

## B&H WIND, LLC

"Your Southeast South Dakota Wind Farm"

July 24, 2013

South Dakota Public Utilities Commission Capitol Building, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor 500 E. Capitol Ave. Pierre, SD 57501-5070

## INFORMATIONAL NOTICE PURSUANT TO SOUTH DAKOTA CODIFIED LAW 49-41B-25.1

## Re: B & H Wind, LLC

This letter shall serve as notice of our intent to commence construction of up to a 41MW wind farm project known as the B&H Community Wind (B & H Wind Phase 1) that will be owned by B&H Wind, LLC, a South Dakota LLC, with the following address:

B&H Wind, LLC 101 Second Street West, PO Box 321 Chokio, Minnesota 56221 Telephone 320-324-7122

This project will be located near Tripp, South Dakota, and located in Hutchinson, Bon Homme and Charles Mix Counties, more specifically identified as:

Latitude: 43.173° North Longitude: -98.068° West

Based on current turbine technology, performance, and price, the project is currently considering a Project layout that will consist of up to 22 turbines with a nameplate capacity of 1.85 MW per wind turbine generator (tower). B & H Wind Farm may choose a turbine of a different size and vendor depending on future changes in turbine technology, turbine performance, and price. No Project layout will exceed a total annual production output of 41MW.

The project would interconnect with NorthWestern Energy at NorthWestern's Tripp Junction Substation (Tripp 115kV bus) approximately 6 miles south of Tripp, SD.

Construction commencement, weather permitting is scheduled for 4th Quarter of 2013.

Any changes, modifications or alterations to this proposed plan shall be updated with the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission to reflect such changes, if any.

Sincerely,

## /s/ Keith L. Thorstad

Keith L. Thorstad, Execute Vice President B & H Wind, LLC