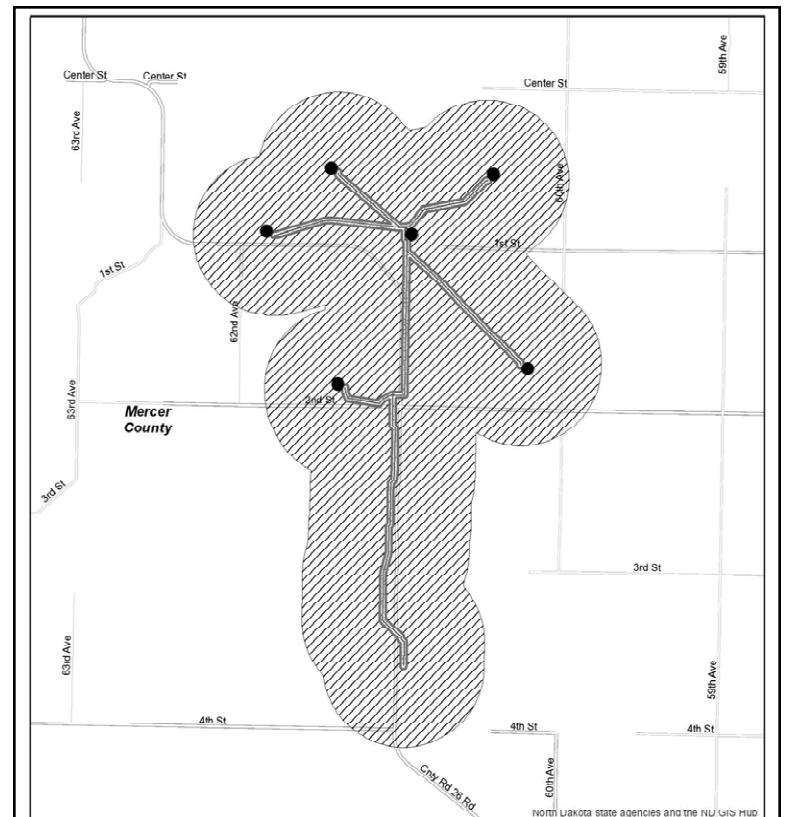
Case No. 28878: Application of Lime Rock Resources III-A, L.P. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit described as Sections 26, 27, 34 and 35, T.144N., R.97W., Cabernet-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 28879: Application of Lime Rock Resources III-A, L.P. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit described as Sections 27, 28, 33 and 34, T.144N., R.97W., Cabernet-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Case No. 28880: Application of Lime Rock Resources III-A, L.P. for an order pursuant to NDAC § 43-02-03-88.1 pooling all interests in a spacing unit described as Sections 27, 28, 33 and 34, T.143N., R.96W., Fayette-Bakken Pool, Dunn County, ND, as provided by NDCC § 38-08-08, and such other relief as is appropriate.

Signed by,
Doug Burgum, Governor
Chairman, NDIC\

(7-8-21)



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Public Notices

HAZEN PUBLIC SCHOOL REGULAR BOARD MEETING MAY 10, 2021 HS ROOM 102

Present at the meeting were board members Jennifer Wallender, Stephanie Huber, Sonya Hansana, Brian Nolan and Jody Murschel. Also present were Supt. Ken Miller, Bus. Mgr. Connie Ellwein, Principal/AD Kay Mayer, Principal Monty Mayer, and Principal Trevor Sinclair. Guest present was Dan Arens, Hazen Star editor.

Meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m.

Minutes of the April 12, 2021, board meeting were presented. Motion to approve was made by Huber and second by Murschel. All voted aye. M/C

