

# **Affidavit of Publication**

Sandy DeBeer, 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 exhibit.

A. Exhibit Attached (Overview):
NDNA Order Number: **25083NN6**NDNA Invoice Number: **25103** 

Description: Public Hearing: Case No. PU-24-376 / Northern States Power Company Publication(s): August 16, 2025: Grand Forks Herald, Minot Daily News, The Forum of

Fargo Moorhead

Date published to ndpublicnotices.com: August 16, 2025

Exhibit details publication(s) and run dates published as requested by the placing agency or department; description of published notice.

2. 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.

Dated: August 21, 2025

Signed:

Print Name: Sandy DeBeer, Advertising Placement Coordinator

Notary Public:

My commission expires:

NICOLE HERRIG

NOTARY PUBLIC

SEAL

SOUTH DAKOTA

PUBLIC NOTICE

Daily Limit Poss. Limit

There is no limit on crows

One per season - restricted

45

45

15

15

**Species** 

Doves

Crows (Fall)

Crows (Spring)

Early Canada Geese (Missouri River Zone) Aug. 15

Early Canada Geese (Western Zone)

Early Canada Geese (Eastern Zone)

Mountain Lion (Zone 2) (hunting)

Weasel (hunting)

Muskrat and Mink (hunting)

Muskrat and Mink (protective

covering over float sets)

Red Fox, Gray Fox, Coyote,

Red Fox, Gray Fox, Coyote,

(night hunting)

Bobcat (Zone 2)

and Badger (cable devices)

Red Fox, Gray Fox, and Coyote

Bobcat (Zone 1) (hunting or trapping)

(hunting, trapping, cable devices, dogs)

Special Veteran and Active Military

Bobcat (Zone 1) (cable devices and dogs) Nov. 24

Muskrat and Mink (restricted trapping

Mar. 16

Fisher (trapping or cable devices)

### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION Case No. PU-24-376 Northern States Power Company 2025 Electric Rate Increase

### Application NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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> STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION Case No. PU-25-233 Qwest Corporation

Designated Eligible Carrier - Partial Relinquish Application NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR

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chase or construction shall be completed Qwest indicates it has 17 voice subscribers in the area it intends to relinquish in North

comments in this proceeding until close of business on October 10, 2025.

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Keven Jay Kercher Attorney ID#05791 OHNSTAD TWICHELL, P.C. 444 Sheyenne Street, Suite 102 P.O. Box 458 West Fargo, ND 58078 (701) 282-3249

kkercher@ohnstadlaw.com Attorney for Personal Representative Court File No. 09-2025-PR-00146 IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CASS COUNTY, STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA In the Matter of the Estate of Lorraine Florence Kensok, a/k/a Lorraine F. Kensok a/k/a Lorraine Kensok, Deceased NOTICE TO CREDITORS

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased are required to present their claims within three months after the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must either be presented to the attorney listed above, to Jerome Kensok as Personal Represen tative of the Estate at 3045 - 40th Ave S., Unit A, Fargo, ND 58104, or filed with the Court.

Dated this 24th day of July, 2025. Jerome Kensok

Personal Representative of the Estate of Lorraine Florence Kensok, a/k/a Lorraine F. Kensok, a/k/a Lorraine Kensok, deceased 3045-40th Ave S., Unit A Fargo, ND 58104

(Aug. 2 & 9 & 16, 2025)

Brandon M. Erickson ND Attorney ID No. 09333 O'Keeffe O'Brien Lyson Attorneys 720 Fargo, North Dakota 58103

brandon@okeeffeattorneys.com Attorneys for: Renae Reynolds, Personal Representative Probate No. 09-2025-PR-00246
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CASS

COUNTY, STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA In the Matter of the Estate of James Edward Reynolds, Deceased. NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Renae Reynolds has been appointed Personal Representative of the above Estate. All persons having claims against the Dece-dent are required to present their claims within three (3) months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or mailing of this Notice, or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to Brandon M. Erickson, Attorney for Renae Reynolds, as Personal Representative of the Estate of James Edward Revnolds deceased, at O'Keeffe O'Brien Lyson Attorneys, 720 Main Avenue, Fargo, North Dakota 58103, or filed with the Court, Dated: 8/4/2025

Renae Reynolds 46309 Birch Grove Drive Pelican Rapids. (Aug. 9 & 16 & 23, 2025)

IN DISTRICT COURT, CASS COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA Civil No. 09-2025-CV-03167 SUMMONS

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

Kevin Dittmer, single man; any other person in possession; and United States of America acting through the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Defendants.

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

1. YOU ARE HEREBY summoned to answer the Complaint of the Plaintiff which is herewith served upon you and which will

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be filed in the office of the Clerk of District Court of Cass 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. The Defendant, United States of America, acting through the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. Section 2410(b) shall have sixty (60) days after the service of this Summons to answer, exclusive of the date of service. If you fail to appear or answer as above directed, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the Complaint herein.

2. MORTGAGOR IS 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

Dated at Fargo, North Dakota, this 30th day of July, 2025.

