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Dear Landowner/Resident:

The North Dakota Public Service Commission requires mining companies who use explosives to notify all residents and owners of manmade dwellings or structures within one mile of the permit boundary about how to request a pre-blasting survey. You are receiving this letter because you have a residence or own a structure within one mile of the permit boundary for the South Heart Lignite Mine. South Heart Coal LLC (SHC) may be conducting blasting operations within this permit in the near future.

You may request a pre-blasting survey by contacting the Reclamation Division of the North Dakota Public Service Commission (PSC), State Capital, Bismarck, ND at (701)-328-7096, or me at South Heart Coal LLC at (888)-888-8888, ext 888 during regular business hours. An independent contractor will be employed by SHC to determine and document the existing condition of your dwelling and other structures that could reasonably be affected by blasting. Copies of the survey results will be provided to you, to SHC, and to the Reclamation Division of the PSC. If requested, this pre-blast survey will be conducted at no cost to you.

Blasting will occur only during the daylight hours on a schedule published once a year in the Dickinson Press (see Attachment). The schedule may be changed periodically, but you will receive notice at least ten days, but not more than twenty days prior to implementation of the new schedule.

If you have any questions or comments, feel free to contact me at (888)-888-8888, ext 888.

Sincerely,

South Heart Coal LLC

Name
Title