April Financial Statement and bills totaling \$118,091.51 were presented. Murschel moved to approve the bills as presented. Nolan second the motion. All voted aye. M/C List of bills: JP Morgan, 17,948.36; Precision Services, 42,295.00; St. Alexius, 306.06; MDU, 10,015.55; Amplify Education, 266.00; Bison Sports Bar, 871.20; Blick Art Materials, 60.75; Chromebookparts.com, 546.80; City of Hazen, 1,582.42; D&E Supply, 3,438.28; Dakota Zoo, 212.00; Danielle Schwab, 150.00; David Mittelsteadt, 55.00; Eric Nikiforoff, 428.00; Fastenal, 35.46; Harlow's School Bus Service, 21,236.45; Hazen Hardware, 184.68; High Plains Concepts, 53.60; Hot Lunch Program, 669.30; Innovative Office Solutions, 158.69; Institute For Art-Based Literacy, 381.00; Jodi Driscoll, 160.00; Krause's Super Valu, 1,174.98; Lakeshore Learning, 343.11; Marco Technologies, 5,045.02; Napa, 11.49; Nasco, 277.84; ND Attorney General, 41.25; NDCEL, 250.00; Oliver Mercer Special Ed., 6,377.43; Precision Services, 583.00; Rapids Wholesale Equipment, 51.66; Really Good Stuff, 45.28; School Specialty, 844.72; Stein's, 540.74; Sue McCarthy, 100.00; Time Management, 270.00; Union State Bank, 100.00; UNUM Life Ins. Company, 980.39.

Committee Reports: Personnel & Finance and Building & Grounds committees met. Both items will be addressed in new business.

New Business:

a. Policies:

ACAA-Emergency Closings:

In the first sentence, replace the word "emergencies" with "unexpected and extraordinary circumstances". In the second sentence remove "superintendent's rationale" and insert "decision" in its place. Also in the second sentence remove the phrase "authorizing this authority" and insert "an emergency closing" in place of it. In the third sentence, replace the words "his/her" with the word "their."

In item 3: insert the words "or not" between weather conditions in the first sentence.

Under the heading Notification: remove the phrase "and these will" and replace with "which should"; replace the word "the" with "district" and add "and disseminated annually" to the end of the sentence.

Under the heading Compliance: modify the first two sentences to read as follows: The superintendent shall determine which district employees are required to report to work to ensure the operation of essential functions or departments during an emergency. Staff are expected to report for work unless unexpected and extraordinary conditions make this impossible.

AACA-section 504 Dispute Resolution Policy: (significant changes-policy attached to minutes)

ACBB-Significant Contagious Diseases: (significant changes-policy attached to minutes)

ABEB-Child Nutrition Programs: New policy-accept the recommended policy as presented. (policy attached)

ABEC-School Meal Charge Policy: New policy-accept the recommended policy as presented. (policy attached)

Motion to approve the 1st reading of the policies, as presented, was made by Huber and second by Wallender. All voted aye. M/C

b. Potential Summer Projects: District has not received information for the basketball hoops or the drama storage lighting yet but has received bids for the middle school concrete project and the boiler augers. Building & Ground Committee recommends waiting on the concrete but approving the augers with a quote of \$6,500 from Hazen Welding. Nolan moved to approve the bid to replace the coal augers, as presented. Second by Murschel. All voted aye.

c. Contract Approval: Maya Moltzen, First Grade, \$39,875.00. Motion to approve by Murschel, second by

Huber. All voted aye.

d. Budget Revisions: Budget revisions, to align with the actual expenses resulting in a net change of \$0.00 on the overall budget, were presented to the board. Motion by Wallender to approve the budget revisions, second by Nolan. All voted aye. M/C

e. Recommended Revisions to Master Teaching Agreement: Summary of the agreement with HEA negotiations team was presented. (attached to minutes) The agreement has been ratified by the members of HEA. Murschel explained the areas of change to the board. Nolan moved to approve the changes, second by Huber. Roll call: Wallender-aye; Huber-aye; Nolan-aye; Murschel-aye; and Hansana-aye. M/C

Administrative Reports:
MS Principal / AD Report: 5th grade students will tour the middle school on May 19th. Michelle Anderson, Mercer County School Resource Officer, presented to middle school students in regard to social media, discretion, the law, misdemeanors, harassment, and how making good or poor choices affects you. Completed spring NWEA testing. Last day of school at the middle school will include a movie at Cinema Flix. Last chance track meet will be held in Hazen on May 18th. Hazen has four state track qualifiers at this time.