/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 720 Main Avenue Fargo, North Dakota 58103

701 235 8000

3 This action relates to the foreclosure of a real estate mortgage owned by abovenamed Plaintiff upon the following described property situated in the County of Cass, State of North Dakota, to-wit:

sarah@okeeffeattorneys.com

The South Thirty-seven and one-half feet of Lot Sixteen, in Block Two of Park Addition to the City of Fargo, situate in the County of Cass and the State of North APN #: 01-2280-00240-000

(Street Address: 721 8th Street N., Fargo,

/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 720 Main Avenue Fargo, North Dakota 58103 701.235.8000 (Aug. 16 & 23 & 30, 2025)

IN DISTRICT COURT, COUNTY OF CASS, STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

IN THE INTEREST OF UNBORN BABY HONWYTEWA, DUE 08/08/2025

Brent Valeree Honwytewa, Petitioner.

Alexis Polimino, Alleged Birthfather Case No. 09-2025-DM--00842

NOTICE OF HEARING

### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

# **PUBLIC NOTICE**

IN THE DISTRICT COURT, EAST CENTRAL JUDICIAL DISTRICT STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA COUNTY OF CASS

Court File No. 09-2025-PR-00210 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Per-

Dated this 11 day of August 2025. Alex Schweitzer PO Box 1534 Jamestown, ND 58402-1534

James R. Maring, ND #06712, of SERKLAND LAW FIRM. 10 Roberts Street N Fargo, North Dakota 58102 Phone: 701-232-8957 marin

### **PUBLIC NOTICE PUBLIC NOTICE**

[1] YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that

THE RESPONDENT ALEXIS

Petition for the Termination of Parental Rights with respect to the above-named child, a child expected to be born on or about August 8, 2025, has been filed in this Court and will be heard by a Referee for Cass County District Court, at the Cass County Courthouse, 211 South 9th Street, Fargo, North Dakota, on September 12, 2025, at 3:30 p.m.
[2] The purpose of the hearing is to termi-

nate forever, all of the parental rights of the Petitioner and Respondent Alexis Polim-ino, Alleged Birthfather, and the relationship of parent and child with reference to the above-named child. You may appear at the hearing and present any objections that you may have. If you fail to respond to this Notice by failing to make an appearance at the hearing, your consent to the granting of the Petition will be assumed, and your rights and interests in the above-named child may be terminated by default. Dated this 6th day of August, 2025.

William P. Harrie, ND ID 04411 Nilles Law Firm 1800 Radisson Tower P.O. Box 2626 Fargo, North Dakota 58108 Phone: (701) 237-5544 E-Mail: wharrie@nilleslaw.com Attorneys for Christian Adoption Services (Aug. 9 & 16 & 23, 2025)

/s/ William P. Harrie



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### Canada Geese (Missouri River Zone) Sept. 27 Canada Geese (Western Zone)

In the Matter of the Estate of Surjeet K. Sarpal, Deceased. NOTICE TO CREDITORS PROBATE DIVISION

sonal Representative of the above estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased are required to present their claims within three (3) months after the date of the first publication or mailing of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must either be presented to

Alex Schweitzer, Personal Representative of the Estate, at PO Box 1534, Jamestown, North Dakota 58402-1534, or filed with the Court.

(Aug. 16 & 23 & 30, 2025)

### Sept. 13 Hungarian Partridge Jan. 04 12 Sharp-tailed Grouse Sept. 13 Jan. 04 12 Ruffed Grouse Sept. 13 Jan. 04 12 Tree Squirrels Feb. 28 12 Sept. 13 Sage Grouse Season closed 24 Snipe Sept. 13 Nov. 30 Woodcock Sept. 20 Nov. 03 Sandhill Cranes (Unit 1) Sept. 20 Nov. 16 Sandhill Cranes (Unit 2) Sept. 20 Nov. 16 Tundra Swan Oct. 04 Jan. 04 Season limit one swan 2,200 licenses issued by lottery (deadline - Aug. 20) Pinnated Grouse (prairie chicken) Male Pheasant (youth season) Oct. 04 Oct. 05 12 3 Male Pheasant (regular season) Oct. 11 Jan. 04 Mountain Lion (Zone 1 Early) (hunting) Aug. 29 Nov. 23 Mountain Lion (Zone 1 Late) (hunting) Nov. 24 Mar. 31 One per season - restricte

Aug. 29

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May 01

Nov. 24

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Nov. 08

Nov. 24

Mar. 15

Mar. 15

The North Dakota Game and Fish Department announces the following summary of

regulations & changes for the 2025-2026 Small Game, Furbearer and Waterfowl Seasons.

Opens

Aug. 16

Mar. 14

Aug. 15

Aug. 15

Sept. 01

Closes

Nov. 03

Apr. 26

Sept. 07

Sept. 15

Sept. 22

Nov. 29

One per season - restricted River Otter (trapping or cable devices) Nov. 24 Mar. 15 Beaver and Raccoon Year-round (hunting, trapping or underwater cable devices) There is no Beaver and Raccoon May 10 Nov. 24 limit on (cable devices on land) (type and placement restricted from Mar. 16 - May 10) other Weasel (trapping) Mar. 15 Oct. 25 furbearers Muskrat and Mink (trapping) May 10 Oct. 25 Weasel (cable devices) Nov. 24 Mar. 15 Muskrat and Mink (cable devices) Nov. 24 May 10

Mar. 31

Nov. 30

Mar. 15 May 10 May 10 May 10 and Badger (day hunting or trapping) Year-round Mar. 15 May 31 Mar. 15

