

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Public Service Commission  
Energy Conversion Facility Siting Criteria  
Rulemaking

Case No. PU-19-36

NOTICE OF INTENT TO AMEND ADMINISTRATIVE RULES AND NOTICE OF  
PUBLIC HEARING

February 6, 2019

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that the Public Service Commission will hold a public hearing to address proposed changes to North Dakota Administrative Code to amend section 69-06-08-01 of the North Dakota Century Code.

A hearing will be held on the proposed rules at **1:30 p.m. Central Time on March 13, 2019, in the Commission Hearing Room, 12th floor, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota.** The proposed revisions to the North Dakota Administrative Code are as follows:

**Case No. PU-19-36 - Section 69-06-08-01- Energy Conversion Facility Siting Criteria**

The Commission is proposing to amend North Dakota Administrative Code section 69-06-08-01 to remove prime and unique farmland, and irrigated land from being excluded from consideration for an energy conversion facility, and to clarify additional exclusion areas for a wind energy conversion facility.

The proposed amendments are not expected to have an impact on the regulated community in the excess of \$50,000.

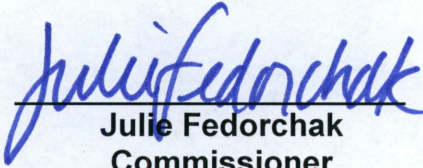
The proposed rules, any Regulatory or other analyses, and the statements concerning the Regulatory Analysis, Small Entity Regulatory Analysis and Economic Impact, and Takings Assessment may be reviewed at the Public Service Commission's offices on the 12<sup>th</sup> floor of the State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota. To obtain a copy of the proposed rule changes or the statements contact the Public Service Commission at 600 East Boulevard Avenue, Department 408, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0480, 701-328-2400, toll free 1-877-245-6685, Relay North Dakota TTY 1-800-366-6888, or [ndpsc@nd.gov](mailto:ndpsc@nd.gov). This information is also available on the commission's web site at [www.psc.nd.gov](http://www.psc.nd.gov) under "Formal Actions/Case Search".

Interested persons may attend the hearing and may submit oral or written comments on the proposed rules. Oral or Written comments should be sent to Steve Kahl,

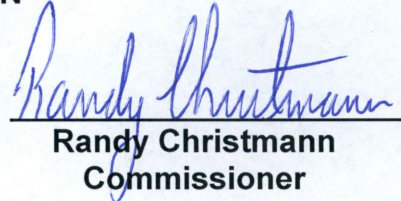
Interim Executive Secretary, Public Service Commission, 600 East Boulevard Avenue, Department 408, Bismarck, North Dakota 58505-0480, or ndpsc@nd.gov. The comment period closes 10 days after the hearing. Comments must be received by the close of business on March 25, 2019 to be fully considered.

If you plan to attend the public hearing and will need special facilities or assistance relating to disability, please contact the Public Service Commission at the above telephone number or address at least 24 hours prior to the public hearing.

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