



Probate No. 31-2025-PR-00147
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
MOUNTRAIL COUNTY,
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
In the Matter of the Estate of
Dennis C. Halvorson, 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 months after the date of the first publication or mailing of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Claims must be presented to Dezarae A. Ghlolt, Personal Representative of the Estate at 308 4th Ave. NW, Beulah, ND 58523, or filed with the court.

/s/ Dezarae Ghlolt
Personal Representative
/s/Dezarae Ghlolt
308 4th Ave NW
Beulah, ND 58523
Dec. 10, 17, 24, 2025

Probate No. 31-2025-PR-00165
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
MOUNTRAIL COUNTY,
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
In the Matter of the Estate of
DIANNE MOEN, 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 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 EDWARD A. MOEN, personal representative of the estate, at 2525 Elk Drive, PO Box 1000, Minot, ND 58702-1000, or filed with the Court.

Dated this 10th day of December, 2025.

/s/ Edward A. Moen
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First publication on the 17th day of December, 2025.
Dec. 17, 24, 31, 2025

Court File No. 31-2025-PR-00167
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF
MOUNTRAIL COUNTY,
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
In the Matter of the Estate of
Donald L. Kjoson, 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 Decedent 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 Bennett A. Lystad, Vogel Law Firm, 215 30th St N, PO Box 1077, Moorhead, MN 56561-1077, Mark A. Kjoson, 5659 Altitude Dr., Colorado Springs, CO 80918 as Personal Representative of the Estate, or filed with the Court.

Dated this 8th day of December, 2025.

/s/ Mark A. Kjoson
Mark A. Kjoson, Personal Representative
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Dec. 10, 17, 24, 2025

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY OF MOUNTRAIL
NORTH CENTRAL JUDICIAL
DISTRICT
Silver Legacy Contractors, LLC,
Plaintiff,
vs.
Jefferson Smith IV and Waheedee Smith, and all persons unknown, claiming any estate in or lien or encumbrance upon the property described in the complaint,
Defendants.

Civil No. 31-2025-CV-00149
SUMMONS
THE STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANTS:

YOU AND EACH OF YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to appear and defend the Complaint in this action, a copy of which is herewith served upon you, by serving upon the undersigned an Answer or other proper response within twenty-one (21) days after the service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service. If you fail to do so, Judgment by Default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint. The Complaint in this action has been filed in the office of the Clerk of Court of Mountrail County, North Dakota.

The object of the action is to quiet title to Plaintiff, and to exclude the Defendants from any estate or interest in or lien or encumbrance upon, the land involved in this action.

Dated this 1st day of July, 2025.
OLSON & BURNS P.C.
/s/ Ryan G. Quarne
Ryan G. Quarne
(ID #07618)
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NOTICE OF NO PERSONAL CLAIM
TO: THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANTS AND ALL OTHER PERSONS TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The above-entitled action is brought for the purpose of quieting title in the Plaintiff in the following described real estate situated in Mountrail County, North Dakota, to-wit:

Lot 1, Block 2, Phinney's Addition, Parshall City

No personal claim is made against any Defendant nor for any costs in this action unless appearance is made by you herein.

Dated this 1st day of July, 2025

OLSON & BURNS P.C.
/s/ Ryan G. Quarne
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Dec. 10, 17, 24, 2025

SCHOOL ANNEXATION HEARING

Notice is given that a public hearing will be held by the Ward and Mountrail County School District Reorganization Committee, Thursday, January 15th, 2026 at 1:00 PM in the Ward County Commissioners' Chambers, Ward County Administration Building, located at 225 3rd Street SE, second floor in Minot, North Dakota, for the purpose of considering a petition for annexing a territory to Lewis & Clark School District #161 of Ward, McLean, Renville, and Mountrail County from the Parshall School District #3 of Mountrail and McLean County.

The Petition describes the territory to be annexed as the following:
Section 18: SouthEast ¼ of Mountrail Township 151 North-Range 88 West of Mountrail County, North Dakota.

This hearing is held in accordance with the North Dakota Century School Code Chapter 15.1-12 and by order of the Ward and Mountrail School District Reorganization Committee.

