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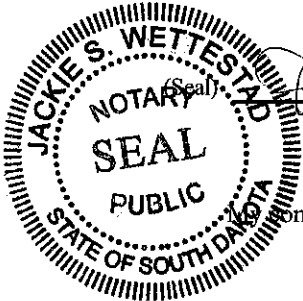
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Kevin Shaw

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of October A.D. 2018.



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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION**

WHAT: Permit for Flying Cow Wind, LLC to Construct a 345 KV Transmission Line and Associated Facilities in Deuel County
WHEN: Monday, November 19, 2018, at 5:30 p.m. CST
WHERE: Deubrook Elementary School Gymnasium, 695 Palisades Ave., Toronto, SD

Pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-15 and 49-41B-16, the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission will hold a public input hearing at the above time and place on an application to construct an approximately 10.42 miles of 345-kilovolt (kV) overhead transmission line, a substation, and associated facilities (Project) located entirely within Deuel County, South Dakota. The Project is proposed by Flying Cow Wind, LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Roaring Fork Wind, LLC, the joint venture formed by subsidiaries of its affiliate Renewable Energy Systems Americas Inc, and Vestas Wind Systems A/S. The starting point of the transmission line for the Project is proposed to be located in Government Lot 2 of Section 34 in Township 114N, Range 47W, Norden Township. The ending point will be in the NW 1/4 of Section 22, Township 113N, Range 48 West, Scandinavia Township. The Project is expected to be in service by the third quarter of 2020.

The purpose of the public input hearing will be to hear public comments regarding the permit Application and the Projects. At the hearing, Applicant will present a brief description of the Projects, following which interested persons may appear and present their views, comments and questions regarding the Application. A copy of the Application is on file with the Deuel County Auditor pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-15(5) and at the Commission's office in Pierre. The Application and all other documents in the case, including detailed maps of the Projects, may be accessed on the Commission's website at www.puc.sd.gov under Commission Actions, Commission Dockets, Electric Dockets, 2018 Electric Dockets, EL18-039 or by contacting the Commission in person at the Capitol Building, 500 E. Capitol Ave., Pierre, SD, or by phone at (605) 773-3201 or (800) 332-1782.

Pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40, the parties to this proceeding are currently the Applicant and the Commission. Any person residing in the area of the Projects; each municipality, county, and governmental agency in the area where the Projects are proposed to be sited; any non-profit organization formed in whole or in part to promote conservation or natural beauty, to protect the environment, personal health or other biological values, to preserve historical sites, to promote consumer interests, to represent commercial and industrial groups, or to promote the orderly development of the area in which the Projects are to be sited; or any interested person, may be granted party status in this proceeding by making written application to the Commission. Applications for party status will be available at the public input hearing or may be obtained from the Commission's website or by contacting the Commission. Applications for party status must be received by the Commission on or before 5:00 p.m.

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This afternoon shows 1,139 new cases of the disease in the state, with 46 new deaths. This makes South Dakota's total influenza numbers from the last two months: Number of cases, 16,381; deaths, 181. This latest report, while showing a general decrease, indicates that care must still be exercised in dealing with this epidemic. No announcement can be made at this time as to when the restrictions ordering the closure of schools and all pieces of amusement will be removed by state officials.

Douglas MacArthur's "His forces are weak in number and significance." Four Japanese fighters destroyed at least 1,000 planes and sank two 1,000-ton