

**Wheelock and Tande to Saskatchewan 230-kV Transmission Line Project  
– Mountrail, Williams, Burke, Divide, Counties  
NDPSC Case No.: PU-25-283 & PU-25-284  
Preconstruction Meeting Minutes and  
Notice of Intent to Start Construction**

May 14, 2026, 1:00 p.m. central

**Agenda:**

- Introduction
- NDPSC Order
- Open floor

**Participating Attendees:**

**North Dakota Public Service Commission**

- Christopher Hanson - PSC Analyst

**Basin Electric Power Cooperative and Support Staff**

- Bobby Nasset – BEPC - Project Manager
- Maggie Olson – BEPC - Staff Counsel
- Bart Knox – Contract Land Services – ROW Project Manager
- Kendrick Roberson Contract Land Services – ROW Agent
- Brandon Vance Contract Land Services – ROW Agent
- Melissa Moog – Northwest Land Services – ROW Agent
- Nick Cebulski - Northwest Land Services – ROW Agent
- Richard Gotreaux – Preferred Consulting Associates - Owner onsite representative

**Construction Contractor: Brink Constructors, Inc.**

- Randall Anderson – Brink Constructors - Project Manager
- John Jones - Brink Constructors - Director of Ops – Civil
- Paul Lennox - Brink Constructors - Senior PM
- Aaron Hatley - Brink Constructors - VP Project Management
- Gary Freund - Brink Constructors - Construction Manager
- Cody Iverson, Silverline - Construction Manager Foundations
- Tony Vitto – Silverline - Project Manager - Foundations

**Third-Party Inspector**

- Dalton Jorgenson - SEH
- Loretta Marshik - SEH

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**Meeting Minutes:**

The meeting started at 1pm, central.

Chris Hanson kicked off the meeting for the North Dakota Public Service Commission.

Basin Electric provided introduction of the project team, including representatives from Basin Electric, Contract Land Services, Northwest Land Services, and Preferred Consulting Associates.

Brink Constructors provided introduction of the construction team, including members from Brink and their foundation subcontractor, Silverline Construction

SEH introduced themselves as the PSC third-party inspection team.

Basin Electric provided brief overview of the project and current status. Construction is tentatively scheduled to begin in June, pending approval of remaining easements and county/township conditional use permits.

After introductions and overview, Mr. Hanson reviewed the NDSPC Certification Relating to Order Provisions for Case PU-25-283 and PU-25-284. There were no questions regarding the information presented.

Basin Electric will coordinate with Brink and SEH on the start of construction activities, likely in early to mid-June.

Basin Electric stated they would provide a schedule to SEH, Inc, and start developing and submitting monthly construction reports. The meeting concluded at approximately 1:30 pm.

**Notice to Intent to Start Construction:** This document also serves as Bain Electric's Notice of Intent to Start Construction for the Leland Olds Station to Tande 345-kV Transmission Line Project on June 22, 2026.

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