One per season- restricted

\* Limits same except no bonus BWT may be taken Personnel Waterfowl Season Sept. 20 Sept. 21 \* Limits same except no bonus BWT may be taken Special Youth Waterfowl Season Sept. 21 Sept. 20 see restrictions 18 Ducks including Low Plains Unit - Sept. 27 thru Dec. 07 below Mergansers High Plains Unit - Sept. 27 thru Dec. 07 & Dec. 13 thru Jan. 04 45 15 Coots

9 White-Fronted Geese Sept. 27 Dec. 07 Jan. 02 Dec. 25 24 Sept. 27 8 Canada Geese (Eastern Zone) Sept. 27 Dec. 20 24 Light Geese Sept. 27 Jan. 04 50 No Limit

### **DUCKS AND MERGANSERS: SPECIES/SEX RESTRICTIONS** The daily bag limit of 6 ducks including mergansers may include no more than 5 mallards

of which only 2 may be female mallards, 1 scaup, 3 wood ducks, 3 pintail, 2 redheads, 2 canvasbacks. \* In addition to the daily bag limit of ducks listed above, an additional 2 blue-winged teal may be taken from Sept. 27 - Oct. 05. The possession limit for duck including mergansers shall be three times the daily bag limit.

### SUMMARY OF CHANGES FROM LAST YEAR

· Nonresident waterfowl zones increased to 6 · A waterfowl habitat restoration stamp is required to hunt waterfowl

· Fridays will be include in extended shooting hours for geese, beginning Nov. 28

· Nonresidents are not allowed to hunt on Department wildlife management areas or on PLOTS areas from Oct. 11-17. Exception: nonresidents hunting on PLOTS land that they own.

A complete 2025-2026 Small Game, Furbearer and Waterfowl proclamation is available from the North Dakota Game and Fish Department, 100 North Bismarck Expressway, Bismarck, North Dakota 58501-5095 (701) 328-6300.

# ATTENTION PET LOVERS!

### DOGS



**AKC German Shepherd Pups** Solid black or Black & Tan available! \$2,000. Becker, MN 763-203-5725, bartellhaus.com



Pointer Pups 4F, 4M avail. Black & Liver avail. Great hunting dogs. Central MN. \$1200. 218-371-8902

**GIVEAWAY:** Australian Shep herd mix puppies. M & F. 2 616-4293 Park Rapids, MN

Purebred Beagle Pups Ready 9/1. Excellen markings, vet checked first shots. Manvel, ND area. 701-739-6820

### **DOGS**



**AKC Golden Retrievers** M & F, home raised, microchipped, ready now! \$500, 605-265-0797



AKC Lab Puppies White, Dark Red, Black, Dark Chocolate & Yellow. Hunting & Family, Blocky Black Noses. Full AKC. 605-999-7149 Mitchell, SD www.southdakotavellowlabs.com

Samoyed Puppies! 7M, 3F born 7/6/25, 1F born 7/10/25. The puppies in these litters are from AKC Registered parents with Champion blood-lines. Puppies will have re-ceived their first shots and be wormed. Ready to go 8.31.25. Call/Text 701.850.6899

Vizsla/Yellow Lab Cross Puppies
M & F. Born 5/24. \$100
320-808-9957

### **DOGS**



wormed. Also Tri's available soon. Call 218-584-8638

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**Golden Retriever Puppies** Shots, wormed, vet check health certificate, \$500. 218-831-7975 (MN#829895)



**Teddy Bear Puppies** M & F, vet checked, vac-cines, can meet part way. \$500. 218-839-9800

# DOGS



Olde English Bulldog Puppies Reduced price! Excellent pedigree! Ready now! 320-212-6471



Shots, wormed, vet checked, health certificate, \$300. 218-537-8463 (MN#829895)

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Recruiting for you.

# **Here is Ernie!**





This little guy is such a joy to have aroundhe has the sweetest personality. He will snuggle in so tight. He loves to be on your lap and soaks in all of the pets and touches all over. Ernie loves other dogs and is playful with them. He is doing so well on the house and crate training.

Mixed breed male puppy- born 5/17/2025- so is about 3 months old. Weighs about 10 pounds.



701-232-5681

# Fishing destinations

# Mike Frisch and the Fishing the Midwest team highlight bucket list fisheries

### **ALEXANDRIA**

t Fishing the Midwest, we are privileged to travel to some of the Midwest's top fishing locations. Here is a look at some of the destinations we've been to recently, fisheries that other anglers might want to add to their fishing bucket lists.

### Alexandria (MN) Bass

Famous for its top bass fishing, the Alexandria region also has good walleye fishing, lots of panfish, and good pike and muskie opportunities as well. On this trip in late May, we were on one of the area's good bass

A partner and I had a

fisheries.



MIKE **FRISCH** Fishing the Midwest TV

simple plan: cover water, throwing Thunder Cricket vibrating jigs tipped with various plastics, looking for active, prespawn fish that were roaming the shallows. Our plan worked very well; in just a half day of fishing, we caught a couple of dozen bass. Several of the fish were chunky largemouth in the 4-pound category.

The fishing was indicative of the good bass action we've had in the Alexandria area in the past. For anglers considering a trip there, more information regarding Alexandria can be found at https://explorealex.

Pierre (SD) Walleves Late June found our

team in Pierre for a couple of days of walleye fishing. Pierre is a top fishing destination as anglers have easy access to both Lake Oahe and Lake Sharpe, a couple of top walleye fishing reservoirs.

