

BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COUNCIL
STATE OF WYOMING

In the Matter of:)
Basin Electric Power Cooperative) Docket No. 10-2802
Air Quality Permit No. MD-6047)
BART Permit: Laramie River Station)

RESPONSE TO BASIN ELECTRIC'S MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

Publisher's Affidavit with Public Notice

EXHIBIT 14

AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF WYOMING
SS
COUNTY OF PLATTE

I, AMBER NINGEN, being first duly sworn, depose that I am Editor of the Platte County Record-Times, a legal newspaper of general circulation in Platte County, Wyoming, and printed and published in the English language once a week at Wheatland in said county and state: PLATTE, WYOMING

That the Platte County Record-Times has been regularly and consecutively published for more than fifty-two weeks prior to the first publication of the notice hereof;

That the Legal Notice regarding

Public Notice # 7645

a copy of which is hereto attached and forms a part of this affidavit, was published in the Platte County Record-Times for weekly issue(s) of the following dates, to-wit:

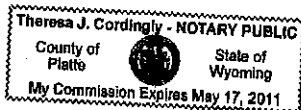
June 3, 2009

And that the said notice was published in the regular and entire issue of said Platte County Record-Times for said above date, and in the newspaper proper and not in a supplement thereof.

Amber Ningen

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me at Wheatland, Wyo., on this, the *16* day of *June*, 2010.

Theresa J. Cording
Notary Public



PUBLIC NOTICE

STATE OF WYOMING

Department of Environmental Quality/Division of Air Quality

PUBLIC NOTICE AND NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Chapter 6, Section 9(e)(iv), in accordance with procedures specified in Chapter 6, Section 2(m), of the Wyoming Air Quality Standards and Regulations provides that prior to final determination on a Best Available Retrofit Technology (BART) application for an existing source, opportunity be given for public comment and/or public hearing on the information submitted by the owner or operator and on the analysis underlying the proposed decision. The regulation further requires that such information be made available in at least one location in the affected air quality control region, and that the public be allowed a period of thirty (30) days in which to submit comments. To allow additional opportunity for comment as specified under the Wyoming Air Quality Standards and Regulations 6.308(i)(2), the public comment period has been extended an additional thirty (30) days to a total of sixty (60) days.

Notice is hereby given that the State of Wyoming, Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Air Quality, proposes to issue BART determinations for three (3) existing sources owned by the following applicant in Platte County, Wyoming.
Basin Electric Power Cooperative
1717 East Interstate Avenue
Bismarck, ND 58503

The three (3) existing sources are located at the Laramie River Station, 347 Grayrocks Road, approximately five (5) miles northeast of Wheatland, in Platte County, Wyoming. The applicant will install the controls determined to be BART and required under the Long-Term Strategy of the Wyoming Regional Haze State Implementation Plan to reduce visibility impacts on Wind Cave National Park located approximately 118 miles (190 kilometers) northeast of the Laramie River Station, Badlands National Park located approximately 168 miles (270 kilometers) northeast of the facility, Rawah Wilderness Area located approximately 103 miles (165 kilometers) southwest of the facility, and Rocky Mountain National Park located approximately 115 miles (185 kilometers) southwest of the facility.

A copy of the BART permit application and the agency's analysis is available for public inspection at the Platte County Clerk's Office, Wheatland, Wyoming, and on the Department's website (<http://deq.state.wy.us/eqd/BART.asp>). In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, special assistance or alternate formats will be made available upon request for individuals with disabilities.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Wyoming Environmental Quality Act and the Wyoming Air Quality Standards and Regulations, a public hearing relative to the requested issuance of an air quality permit for the proposed BART determinations will be held by the Administrator of the Air Quality Division, Department of Environmental Quality at 1 p.m., Thursday, August 6, 2009, at the Platte County Library, located at 904 9th Street, in Wheatland, Wyoming.

The hearing will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of Chapter III of the Rules of Practice and Procedure adopted by the Environmental Quality Council, and therefore, will not be conducted as a contested case. The purpose of the hearing is to gather information concerning the emissions of three (3) visibility impairing pollutants, nitrogen oxides, sulfur dioxide, and particulate matter, into the atmosphere and the impact of such pollutants on nearby Class I areas. The scope of the hearing will be limited to such issues in order for the Department of Environmental Quality to determine whether or not the proposed BART determinations satisfy the requirements of Chapter 6, Section 9, of the Wyoming Air Quality Standards and Regulations.

All persons desiring to be heard on this matter are hereby notified to appear at the designated time and place. Oral statements will be accepted at the time of the hearing, but for accuracy of the record, written statements are encouraged and will be accepted at the time of the hearing or prior thereto.

Written comments may be directed to David A. Finley, Administrator, Division of Air Quality, Department of Environmental Quality, 122 W. 25th St., Cheyenne, Wyoming 82002. Please reference AP-6047 in your comment. Comments submitted by email will not be included in the public record. All comments received prior to and during the public hearing, Thursday, August 6, 2009, will be considered in the final determination on this application.

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