

August 12, 2026

The Public Service Commission convened in the Commission Hearing Room, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota, on August 12, 2026, 10:00 a.m. Present were Commissioners Christmann, Haugen-Hoffart and Kringstad.

Minutes

Mr. Christmann: I move the minutes of July 27, 2026, be approved.

Ms. Haugen-Hoffart: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-26-288
Montana-Dakota Utilities Co.
Transmission Facility Cost Recovery
Rates

Mr. Christmann: I move the Commission suspend the rates, reduce the application fee to \$10,000 and issue a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in Montana-Dakota Utilities Co., Transmission Facility Cost Recovery, Rates, Case No. PU-26-288.

Ms. Haugen-Hoffart: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. DM-25-93
Public Service Commission
Keller Construction LLC
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Ms. Haugen-Hoffart: I move the Commission adopt the Order on Consent Agreement in Public Service Commission, Keller Construction LLC, Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case Number DM 25-93.

Ms. Kringstad: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. DM-25-72
Public Service Commission
Anytime Hydroexcavation Inc.
Damage Prevention Enforcement

Ms. Haugen-Hoffart: I move the Commission adopt the Order on Consent Agreement in Public Service Commission, Anytime Hydroexcavation Inc., Damage Prevention Enforcement, Case Number DM 25-72.

Ms. Kringstad: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-25-304
Minnesota Power
202.5 MW Longspur Wind Project -
Morton Cty
Siting Application

Ms. Kringstad: I move the Commission adopt the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order in Minnesota Power, 202.5 MW Longspur Wind Project – Morton County, Siting Application, Case No. PU-25-304, and Minnesota Power, Longspur Wind 230kV Trans Ln - Morton & Mercer Cty, Siting Application, Case No. PU-25-305.

Ms. Haugen-Hoffart: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-25-305
Minnesota Power
Longspur Wind 230kV Trans Ln -
Morton & Mercer Cty
Siting Application

Case No. PU-26-86
Homestead Wind, LLC
Homestead Wind Project - Williams
County
Siting Application

Ms. Kringstad: I move the Commission deem complete the application and issue a Notice of Filing and Notice of Public Hearing in Homestead Wind, LLC, Homestead Wind Project – Williams County, Siting Application, Case No. PU-26-86.

Ms. Haugen-Hoffart: I second the motion.

Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

Case No. PU-26-285
Dakota Gasification Company / Basin
Electric
Transfer of Cert. of Corridor & Route
Permit
Siting Application

Ms. Kringstad: I move the Commission assess an application fee of \$10,000 and issue a Notice of Opportunity for Hearing in Dakota Gasification Company / Basin Electric, Transfer of Cert. of Corridor & Route Permit, Siting Application, Case No. PU-26-285.

Ms. Haugen-Hoffart: I second the motion.

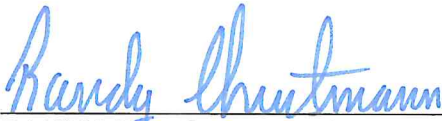
Roll Call: All voting "Aye."

ATTEST

THE COMMISSION ADJOURNED AT 11:30 A.M.



Executive Secretary



RANDY CHRISTMANN, CHAIR