Day One found us on Lake Oahe with local expert Ryan Thompson. Thompson and I pulled bottom bouncer rigs tipped with nightcrawlers, staying on the move, searching shoreline points for active walleyes. The plan paid dividends as we put a bunch of eater-sized fish in the boat, plus a couple of "overs" walleyes over 20 inches in length.

rington fishing Lake Sharpe. Harrington's first spot was muddied up from heavy rains, so we headed for a spot he felt would be less affected by recent rains. His hunch was right, as spot two yielded a bunch of wall-

Day Two found us with

local guide Nick Har-

"eaters" in the 15-17-inch size range, the class of fish Sharpe is known for.

Anglers considering a trip to Pierre can learn more at: https://www. pierre.org.

### Pelican Lake (MN) Bass

Mid-July saw our team headed to northern Minnesota to fish Pelican Lake near Orr. Pelican has long been on my wish list of fishing destinations as it is well known for its top bass fishing, both largemouth and smallmouth.

Fishing out of Birch Forest Lodge, we were with lodge owner and guide Adam Van Tassell. Van Tassell indicated that we would be fishing a variety of spots sharing the same feature, rocks that transitioned into weeds. These areas would hold largemouth bass, with the opportunity for bonus smallmouth too.

His plan was very productive as we landed dozens of largemouth bass,



Contributed photo from Mike Frisch Adam Van Tassell with a chunky Pelican Lake bass.

with several being in the 4-pound class range, and a big fish topping the scale at just under 5 pounds. A variety of lures put largemouth in the boat, with a Denny Brauer Structure Jig tipped with a Rage Craw and crawled along the bottom to mimic a cray-

fish being the best. Sever-

al bonus smallmouth bass

ate our lures as well.

Anglers considering a trip to Pelican Lake can learn more at www.birchforestlodge.com.

Mike Frisch co-hosts the popular Fishing the Midwest TV series. Visit www. fishingthemidwest.com or follow Fishing the Midwest on Facebook for more "fishy" stuff.

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Monday 1pm for Thursday Tuesday 3pm for Friday Wednesday 5pm for Sat & Sun Thursday 5pm for Mon & Tues Friday 5pm for Wednesday

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NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS TO CUT ALL WEEDS

AND LONG GRASS **Grand Forks City** 

Ordinance 10-0703
Declaration of Public Nuisance All tall grass and weeds predominantly exceeding eight inches (8") in height growing within the limits of the city are hereby declared to be a public nuisance, except as otherwise provided herein. It shall be the duty of every person owning, occupying or in charge of any premises, lot or parcel of land in the city to keep that

premises parcel, or lot, including the

adjacent right-of-ways, berms and

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boulevards free from all tall grass and weeds by cutting or destroying them as required herein between April 1 and November 1 of each year.
Medians separating street sections shall not be included in the requirements of this article. Tall grass that exists as part of a cultivated vegetable, flower garden, or landscaping display shall not be included in the requirements of this article. Grand Forks Public Health Depart-

ment (May. 17; Jun. 14; Jul. 12; Aug. 16, 2025)

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Sheri Haugen-Hoffart, Commis-Randy Christmann, Chair Jill Kringstad, Commissioner (Aug. 16, 2025)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO VA-CATE DRAINAGE EASEMENT LYING WITHIN LOT 2, BLOCK 1,

HOMESTEAD GROVE FOURTH ADDITION Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed with the city auditor to vacate drainage easement lo-cated in Lots 1 and 2 of Block 1 of Homestead Grove Fourth Addition to the city of Grand Forks, North

Dakota, according to the plat filed in the office of the County Recorder within and for Grand Forks County,

North Dakota and recorded at Doc-ument #703302, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of said Lot 1;

1) Thence North 89°23'58" East,

along the north boundary of said Lot

1, for a distance of 157.00 feet;

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eyes, with several

2) Thence South 0°36'02" East for a distance of 155.31 feet; 3) Thence South 27°48'19" West for a distance of 481.04 feet;
4) Thence South 0°44'43" East for a distance of 225.00 feet to a point on

the south line of said Lot 1; 5) Thence South 0°44'43" East for a distance of 520.13 feet;

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for a distance of 190.00 feet to the southeast corner of said Lot 2; 11) Thence North 0°08'16" West, along the west line of said Lot 2, for a distance of 259.15 feet;

12) Thence northerly, continuing along the west line of said Lot 2, for a distance of 80.27 feet, along a tangent curve to the RIGHT, concave easterly, having a radius of 210.00 feet, a central angle of 21°54′02″, and the long chord of which bears and the long chord of which bears North 10°48'45" East for a distance of 79.78 feet;

13) Thence continuing northerly along the west line of said Lot 2, for a distance of 127.67 feet, along a tangent curve to the LEFT, concave westerly, having a radius of 325.00 feet, a central angle of 22°30'27" and the long chard hears of which hears the long chord bears of which bears North 10°30'31" East a distance of 126.85 feet; 14) Thence North 0°44'43" West.

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17) Thence continuing norther-ly along the west line of said Lot 1 for distance of 201.79 feet, along a tangent curve to the LEFT, concave westerly, having a radius of 340.00 feet, a central angle of 35°31'17", and the long chord of which bears North 17°37'25" East for a distance of 207.43 feet;

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Containing 338,930 square feet (7.78 acres) more or less.

