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NOTICE OF APPLICATION NO. 8184-3 to Appropriate Water

Notice is given that Darrell Nelson, 44023 306th St. Yankton SD 57078 has filed an application for a water permit to impound 47.4 acre-feet of water from runoff by constructing a dam located in the NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 14 with water impounded in the N 1/2 NE 1/4 Section 14; all in T94N-R56W. This application requests impoundment of sufficient water to maintain water to the outlet elevation of 1278.0 feet mean sea wildlife propagation and livestock water purposes

Pursuant to SDCL 46-2A-2, the Chief Engineer recommends AP-PROVAL of Application No. 8184-3 because 1) unappropriated water is available, 2) existing rights will not be unlawfully impaired, 3) it is a beneficial use of water, and 4) it is in the public interest. In accordance with SDCL 46-2A-23, the Chief Engineer will act on this application, as recommended, unless a petition is filed opposing the application or the applicant files a petition contesting the Chief Engineer's recommendation. If a petition opposing the application or contesting the recommendation is filed, then a hearing will be scheduled and the Water Management Board will consider this application. Notice of the hearing will be given to the applicant and any person filing a

Any person interested in opposing or supporting this application or recommendation must file a written petition with BOTH the applicant and Chief Engineer. The applicant must file a petition if contesting the Chief Engineer's recommendation. The Chief Engineer's address is "Water Rights Program, Foss Building, 523 E Capitol, Pierre SD 57501 (605 773-3352) and the applicant's mailing address is given above. A petition filed by either an interested person or the applicant must be filed by November 30, 2015.

The petition may be informal, but must include a statement describing the petitioner's interest in the application, the petitioner's reasons for opposing or supporting the application, and the signature and mailing address of the petitioner or the petitioner's legal counsel, if legal counsel is ob-

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tained. Contact Eric Gronlund at the above Water Rights Program address to request copies of information pertaining to this application. Steven M. Pirner, Secretary, Department of Environment and Natural Resources. Published once at the total an proximate cost of \$23.60.

11+18 NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AIR QUALITY CONSTRUCTION PERMIT

The South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) received and reviewed the application for an air quality construction permit for the following applicant:

APPLICANT NAME: NuStar Pipeline Operating Partnership,

FACILITY LOCATION: Yankton, South Dakota

The air quality construction permit will allow the construction and operation of the following

1. Unit #18 APEX - soil vapor extraction unit with a maximum operating rate of 732 actual cubic feet per minute.

A review of the application indicates NuStar Pipeline Operating Partnership, L.P. can construct and operate the soil vapor extraction unit in compliance with South Dakotas Air Pollution Control rules and the federal Clean Air Act. DENR, therefore, recommends the Board of Minerals and Environment issue an air quality construction permit to NuStar Pipeline Operating Partnership, with conditions to ensure compliance with South Dakota Codified Laws (SDCL) 34A 1 and the federal Clean Air Act.

In accordance with the Administrative Rules of South Dakota (ARSD) 74:36:20:11, any person desiring to comment on DENRs draft permit conditions must submit written comments to the address below by close of business on the thirtieth day of this public notice. Comments may be directed to the following mailing address: Earl Berg; PMB 2020; Department of Environment and Resources; 523 East Capitol; Pierre, South Dakota 57501. DENR will consider and address all comments submitted and issue a final permit decision pursuant to ARSD 74:36:20:13. DENR will notify the applicant and each person that requested notice or submitted written comments of DENRs final permit decision, including notification of any changes to the permit based

Any person desiring to contest the issuance of this permit and have a contested case hearing must file a petition, which complies with ARSD 74:09:01:01. This petition must be filed either by close of business on the thirtieth day of this public notice or, if that person submits comments on DENRs draft permit pursuant to the paragraph above, within thirty days of receiving notice of DENRs final permit decision. Upon receipt of on DENR this matter for a contested case hearing before the Board of Minerals and Environment.

on the comments.

If no comments or objections are received by close of business on the thirtieth day of this public notice, the draft permit becomes the final permit decision and the permit will be issued.

