

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Falkirk Mining Company
Revision 44, Permit NAFK-8405
Application

Case No. RC-24-261

NOTICE OF PERMIT REVISION APPROVAL

December 30, 2024

Preliminary Statement

On July 2, 2024, Falkirk Mining Company filed an application for Revision No. 44 to Surface Coal Mining Permit No. NAFK-8405. This revision revises the mining plans for the N½ of Section 1 and SW¼ of Section 3 and adds mining plans for a pit cessation in the S½ of Section 2, T146N, R82W. The revision also updates the introductory, legal, financial, compliance, surface and coal ownership information, surface water hydrology and management, operation plans, transportation facilities, and reclamation plans and schedules as described in the permit revision application. The worst-case reclamation cost estimate was also updated with Revision No. 44.

The Commission has completed its review of the revision application and has approved the permit revision. The revision will give Falkirk Mining Company the right to conduct mining operations on the land and to modify the mining and reclamation plans in Permit NAFK-8405 as described in Revision No. 44.

Notice

Any person with an interest, which is or may be adversely affected by this permit revision approval, may request a formal hearing with the Commission within thirty days of the publication of this notice. The request should be addressed to the Public Service Commission, 600 East Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 408, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0480.

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