Jodi Johnson, Ward County Superintendent of Schools and
Steph Pappa Mountrail County Superintendent of Schools Designee.
Submitted for publication by Ward & Mountrail County, North Dakota.
Dec. 24, 2025

Probate No. 31-2025-PR-00145
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
OF MOUNTRAIL COUNTY,
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
In the Matter of the Estate
of David M. Swenson

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 deceased are required to present their claims within three months after the date of the first publication or mailing of this notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented to Barbara M. Swenson, personal representative of the estate, at P.O. Box 400, Bismarck, ND 58502-0400 or filed with the Court.

Dated this 19th day of November 2025.
/s/ Barbara M. Swenson
Barbara M. Swenson
c/o PEARCE DURICK PLLC

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Dec. 10, 17, 24, 2025

NOTICE OF APPLICATION APPLICATION FOR APPROPRIATION OF WATER FROM SURFACE WATER

TAKE NOTICE that HIGHLINE WATER, LLC, WILLISTON, ND, has submitted Water Permit Application No. 7442 to the North Dakota Department of Water Resources for a permit to divert and appropriate water from the Stanley Reservoir.

The application requests an annual appropriation of 350.0 acre-feet of water for Industrial use at a pumping rate of 7,000 gallons per minute, utilizing point(s) of diversion located in the NW1/4 SE1/4 of Sec. 32, T. 156 N., R. 091 W., Mountrail County.

TAKE NOTICE that written comments regarding the proposed appropriation must be filed in the Department of Water Resources, 1200 Memorial Highway, Bismarck, North Dakota 58504-5262, by 5 o'clock p.m., on the 23 day of January 2026. The Department of Water Resources shall consider all written comments received and prepare a recommended decision which will be provided to the applicant and any person who filed written comments. Those persons may file additional comments with the Department of Water Resources, request an adjudicative proceeding on the application, or both.

Dated at Bismarck, North Dakota, on December 10, 2025.

/s/ John Paczkowski, P.E.
State Engineer
Department of Water Resources
1200 Memorial Highway
Bismarck, ND 58504-5262
Dec. 24, 31, 2025

SUMMONS
Case No. 31-2025-DM-00037
IN DISTRICT COURT
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
COUNTY OF MOUNTRAIL
NORTH CENTRAL JUDICIAL
DISTRICT

Muhammad Umer Riaz, Plaintiff vs. Ashley Lynn Dawn Cornell, Defendant

[1] You are hereby summoned and required to appear and defend against the Plaintiff's Complaint in this action, which is herewith served upon you, by serving upon the undersigned an Answer or other proper response within twenty-one (21) days of service of this Summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service. If you fail to do so, judgment by default will be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

[2] NOTICE OF TEMPORARY RESTRAINING PROVISIONS:

Pursuant to Rule 8.4(b) of the North Dakota Rules of Court, upon service of this Summons, you and your spouse are bound by the following restraints:

1. Neither spouse shall dispose of, sell, encumber, or otherwise dissipate any of the parties' assets, except:

a. For the necessities of life or for the necessary generation of income or preservation of assets; or

b. For retaining counsel to carry on or to contest the proceeding;

i. If a spouse disposes of, sells, or encumbers, or otherwise dissipates assets during the interim period, that spouse shall provide to the other spouse an accounting within thirty (30) days.

2. Neither spouse shall harass the other spouse.

3. All currently available insurance coverage must be maintained and continued without change in coverage or beneficiary designation.

4. Neither spouse shall remove the minor children, if any, from North Dakota without the written consent of the other spouse or order of the Court except for temporary periods.

[3] The restraining provisions contained in this Summons apply to both parties upon service of the Summons. The provisions are effective until otherwise provided by court order or by written stipulation of the parties filed with the court.

[4] IF A PARTY VIOLATES ANY OF THESE PROVISIONS, THAT PARTY MAY BE IN CONTEMPT OF COURT.