Copies of DENRs draft permit conditions and other information may be obtained from Earl Berg, Engineer I, at the above address or telephone at (605) 773-3151 or from DENRs website at:

http://denr.sd.gov/public/

Steven M. Pirner, Secretary Department of Environment and Natural Resources

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Talks Under Way For UN Rights Chief To Visit North Korea

BY EDITH M. LEDERER

Associated Press

UNITED NATIONS — North Korea and the United Nations both confirmed Tuesday that discussions are under way for what would be the first visit to the reclusive north Asian country by a U.N. human rights chief.

North Korea's rights record has been called abysmal and led to a recommendation that the country be prosecuted by the International Criminal Court for crimes against humanity. The U.N. General Assembly is expected to vote later this week on a resolution sponsored by the European Union and Japan that would condemn North Korea's rights violations and again encourage the U.N. Security

Council to refer the country to the war crimes tribunal.

North Korean Ambassador-at-large Ri Hung Sik told a news conference Tuesday that the government invited High Commissioner for Human Rights Zeid Raad al-Hussein to Pyongyang to follow up on his office's interest in "technical cooperation." He said contacts were under way on the details and timing of the visit.

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tion of Bon Homme County. The task force faces the challenge of proposing action which will result in significant results, Owen said.

"Is perception fair or not?" he asked. "There is the perception that you never see anything change.' **FINDING TEACHERS**

When it comes to the chronic teacher shortage, the Yankton School District's situation isn't unique, Owen said. South Dakota faces a crisis stage in the near future. The number of educators who are retiring or leaving the profession will continue to far outweigh new teachers, he said.

"The studies show the outgoing number of teachers is a lot bigger than the (incoming) during a five-year period. That has always been the case." he said. "Now. not all of the teachers who could go out (of the profession) are doing so, which is helping with the smaller number of incoming teachers."

But at some point, the reality is that districts will lose teachers. "People die," he said, alluding to the large number of teachers at or near retirement age.

COMING UP WITH PAY

When it comes to teacher pay, South Dakota literally starts at the bottom, Owen

"(The task force) discussed teacher salaries, which are 51st in the nation behind every other state and the District of Columbia," he

'The average teacher salary in South Dakota was \$40,023 (during 2013), while the Blue Ribbon recommendation calls for a target of \$48,000. And South Dakota would still be behind other

states."

Reaching the target of \$48,000 would require an ongoing commitment of an additional \$75 million annually, Owen said. "They would try to use existing funds and more to take care of the problem," he said.

The Blue Ribbon Task Force has also recommended shifting the state aid formula from the current use of enrollment to a formula based on student-to-teacher ratio, he said. One recommendation would set a goal of 14 students per teacher.

State Sen. Deb Soholt (R-Sioux Falls) and State Rep. Jacqueline Sly (R-Rapid City) co-chair the Blue Ribbon Task Force. Soholt has conferred with the South Dakota Chamber board regarding the task force recommenda-

"Our board wants to make sure the money (intended for higher teacher pay) goes to the teachers, Owen said.

FACING CHALLENGES

South Dakota faces challenges in terms of its demographics, particularly with a number of isolated rural districts, Owen said.

"A lot of school districts (among the 151 in the state) don't have a lot of kids, but you don't want your kids on a bus for three hours a day (if they traveled to a larger or consolidated school)," he said.

South Dakota schools may have higher average administration costs because of its smaller enrollments, he said.

School districts also face the question of whether they should go off the salary schedule and pay more to attract teachers in subjects difficult to fill, he added.

At the state level, education accounts for about half of South Dakota's annual budget, Owen said. The sales and use tax is the largest and

considered the most stable source of revenue, raising \$826 million annually, he added.

Proposals have called for increasing the sales tax revenue during the summer, increasing the "sin" tax or pursuing other revenue sources.

South Dakota could raise its sales on a year-round basis, Owen said. Raising the sales tax by one-fourth of a cent would generate an additional \$50 million annually, which would cover most of the teacher pay raise. Raising the sales tax a half-cent would generate \$100 million for the schools and some tax reform.

"If you raise it a full cent, it would raise \$200 million and you can solve a lot of the school problems and do some other tax reform," he

What constitutes tax reform? The answer could range from limiting property taxes to removing the sales tax from food, he said.

The desired solution lies in the eye of the beholder, he said. "The tax you're beleaguered by, you want to go away," he said.