Notice is further given that the city council has set the \_2 nd day of September, 2025 at 5:30 o'clock in the

evening in the council chambers in City Hall in the city of Grand Forks, North Dakota, as the time and place for hearing said petition, and at said time and place all persons interested may submit testimony, evidence or argument either for or against said Dated: July 21, 2025. Maureen Storstad, City Auditor (Jul. 26; Aug. 2 & 9 & 16, 2025)

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION Case No. PU-25-220 Flickertail Solar Project, LLC / Otter Tail Power Transfer – Certificate #70 Siting Application
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Michael E. Juntunen (ND #08704) OLSON, JUNTUNEN & COBB, LTD. 802 DeMers Avenue P.O. Box 5788 Grand Forks, ND 58206-5788 (701) 775-4688 mjuntunen@ojs-law.com Attorneys for: Personal Represen-

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF GRAND FORKS COUNTY, STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

In the Matter of the Estate of There-sa F. Bushaw , Deceased Probate No. 18-2025-PR-00122 **NOTICE TO CREDITORS** 

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that

the undersigned has been appoint-ed Personal Representative of the above estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased are required to present their claims within three months after the date of the first publication of this notice or service of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must either be presented to Judy Nelson , Personal Representative of the Es-tate, at c/o Olson, Juntunen & Cobb, Ltd., P.O. Box 5788, Grand Forks, ND 58206-5788, or filed with the Dated this 13 th day of August, 2025

Judy Nelson Personal Representative

(Aug. 16 & 23 & 30, 2025) IN DISTRICT COURT, GRAND

FORKS COUNTY, NORTH DAKOTA Alerus Financial, N.A., a Corpora-Plaintiff. -vs-Fahad Hussein,

Civil No. 18-2025-CV-311
SUMMONS
THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFEN-DANT:

**¶YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED** 

and required to appear and defend against the Complaint in this action which is herewith served upon by serving upon the undersigned an Answer or other proper response within twenty-one (21) days after the service of this Summons upon you, service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service. If you fail to do so, Judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the Complaint.
Dated at Grand Forks, North Dakota, this 10 th day of January, 2025.
Kory A. Kleven (ND ID #09770)
OLSON, JUNTUNEN & COBB
322 Demers Ave, Ste. 400 I PO Box 5788 5788 5788
Grand Forks, ND 58206-5788
Phone: (701) 775-4688
Email: kkleven@ojs-law.com
ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF
THIS COMMUNICATION IS FROM

A DEBT COLLECTOR. THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT, AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT

PURPOSE. (Aug. 9 & 16 & 23, 2025)

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Kenneth V. Carlsen ND License ID No. 09046 Probate No: 18-2025-PR-00116 Ph: (701) 775-5595 kcarlsen@camrudlaw.com

Attorney for Personal Representative IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF GRAND FORKS COUNTY, STATE OF

In the Matter of the Estate of Ronnie G. Hendrickson a/k/a Ronnie Glenn Hendrickson, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased are required to present their claims within three months

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Personal Representative of the Estate of: Ronnie G. Hendrickson (Aug. 9 & 16 & 23, 2025)

The North Dakota Game and Fish Department announces the following summary of

Species	<b>Opens</b>	Closes	<b>Daily Limit</b>	Poss. Limi
Crows (Fall)	Aug. 16	Nov. 03	There is no	
Crows (Spring)	Mar. 14	Apr. 26	limit on crows	
Early Canada Geese (Missouri River Zone)	Aug. 15	Sept. 07		
Early Canada Geese (Western Zone)	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	15	45
Early Canada Geese (Eastern Zone)	Aug. 15	Sept. 22		
Doves	Sept. 01	Nov. 29	15	45
Hungarian Partridge	Sept. 13	Jan. 04	3	12
Sharp-tailed Grouse	Sept. 13	Jan. 04	3	12
Ruffed Grouse	Sept. 13	Jan. 04	3	12
Tree Squirrels	Sept. 13	Feb. 28	4	12
Sage Grouse	Season closed			
Snipe	Sept. 13	Nov. 30	8	24
Woodcock	Sept. 20	Nov. 03	3	9
Sandhill Cranes (Unit 1)	Sept. 20	Nov. 16	3	9
Sandhill Cranes (Unit 2)	Sept. 20	Nov. 16	2	6
Tundra Swan	Oct. 04	Jan. 04	Season limit one swan	
2,200 licenses issued by lottery (de	eadline - Aug. 20)		- must be tagged	
Pinnated Grouse (prairie chicken)		Season closed		
Male Pheasant (youth season)	Oct. 04	Oct. 05	3	12
Male Pheasant (regular season)	Oct. 11	Jan. 04	3	12
Mountain Lion (Zono 1 Early) (hunting)	Aug 20	Nov. 22		

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(type and placement restricted from Mar. 16 - May 10) Weasel (trapping) Oct. 25 Mar. 15 Muskrat and Mink (trapping) Oct. 25 May 10 Nov. 24 Mar. 15 Weasel (cable devices) Muskrat and Mink (cable devices) May 10 Nov. 24 Weasel (hunting) Nov. 24 Mar. 15 Muskrat and Mink (hunting) Nov. 24 May 10 Muskrat and Mink (restricted trappi ing Mar. 16 and cable devices season) May 10 Muskrat and Mink (protective covering over float sets) May 01 May 10 Red Fox, Gray Fox, Coyote, and Badger (day hunting or trapping) Year-round Red Fox, Gray Fox, Coyote, and Badger (cable devices) Nov. 24 Mar. 15

