

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF LEASING STATE SCHOOL LANDS

The Board of University and School Lands will offer the following lands for lease in Mercer County.			
Unorganized (142-089)			
	AC	Term	Rent
36 SE4	160	5	\$3090
Unorganized (143-088)			
	AC	Term	Rent
4 N2NE4	80	5	\$1633
4 NW4	160	5	\$2640
4 SW4	160	5	\$3546
32 NW4	160	5	\$3249
32 SW4	160	5	\$3292
Unorganized (143-089)			
	AC	Term	Rent
20 NE4	160	5	\$3127
20 NW4	160	5	\$2190
22 NE4	160	5	\$3391
22 NW4	160	5	\$3546
22 SE4	160	5	\$3179
26 NE4	157	5	\$2933
M - Subject to existing Aggregate or Coal lease			
26 NW4	160	5	\$3187
M - Subject to existing Aggregate or Coal lease			
26 SW4	160	5	\$3128
M - Subject to existing Aggregate or Coal lease			
Unorganized (143-090)			
	AC	Term	Rent
28 NE4	160	5	\$2492
36 NE4	160	5	\$3257
36 NW4	160	5	\$3546
36 SE4	160	5	\$2739
36 SW4	160	5	\$2950
Unorganized (144-088)			
	AC	Term	Rent
36 NE4 less deeded acres	127	5	\$2615
I - Regarding payment for undepreciated			

costs			
36 SE4	160	5	\$3008
Unorganized (144-090)			
	AC	Term	Rent
20 E2SE4	80	5	\$1640
Hay: 73 Crop: 0			
20 SW4NW4	40	5	\$886
20 W2SW4	80	5	\$1516
Unorganized (145-088)			
	AC	Term	Rent
16 NW4	160	5	\$3518
Unorganized (146-090)			
	AC	Term	Rent
36 NE4	151	5	\$3068
36 NW4	155	5	\$3075

Auctioneer will read specific requirements at the auction. The public lease auction will be held in Mercer County Courthouse, Commissioner's Room at 9/30/2025 11:30 AM CT. Other than the descriptions of the lands to be auctioned, the information contained in this advertisement may be revised prior to the auction upon further review by the North Dakota Department of Trust Lands. Any such revisions will be announced at the auction and will be binding upon the bidders. Bidding will begin at minimum rent. 1st year's rent must be paid in full immediately after the sale. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. For more information, visit <https://land.nd.gov> or call (701) 328-2800. For auxiliary aids and services, please call by 9/17

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(08-28-2025)(09-04-2025)(09-11-2025)
(09-18-2025)(09-25-2025)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Name, Address & Telephone No. of Attorney
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF MERCER COUNTY, STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF BETTY C. DRESSLER, 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 (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 Sandra J. Dressler, Personal Representative of the estate, at 229 Fair Street SE, Beulah, North Dakota 58523, or filed with the Court. DATED this 14th day of August, 2025.
SANDRA J. DRESSLER
229 Fair Street SE
Beulah, North Dakota 58523
Scott T. Solem
SOLEM LAW OFFICE
P.O. Box 249
Beulah, N.D. 58523
Attorney for Sandra J. Dressler, Personal Representative of the Estate of Betty C. Dressler, Deceased.
(08-21-2025)(08-28-2025)(09-04-2025)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The public is hereby notified that a public hearing to discuss fees for all Demand Response rides, including weekly trips to Bismarck, and student fares. Discussion will include local demand response fares being changed from \$1/ride to \$1.50/ride and for round trip weekly transportation to Bismarck from \$12/ride to \$15/ride.
Date and Time
September 2, 2025 at 5:00 PM CT
Location
Hazen City Hall Commission Room, 146 Main St E, Hazen ND

Additional Information
For further details, please contact Hazen Busing (748-2590) or the City Auditor (748-2550)
Comments may be submitted in writing by delivering them to Hazen City Hall or they may be emailed to: hazenndbusing@westriv.com or hazennd@westriv.com. Your input is important. Everyone is welcome to attend.
(08-28-2025)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
Basin Electric Power Cooperative
Case No. PU-24-361
345kV Mercer-McLean-Ward-Mount-trail-Williams Cty
Siting Application
NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING
On October 24, 2024, Basin Electric Power Cooperative (Basin) filed a consolidated application for a certificate of corridor compatibility and a route permit (Application) concerning approximately 162 miles of 345-kV electric transmission line and associated facilities (Project) in Mercer, McLean, Ward, Mountrail, and Williams Counties, North Dakota.
On April 22, 2025, the Commission adopted the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order and issued Certificate of Corridor Compatibility Number 237 and Route Permit Number 248 related to the Project.
On August 12, 2025, Basin filed an Amendment to the Application proposing two reroutes for the Project. Both reroutes are located in Mountrail County. The first reroute is approximately 4,000 feet in length, starts in Township 152 North, Range 88 West, Section 7 just west of Tower 377-501 and extends to Township 153 North, Range 88 West, Section 33 at Tower 377-512. The second reroute is approximately 4,500 feet in length and starts in Township 154 North, Range 93 West, Section 25 at Tower 378-081 and extends to Township 154 North, Range 93 West, Section 11 at Tower 378-101.
The issues to be considered in this pro-

ceeding are:
1. Will construction, operation, and maintenance of the facility at the proposed location produce minimal adverse effects on the environment and upon the welfare of the citizens of North Dakota?
2. Is the proposed facility compatible with the environmental preservation and the efficient use of resources?
3. Will construction, operation, and maintenance of the facility at the proposed location minimize adverse human and environmental impact while ensuring continuing system reliability and integrity and ensuring that energy needs are met and fulfilled in an orderly and timely fashion?
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 October 3, 2025. If deemed appropriate, the Commission can determine the matter without a formal hearing. 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 Commission.
Issued: August 20, 2025
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
Sheri Haugen-Hoffart, Commissioner
Randy Christmann, Chair
Jill Kringstad, Commissioner
(08-28-2025)

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE

IN DISTRICT COURT, Mercer COUNTY, STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE OF Christopher David Stewart, A MINOR CHILD
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE
1. PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a Petition will be filed by the Petitioner with the above-entitled court requesting an Order changing the name of (current full legal name of child)

Christopher David Stewart to (requested full legal name of child) Christopher David Allen Swift
2. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that thirty days after publication, the Petitioner intends to file a petition requesting entry of the Court's Order changing the name of the minor child. Any objection to granting this name change must be given in writing to the address listed below within 30 days of the date of this publication. The written

objection must also be filed with the Court. If no objections are given, the Court may respond to the Petition without further hearing.
Dated 08/26/2025
K Swift (Petitioner Signature)
Kelsey Quynn -Sorenson Swift (Printed Name)
305 Front St SE (Address)
Beulah, ND, 58523 (City, State Zip Code)
(08-28-2025)

NOTICE OF PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE

IN DISTRICT COURT, Mercer COUNTY, STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE OF Zakary Marshall Stewart, A MINOR CHILD
NOTICE OF PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE
1. PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a Petition will be filed by the Petitioner with the above-entitled court requesting an Order changing the name of (current full legal name of child)

Zakary Marshall Stewart to (requested full legal name of child) Zakary Marshall Allen Swift
2. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that thirty days after publication, the Petitioner intends to file a petition requesting entry of the Court's Order changing the name of the minor child. Any objection to granting this name change must be given in writing to the address listed below within 30 days of the date of this publication. The written

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