High School Principal Report: Senior skip day was held on May 5th and included a movie, a barbecue, and game playing in the park. Sophomores completed the NDSA testing. This was the first year for online science testing. It will set a baseline. Staff will be reviewing the testing data at the PD day on Wednesday. Class award ceremony will be held on May 19th in the morning and the parent run baccalaureate ceremony will be that evening. Final tests will take place on May 24-26. Will have the elementary walk-through after graduation practice on Monday, May 24th. Sloan McCray was named the NDHSA student of the year. She will be able to attend the national convention in Indianapolis, will hand out championship trophies at events, and will lead the parade of champions.

Elementary Principal Report: Mrs. Karges was named the Mercer County Teacher of the Year and she will be included in the consideration for state teacher of the year. Elementary staff will focus on NDSA and Map data review on the PD day. Mrs. Heidelberg was the most recent recipient of the staff trophy. Student of the month was Magnus Obenauer. Kindergarten screening was completed using the PHELPS kindergarten readiness scale and the Lions Club performed vision screenings. The day ended with a kindergarten orientation meeting for the parents. PE fun day will be held on May 18th and the spring elementary talent show will be held on May 19th.

Superintendent Report: All board members are invited to breakfast at 7:15 a.m. on May 26th after which I will present service awards to staff members. I plan to attend the NDCEL Conference in June. Mask wearing was discussed by the administrators and we decided to continue with the mask requirement to help ensure our students can fully realize their spring events and graduation.

Next meeting will be held on June 14, 2021.

HAZEN PUBLIC SCHOOL SPECIAL BOARD MEETING MAY 24, 2021 12:00 P.M.

ZOOM MEETING / SUPT. OFFICE

Agenda:
1. Support Staff Recommendation for Wage Increases
2. Administrative Contract Recommendations

Present at the meeting were Board Member Stephanie Huber, Supt. Ken Miller, and Bus. Mgr. Connie Ellwein. Board members present via Zoom were Sonya Hansana, Jennifer Wallender, Jody Murschel, and Brian Nolan.

President Hansana called the meeting to order at 12:04 p.m.

Mr. Miller summarized the administrative negotiations:

- 2.25% contract salary increase each year
- \$1,000 stipend for extra duties due to COVID each year, expiring at the end of the contract.
- 1 additional personal leave day, not restricted to outside the school calendar year

Supt. Kendall Miller and Principal Trevor Sinclair have agreed to a 2-year contract offer. Principal Monty Mayer and Principal Kay Mayer will be offered a 1-year contract at their request. Huber moved to approve the admin-



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Easton Haaland picks out a tree during Hazen's Arbor Day tree giveaway at the Sam Reich Nursery June 9.

Public Notices

Administrative contract offers as presented, second by Nolan. Roll call vote: Huber-aye; Wallender-aye; Murschel-aye; Nolan-aye; Hansana-aye. M/C

Mr. Miller summarized the proposed increases for classified staff:

- 1 additional personal leave day (8 hours) for full time staff, prorated for part-time staff, with the maximum balance increased to 6 days (48 hours.)
- Increase all new employee starting wages and classified sub pay by \$1 / hour as follows:

Paraprofessional (dependent upon education level achieved) - \$12 / \$13 / \$16

Foodservice - \$12

Custodial - \$13

Substitute Worker - \$12

- 3.25% increase to current hourly wage with employees who would be making less than the new employee starting rate be increased to equal that of a new employee.

Discussion followed. Wallender moved to approve the proposed 3.25% wage increase, with a minimum increase amount of \$0.50 per hour; to increase the base pay amounts for new employees and substitute workers as recommended; and to add the 1 personal leave day as presented. Second by Murschel. Roll call vote: Murschel-aye; Huber-aye; Wallender-aye; Nolan-abstain; Hansana-abstain. M/C

Meeting adjourned at 12:37 p.m.

HAZEN PUBLIC SCHOOL SPECIAL BOARD MEETING MAY 17, 2021 ZOOM MEETING

Agenda: ESSER II Application Approval

Board members present via Zoom: Sonya Hansana, Jennifer Wallender, Jody Murschel, Brian Nolan, and Stephanie Huber. Also present via Zoom were Supt. Ken Miller, Elementary Principal Trevor Sinclair, and Bus. Mgr. Connie Ellwein.