Red Fox, Gray Fox, and Coyote Nov. 24 May 31 (night hunting) Bobcat (Zone 1) (hunting or trapping) Nov. 08 Mar. 15 Bobcat (Zone 1) (cable devices and dogs) Nov. 24 Mar. 15 Nov. 24 Mar. 15 Bobcat (Zone 2)

One per season- restricted (hunting, trapping, cable devices, dogs) Special Veteran and Active Military \* Limits same except no bonus BWT may be taken Sept. 20 Sept. 21 Personnel Waterfowl Season \* Limits same except no bonus BWT may be taken Special Youth Waterfowl Season Sept. 20 Sept. 21 see restrictions 18 Ducks including Low Plains Unit - Sept. 27 thru Dec. 07 Mergansers High Plains Unit - Sept. 27 thru Dec. 07 & Dec. 13 thru Jan. 04 15 45 Coots White-Fronted Geese 3 Sept. 27 Dec. 07 Canada Geese (Missouri River Zone) Sept. 27 Jan. 02 15

Dec. 25

Jan. 04

### **DUCKS AND MERGANSERS: SPECIES/SEX RESTRICTIONS** The daily bag limit of 6 ducks including mergansers may include no more than 5 mallards

of which only 2 may be female mallards, 1 scaup, 3 wood ducks, 3 pintail, 2 redheads, 2 canvasbacks. \* In addition to the daily bag limit of ducks listed above, an additional 2 blue-winged teal may be taken from Sept. 27 - Oct. 05. The possession limit for duck including mergansers shall be three times the daily bag limit.

### SUMMARY OF CHANGES FROM LAST YEAR

Sept. 27

Sept. 27

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- · Nonresident waterfowl zones increased to 6 · A waterfowl habitat restoration stamp is required to hunt waterfowl
- · Fridays will be include in extended shooting

Canada Geese (Western Zone)

Canada Geese (Eastern Zone)

Light Geese

Department wildlife management areas or on PLOTS areas from Oct. 11-17. Exception: nonresidents hunting on PLOTS land that they own.

· Nonresidents are not allowed to hunt on

24

24

No Limit

limit on

other

furbearers

hours for geese, beginning Nov. 28 A complete 2025-2026 Small Game, Furbearer and Waterfowl proclamation is available from the North Dakota Game and Fish Department, 100 North Bismarck Expressway, Bismarck, North Dakota 58501-5095 (701) 328-6300.

### ATTENTION ALL PROPERTY OWNERS CITY OF MINOT NOTICE TO CUT TALL

WEEDS OR GRASS
Property owners in the City of Minot are required to mow weeds or grass, before they exceed 8 inches tall, Under Chapter 22 (Nuisances) of the City of Minot Code of Ordi-

the City of Minot Code of Ordinances.

If the tall weeds or grass on a property is determined to be in Excess of 8 inches tall, such weeds Or grass must be cut within 48 hours. Otherwise, the City of Minot will arrange for cutting; and the cost of such work will be assessed against the property. No further notice to inthe property. No further notice to in-dividual property owners is required under Chapter 22. Any questions regarding tall weeds Or grass cutting procedures should Be directed to the Public Works Department at

857-4140 Opt. #2 (May 15, 29, June 13, 30, July 15, 30, August 15, 29, September 15, 2025)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING The City of Minot Planning Commission will meet in regular session on Wednesday, September 3, 2025, at 5:30p.m. in the Council Chambers of

City Hall located at 10 3 rd Ave. SW to hold public hearings on the items contained in this published notice. contained in this published notice.
Each item is available for review and on file at the Minot City Public Works building located at 1025 31st St. SE, Minot, ND 58701 between 8:00am and 4:30pm Monday through Friday preceding the public hearing. Chapter 9.1 and Article 10 of the Land Development Ordinance of the City of Minot provides the of the City of Minot provides the relevant application procedures per-taining to each application, including protest and appeals available, for each respective application type. In-terested members of the public are encouraged to contact the Planning Division by phone at 701-857-4122 or by e-mail at or by e-mail at planner@minotnd.gov for additional information on each item and associated protest and appeals pro-

### Case #2025-35. Easement

cedures available.

Vacation
Public hearing request by Chad
Sherven representing Monica Porterfield, owner for an Easement Va-cation for an unused utilities ease-ment on a property zoned "MH" Manufacture Home District. The legal description for the property is Lot 11 Battle Ground Addition to the City of Minot, Ward County, North Dako-

The subject property address is 900 63 rd Ave NE.

# Case #2025-36. Interim Use Permit

Use Permit

Public hearing request by Jacob Fylling representing S&L Properties, owner for an Interim Use Permit on a property zoned "C2" General Commercial District for the placement of a temporary modular building. The legal description for the property is 1418 Eliseptell Addition to perty is Lot 18, Flickertail Addition to the City of Minot. Ward County the City of Minot, Ward County, North Dakota.

The subject property address is 4600 N. Broadway.

Case #2025-26. Preliminary Plat Public hearing request by Wayne Strand, owner for a preliminary plat on a property zoned "R1" Single Family Residential District and "AG" Agricultural District. The legal description for the property is Lots 1 & 2, Block 1, of Linha's 4 th Addition to the City of Minot, Ward County, North Dakota.

The subject property address is 3900 16 th St. NW.

# Case #2025-39. Preliminary Plat hearing request by Rob Ackerman Surveying

representing Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch Foundation, owner for a preliminary plat on property zoned "AG Agricultural District. The lega description for the property is Outlot 8 of the SW 1/4 NW 1/4 & NW 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 8, Township 155 North, Range 83 West, Ward County, North Dakota.