Dated May 7, 2025

/s/ Rheider W. McCormick
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Dec. 17, 24, 31, 2025

Oil Activity Report

Permits:
EOG Resources, Inc., Lostwood 37-2710H, NENW 34-158N-91W, Mountrail Co., 585' FNL and 2626' FWL, Development, Kittleson Slough, 2356' Ground, API #33-061-05628, Spacing unit: Sections 10, 15, 22 and 27, T158N R91W, location outside of spacing unit

EOG Resources, Inc., Lostwood 38-2710H, NWNE 34-158N-91W, Mountrail Co., 595' FNL and 2610' FEL, Development, Kittleson Slough, 2354' Ground, API #33-061-05629, Spacing unit: Sections 10, 15, 22 and 27, T158N R91W, location outside of spacing unit

EOG Resources, Inc., Lostwood 39-2710H, NWNE 34-158N-91W, Mountrail Co., 595' FNL and 2560' FEL, Development, Kittleson Slough, 2352' Ground, API #33-

061-05630, Spacing unit: Sections 10, 15, 22 and 27, T158N R91W, location outside of spacing unit

EOG Resources, Inc., Lostwood 40-2710H, NWNE 34-158N-91W, Mountrail Co., 585' FNL and 2510' FEL, Development, Kittleson Slough, 2351' Ground, API #33-061-05631, Spacing unit: Sections 10, 11, 14, 15, 22, 23, 26 and 27, T158N R91W, location outside of spacing unit

Additional Information:
Released from Confidential Status:

Hess Bakken Investments II, LLC, EN-Rice-155-94-1102H-8, SWSW 11-155N-94W, Mountrail Co., Manitou

Petro-Hunt, L.L.C., Lee 158-94-22B-27-3H, NWNE 22-158N-94W, Mountrail Co., East Tioga

Petro-Hunt, L.L.C., Torgerson 158-94-15C-10-1H, NWNE 22-158N-94W, Mountrail Co., East Tioga

Petro-Hunt, L.L.C., Torgerson 158-94-15D-10-2H, NWNE 22-158N-94W, Mountrail Co., East Tioga

Confidential Wells Plugged or Producing:

Oasis Petroleum North America LLC, Feiring State 5793 13-16 3BU, NWNE 16-157N-93W, Mountrail Co.

Hess Bakken Investments II, LLC, EN-Hilleren-157-94-1336H-1, SESW 12-157N-94W, Mountrail Co.

Hess Bakken Investments II, LLC, EN-Binger-157-94-1201H-4, SESW 12-157N-94W, Mountrail Co.

Hess Bakken Investments II, LLC, EN-Hilleren-157-94-1336H-2, SESW 12-157N-94W, Mountrail Co.

Hess Bakken Investments II, LLC, EN-Rohde-157-94-3625H-2, Lot 2 3-156N-94W, Mountrail Co.

Hess Bakken Investments II, LLC, EN-Trout-157-93-3130H-5, Lot 2 3-156N-94W, Mountrail Co.

Hess Bakken Investments II, LLC, EN-Binger-157-94-1201H-5,

SESW 12-157N-94W, Mountrail Co. Hess Bakken Investments II, LLC, EN-Trout-157-93-3130H-4, Lot 2, 3-156N-94W, Mountrail Co. Hess Bakken Investments II, LLC, EN-Rohde-157-94-3625H-3, Lot 2 3-156N-94W, Mountrail Co. Hess Bakken Investments II, LLC, EN-Rohde-LE-157-94-3625H-1, Lot 2 3-156N-94W, Mountrail Co.

Producing Wells Completed:
Petro-Hunt, L.L.C., Torgerson 158-94-15C-10-1H, NWNE 22-158N-94W, Mountrail Co. 394 bopd, 950 bwpd

Petro-Hunt, L.L.C., Torgerson 158-94-15D-10-2H, NWNE 22-158N-94W, Mountrail Co., 600 bopd, 1198 bwpd

SWD Permits Approved:

Petro-Hunt, LLC, State 158-92-1 SWD, Lot 3 1-158N-92W, Mountrail Co., Cottonwood

More information on oil activity in the state can be found online at <https://www.dmr.nd.gov/oilgas/>.

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