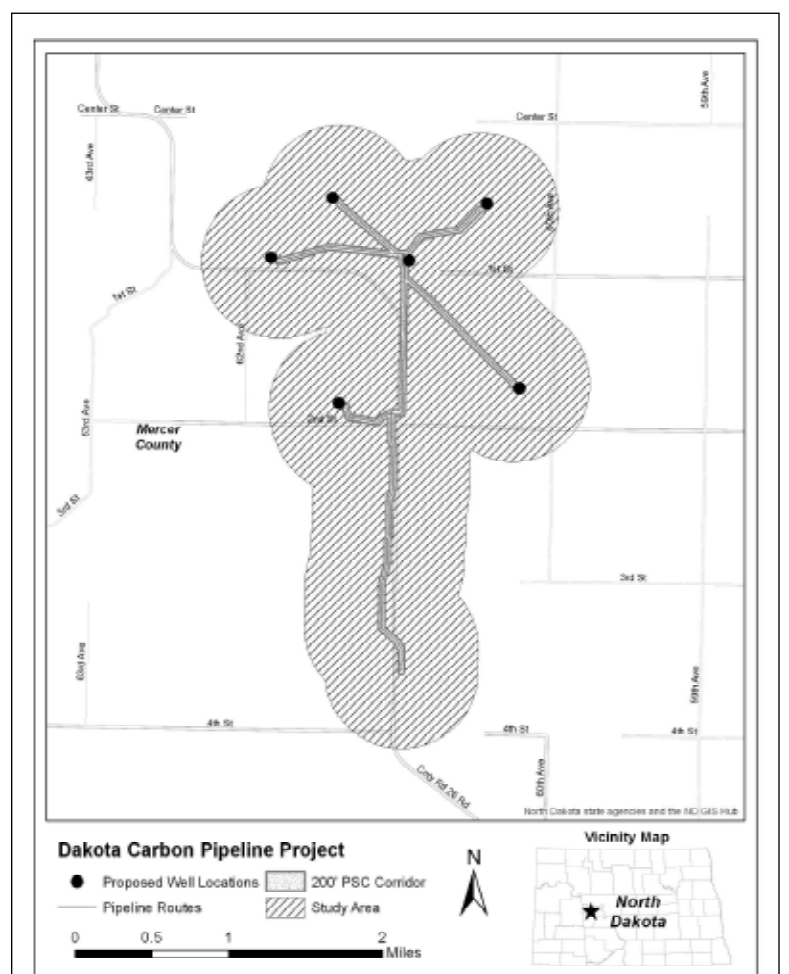
Hansana called the meeting to order at 12:02 p.m.

Supt. Miller informed the board that the district application for ESSER II funds was approved by DPI. The application funding was stipulated for the following positions:

- .50 FTE School Counselor
- 2 1.0 FTE Elementary Teachers
- .50 FTE Elementary Math Strategis
- .50 Phy Ed Teacher/.50 Athletic Director (combined position)
- Full-time Academic Specialist at the Middle School

Nolan made a motion to grant Mr. Miller permission to move forward by advertising, seeking applicants, and offering contracts to fill those positions. Motion was second by Murschel. Roll call vote: Nolan-aye; Huber-aye; Murschel-aye; Wallender-aye; Hansana-aye. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 12:17 p.m.



STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION DAKOTA GASIFICATION COMPANY

CARBON DIOXIDE GAS PIPELINE - MERCER COUNTY SITING APPLICATION CASE NO. PU-21-150

NOTICE OF FILING AND PUBLIC HEARING JUNE 9, 2021

A Public Hearing on the applications in Case No. PU-21-150 is scheduled to begin July 12, 2021, at 8:30 A.M. CT, at the Energy Wellness Center, 1900 Central Avenue North, Beulah, ND 58523.

On April 23, 2021, Dakota Gasification Company filed a combined application for a certificate of corridor compatibility and a route permit concerning the location of approximately 2.9 miles of 12-inch and 3.9 miles of 6-inch outside diameter carbon dioxide gas pipeline in Mercer County, North Dakota, as shown on the attached map.

The issues to be considered in this matter are:

1. Will construction, operation, and maintenance of the facilities at the

proposed locations 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 construction, operation, and maintenance of the facilities at the proposed 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 at least 24 hours in advance.

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