# Case #2025-38. Conditional Use Permit

<u>Use Permit</u>
Public hearing request by Caleb
Heilman, Midwest Montessori LLC,
owner for a conditional use permit
on a property zoned "R3B" Multiple
Residence District (equivalent district "RM" Medium Density Residential) for a preschool and commercial tital) for a preschool and commercial daycare facility. The legal description for the property is Lot 1, North Minot 7 th Addition to the City of Minot, Ward County, North Dakota.

The subject property address is 812 8 th St. NW

# Case #2025-33. Conditional Use Permit

Public hearing request by Jonathan Layne, Endeavor Holdings, owner for a conditional use permit for a group home facility on a property zoned "R1" Single Family Residen-tial. The legal description for the pro-perty is S 50' of Lot 1, Block 15 & 20 including vacated street of Ramstads Riverview Subdivision to the City of Minot, Ward County, North Dakota.

The subject property address is 624 Main St. S.

Case #2025-34. Text Amendment Public hearing request by Brian Billingsley, Community Development Director for the City of Minot, for a text amendment to the Land Development Ordinance of the City of Minot. This total amendment could be supported to the control of Minot. This total amendment could be supported to the control of the con of Minot. This text amendment cov ers multiples sections: Chapter 2.2 Public "P" District Use addition for warehousing and Daycares, Chapter warenousing and Daycares, chapter 2.3
2.3 Family Definition, Chapter 2.3
and Chapter 6.1 Shipping Containers Definition and Use Regulations, Chapter 2.24 Noise Buffer
Overlay, Chapter 2.25 Runway tainers Denilitions, Chapter 2.24 No. Overlay, Chapter 2.25 Runway Buffer Overlay, Chapters 2.2 and Chapter 4.1 Group Homes Above Six (6) People, Chapter 5.1 Sign Code Maximums, Chapter 10.2 Requirements and Chapter 13.1 Nonconforming Manufacture Housing in Single Family Residential

(August 16, 23, 2025) STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION Case No. PU-25-225

# Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. Transmission Facility Cost Recovery Rates NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR

HEARING
On July 16, 2025, Montana-Dakota
Utilities Co. (MDU) filed a change to its Transmission Cost Adjustment rates to reflect updated electric transmission revenues and costs. Among those costs are charges for transmission-related services provided by Midcontinent Independent System Operator (MISO) and System Operator (MISO) and Southwest Power Pool (SPP) and

the projected net transmission-related costs including the transmission revenues from a large electric customer taking service under MDU's Rate 45 tariff.
The effect of the rate change on the bill for a residential customer using 800 kWh per month is an increase of \$3.13 per month or \$37.56 per year proposed to be effective December

1, 2025. The issues to be considered in this proceeding are:

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Do the investments and associated costs for the new or modified electric transmission facilities qualify for recovery? 2.Do the proposed rates comply with

Are the proposed rates just and reasonable?

Those interested are invited to comment on the application in writing.

Persons desiring a hearing must file a written request identifying their interest in the proceeding and the reasons for requesting a hearing. Comments and requests for hearings must be received by September 19, 2025. If deemed appropriate, the Commission can propriate, the Commission can determine the matter without a for-

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Randy Christmann, Chair Jill Kringstad, Commissioner (August 16, 2025)

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
Case No. PU-24-376
Northern States Power Company 2025 Electric Rate Increase

Application
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING On December 2, 2024, Northern States Power Company (NSP), filed a Notice for Change in Rates for Electric Service under North Dakota Century Code Section 49-05-05. NSP proposes a \$44.556 million or 19.34% increase in its annual North Dakota electric revenues. The pro-posed rates would affect NSP's service to all of its retail electric customers in North Dakota. Interim rates subject to refund were approved on

January 8, 2025.

A Public Hearing is scheduled to begin December 1, 2025, at 8:30 a.m. Central Time in the Commission Hearing Room, State Capitol, 12th Floor, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505

The issues to be considered in this proceeding are:
1. What is the value of NSP's

property, used and useful, for the service and convenience of the public in North Dakota? 2. What is NSP's rate of return on its property, used and useful, for the rvice and convenience of the pub-

lic in North Dakota? 3. What is a just and reasonable rate of return on NSP's property, used and useful, for the service and con-venience of the public in North Dakota?

What rates and charges are necessary to provide a just and rea-sonable rate of return on NSP's pro-perty, used and useful, for the service and convenience of the public in North Dakota?

5. Are NSP's rate schedules designed in such a manner that they result in a basis of charge to its customers that is just and reasonable without undue discrimination?