Owen generally saw the state keeping the smallschool factor, which is additional funding to help schools with low enrollment meet their higher cost of operation. He also saw general support for keeping the sparsity factor. The additional sparsity funding goes to small, isolated districts that may be too far from other schools for cooperation or consolidation.

The state may also consider taking some of the dollars currently available for school districts, Owen said.

At that point, District 18 Rep. Mike Stevens (R-Yankton) raised a red flag for the audience.

'The Yankton School District receives \$1.1 million in other funds, so that's a big deal," he said.

Kindle agreed. "The Yankton School District would be devastated by losing its other revenue." he said.

Stevens noted Yankton's commitment to teacher salaries.

The Yankton School District has already made pay for beginning teachers one of the highest in the state," he said. "Only two other school districts (in South Dakota) offer higher starting salary for teachers.

The Yankton School District would remain committed to higher salaries for all of its teachers, Kindle said.

"If the Yankton School District raised average teacher pay by \$5,000 (as suggested by the Blue Ribbon Task Force), it would raise starting pay by \$5,000," he said. "We wouldn't do one without the other."

However, the state needs a commitment to greater education funding in order to make higher teacher pay a reality, Kindle said.

We need new dollars, not a shifting of dollars," he said. "We need new dollars, like a sales tax increase. New dollars is not shifting dollars from capital outlay to other funds. It means finding other revenue.

Besides Stevens, the audience included District 18 Sen. Bernie Hunhoff (D-Yankton) and District 18 Rep. Jean Hunhoff (R-Yankton). During Tuesday's lunch-

eon, Owen also talked about ballot measures, economic development, workmen's compensation and Medicaid expansion. Regardless of the issue,

South Dakotans and their legislators must decide if they're willing to pay for improvements, Owen said. "It's a tough decision time,"

he said. "Everybody is for change as long as it stays the

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He added that he's confident that the area will develop

quickly. "All along, I've seen this as a huge opportunity," he said. "You have competition for rail from two separate entities out there. Anytime you have competition, it's a game changer.

ground. To me, there's so many opportunities out there." Woods said the project still has other steps to go through,

there, it's a unique piece of

With that opportunity out

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to march," he said. "The color

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Medicaid

savings to make up for the ex-

pected annual cost of between

roughly \$33 million and about

\$45 million starting in 2020,

said Kim Malsam-Rysdon, a

senior adviser to Daugaard.

The projections have built

in cushions to ensure that the

state isn't underestimating the

fiscal impact of expanding the

program, Malsam-Rysdon said.

state's share of the expansion

in part by expanding access to

services that are fully funded

by the federal government,

with the goal of freeing up

for the addition of more

program.

residents to the Medicaid

enough state funding to pay

Officials are focusing on

Medicaid but can get services

people who are eligible for

through the Indian Health

Service. The goal is make

The proposal pays for the

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said. "A lot of marching bands

Band

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he said. "We're moving pretty close to the end."

The project had originally been proposed nearly two years ago, but slow progress and pushback from the commission led to Dakota Plains seeking alternate locations for a time before returning to the Napa Junction site.

The project is tentatively scheduled to get under way next spring with the reconstruction of Deer Boulevard into an industrial-grade road north of Highway 50 to the Napa Junction site and construction on the grain facility.

In other business Tuesday, the commission:

• Heard two website development proposals and will address them at their next

meeting. Approved three plats.

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don't just do music and movement; there's drama involved. Some bands use props to help tell stories.

"Marching band used to be more for enjoyment, where you'd listen to a few neat songs," he added. "Now there's so much to watch on the field for marching band.'

To contribute to the YHS marching band's fundraising efforts, contact Dan Rafferty at drafferty@iw.net or at 605-661-0676.

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services through the Indian

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Health Service more accessible so that people don't have to go an outside health care provider, which can happen if IHS is unable to offer a specific

service.

Those services at IHS are fully funded by the federal government through Medicaid rather than through the typical split in financing between the state and the federal government.

The state is also asking for a change in the classification of some services to have them fully paid for by the federal government.

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services has said that the administration is willing to work with any state interested in expanding Medicaid. Federal officials are working at what they've described as "warp speed" on potential changes to policy that could allow South Dakota to move forward with the expansion, Malsam-Rysdon

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