

October 21, 2019

The Public Service Commission convened in the Commission Hearing Room, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota, on October 21, 2019, 1:18 p.m. Present were Commissioners Fedorchak and Christmann. Commissioner Kroshus participated by telephone and authorized Steve Kahl to sign on his behalf.

Case No. RC-19-189
Coyote Creek Mining Company, L.L.C.
Renewal 1 to Permit NACC-1302
Application

Mr. Christmann: I move the Commission adopt the Hearing Officer's October 21, 2019 Recommended Findings and Ruling and Recommended Order for the Informal Conference held on the applications for Revision No. 9 and Renewal No. 1 to Surface Coal Mining Permit No. NACC-1302 in Coyote Creek Mining Company, LLC, Renewal No. 1, Permit NACC-1302, Approval, Case No. RC-19-189 and Coyote Creek Mining Company, L.L.C., Revision No. 9, Permit NACC-1302, Approval, Case No. RC-19-190.

Case No. RC-19-190
Coyote Creek Mining Company, L.L.C.
Revision 9 to Permit NACC-1302
Application

Ms. Fedorchak: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. RC-19-190
Coyote Creek Mining Company, L.L.C.
Revision 9 to Permit NACC-1302
Application

Mr. Christmann: I move the Commission approve Revision No. 9 with attached Special Condition No. 1 to Surface Coal Mining Permit No. NACC-1302 held by The Coyote Creek Mining Company for the Coyote Creek Mine, to identify the next five year coal removal areas and update mining and reclamation plans and other sections of the permit for the next permit term.

Ms. Fedorchak: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. RC-19-189
Coyote Creek Mining Company, L.L.C.
Renewal 1 to Permit NACC-1302
Application

Mr. Christmann: I move the Commission approve Renewal No. 1 to Surface Coal Mining Permit No. NACC-1302, held by The Coyote Creek Mining Company for the Coyote Creek Mine, to extend the permit term on the existing permit area for another five years, until October 21, 2024.

Ms. Fedorchak: I second the motion.
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

ATTEST

THE COMMISSION ADJOURNED AT 1:30 P.M.


Executive Secretary


BRIAN KROSHUS, CHAIRMAN