**Petitions** Intervene are governed by North Dakota Adminis-trative Code Section 69-02-02-05. However, the Commission encourages anyone wishing to become party to this proceeding to file a Petition to Intervene as early in the process as possible to allow, if granted intervenor status, full participation in prehearing filings and other actions. Consequently, anyone wishing to become a party should file a Petition to Intervene by October 15,

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STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION Case No. PU-25-233 Qwest Corporation
Designated Eligible Carrier
Partial Relinquish

Application
NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR
COMMENT

On August 1, 2025, Gwest Corporation (Gwest) filed an application with the Commission under 47 U.S.C. section 214(e)(4) and 47 C.F.R. section 54.205, requesting relinquishment of its designation as an eligible telecommunications carrier (ETC) in the area currently known as the Leonard Exchange. Qwest was designated as ETC for the purpose of receiving federal universal service support in North Dakota by the Commission on December 17, 1997, under the name of U S West Communications, Inc., which was subse-On August 1, 2025, Qwest Corpora munications, Inc., which was subsequently merged with Qwest.
Under 47 U.S.C. section 214(e)(4)

and 47 C.F.R. section 54.205, the Commission shall permit a carrier to relinguish its ETC designation for an area served by more than one eligi-ble telecommunications carrier. Prior to permitting a telecommunications carrier designated as an eligible telecommunications carrier to cease providing universal service in an area served by more than one eligi ble telecommunications carrier, the state commission shall require the remaining eligible telecommunica-tions carrier or carriers to ensure that all customers served by the re-linquishing carrier will continue to be served, and shall require sufficient notice to permit the purchase or construction of adequate facilities by any remaining eligible telecommuni-cations carrier. The state commis-sion shall establish a time, not to exceed one year after the state com mission approves such relinquish-ment under this section, within which such purchase or construction shall be completed. Qwest indicates it has 17 voice subscribers in the area it intends to relinquish in North Dakota. The Commission will receive written comments in this proceeding

until close of business on Oc-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

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Flickertail Solar Project, LLC /
Otter Tail Power

Otter Tall Power
Transfer - Certificate #70
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SUMMONS SUMMONS
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
COUNTY OF WARD
IN DISTRICT COURT
NORTH CENTRAL JUDICIAL
DISTRICT DISTRICT

Civil No. 51-2025-CV-01899

ProCollect Services, LLC, Plaintiff,

Albert Hill

Defendant.
THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFEN-DANT: YOU ARE HEREBY SUM-MONED and required to appear and defend against the Complaint in this action, which is herewith served upon you, by serving on the under-signed an Answer or other proper response within twenty-one days after service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service If you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. Dated August 14, 2025. /s/Christopher A. Carlson Christopher A. Carlson (id #03378) PO Box 1097 Bismarck ND 58502-1097 701-258-4800 carlsonlaw@qwestoffice.net Attorney for the Plaintiff

(August 16, 23, 30, 2025)

The City of Burlington held their regular meeting 8/4/25. Anderson called the meeting to order at 6:15pm with the pledge. Present: J Anderson, c Hedges, D Smestad, J Nelson, R Opland, employees, & citizens. Smestad moved to approve the agenda with additions, Hedges 2nd, motion carried. Smestad moved to approve 7/7/25 minutes as presented, Opland 2nd, motion carried. ed, Opiario Zirio, Iliolori Carrieo. Hedges moved to approve payroll & bills, Smestad 2nd, motion carried. Hedges moved to appoint Opland as the MPO Policy Board Alternate, Smestad 2nd, motion carried. Smestad 2nd, motion carried. Smestad to appoint of the payrola the p tad moved to approve the purchase of a 30" digger attachment up to \$2,000 from the CST Equipment Fund, Hedges 2nd, motion carried. Smestad moved to approve Pay App. 03 in the amount of App 03 in the amount of \$485,470.42 if the paperwork and signatures were in place prior, Hedges 2nd, motion carried. Anderson opened the public hearing for all ordinances on 2ndreading at 7:16pm. Smestad moved to approve Ordinance 14.0110 amendment as presented, Nelson 2nd, motion carried. Hedges moved to approve Ordinance 18.1501, 18.1502 to 18.1502 Notes, & 18.1602 amendments as presented on 2 nd reading, Nelson 2nd, motion carried. Anderson closed the public hearing at 7:18pm. Hedges moved to terminate the contract with Kat & Company for the renewal of the Burlington App, Smestad 2nd, motion carried. Smestad moved to approve the addition of \$15/month fee to all residential pro-perty owners on the City of Burlington sanitary sewer system to total \$30/property with \$15 going toward City of Burlington sewer fund & \$15 going toward Lagoon Expansion Project until the project was paid off in which case the \$15 additional fee would be dropped, Hedges 2nd, mo-tion carried. Smestad moved to approve a \$15/month fee be added to all commercial properties at this time to go toward the ARPA Lagoon Expansion Project and to review utility bills for additional adjustment, Hedges 2nd, motion carried. Opland moved to approve building permit 1018 as presented. Smestad 2nd motion carried. Smestad moved to approve a 3% raise for all full-time employees in 2026, Hedges 2nd. Hedges amended the prior motion to approve 3% raise for all full-time employees and have \$6,000 in attorney fees be split among all full-time employees in 2026, Smestad 2nd, motion carried on 3:1 vote. Hedges-yes, Smestad-yes, Nelson-no, Opland-yes. Smestad moved to approve an increase in water rates to \$34 base & \$7/1,000 gallons, Hedges 2nd. Smestad amended the prior motion to increase water rates to \$35 base & \$7/1,000 gallons, Hedges 2nd, motion carried. Hedges moved to approve the preliminary budget with a 3% cap increase Smestad 2nd, motion carried. Respectfully Submitted, Sarah Karh-

off, Auditor. (August 16, 2025)

The City of Burlington
Planning Commission will hold a
public meeting 8/27/25 at 6:15pm in
Burlington City Hall at 225 N Wallace St. The following agenda will be opened:

Replat of Outlot 29
Pat Schmidt Variance Request 3. Josh Reinholdt Zoning Change Respectfully Submitted, Sarah Karhoff, Auditor

(August 16, 23, 2025)



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