

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Reclamation Division

Memorandum

TO: Commissioners Christmann, Haugen-Hoffart, and Fedorchak
Steven Kahl, Executive Director
John Schuh, General Counsel

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DATE: March 29, 2023

SUBJECT: Application for Revision No. 34 to Permit NAFK-9503 held by the Falkirk Mining Company, Case No. RC-23-65

On February 3, 2023, Falkirk Mining Company filed the application for Revision No. 34 to Surface Coal Mining Permit NAFK-9503 to delete 9.4 acres of land from the permit that has not been affected by surface coal mining and reclamation operations. This property can be generally described as a portion of the SE¼ of Section 7 in T145N, R82W, McLean County.

Reclamation Division staff inspected the acreage proposed for deletion on January 11 and 25, 2023 and February 27, 2023 to verify that the property has not been disturbed by mining or reclamation related activities.

This revision application is considered insignificant but requires Commission approval because of the acreage deletion. No monetary bond adjustment is necessary because of this revision. It is expected that Falkirk will submit bond riders to remove this acreage from the performance bond area in the future. This permit does not contain Federal coal.

Attached for your consideration is a proposed motion for the March 29th Commission meeting and the revision approval form.

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