## STATE OF ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF OIL AND GAS STATE PIPELINE COORDINATOR'S SECTION

## NOTICE OF RIGHT-OF-WAY LEASE RENEWAL AND AMENDMENT FOR NORTHSTAR OIL PIPELINE RIGHT-OF-WAY LEASE, ADL 415700, AND NORTHSTAR GAS PIPELINE RIGHT-OF-WAY LEASE, ADL 415975

On February 20, 2019, Harvest Alaska, LLC (Harvest), on behalf of Northstar Pipeline Company, applied under the provisions of 11 AAC 80.065 and AS 38.35 (Right of Way Leasing Act) to renew the Right-of-Way Leases for the Northstar Oil Pipeline, ADL 415700, and the Northstar Gas Pipeline, ADL 415975, for 30 years, the maximum period authorized by law. On July 24, 2017, Harvest requested to relinquish a portion of the Northstar Gas Pipeline Right-of-Way, covering a segment of pipe upstream of the pig launcher. Effective September 13, 2018, that segment of pipe is authorized under the Prudhoe Bay Unit, Central Gas Facility Unit Plan of Operations. Harvest Alaska, LLC requested to amend the both leases in conjunction with the renewals, to include additional related facilities on Northstar Island, or Seal Island, which lie outside the existing rights-of-way. The proposed addition to each lease is approximately 300 ft. long by 50 ft. wide, 0.4 acres, more or less.

The 10-inch Northstar Oil Pipeline transports crude oil approximately 17 miles across state lands from Northstar Island in the Beaufort Sea to Pump Station 1. The 10-inch Northstar Gas Pipeline transports fuel gas from the Northstar Caribou Crossing Compressor Pad to Northstar Island.

The following describes the state lands covered by the lease renewal requests listed by township, all within the Umiat Meridian:

Township 11 North, Range 14 East, Section 5, 8, 10, 11, 15-17, 20, 21, 28, 29, 32 & 33; Township 12 North, Range 14 East, Section 6, 7, 18, 19, 29-32; Township 13 North, Range 13 East, Section 11, 14, 23, 26, 35 & 36.

The applications are available online at: <u>http://dog.dnr.alaska.gov/Home/Newsroom</u>. The public may obtain hard copies at cost from State Pipeline Coordinator's Section, at the address below.

AS 38.35.200 governs judicial review of a decision of the Commissioner:

AS 38.35.200 Judicial review of decisions of commissioner on application.

- (a) An applicant or competing applicant or a person who has direct financial interest affected by the lease who raises objections within 60 days of the publication of notice under AS 38.35.070 are the only persons with standing to seek judicial review of a decision of the commissioner under AS 38.35.100.
- (b) The only grounds for judicial review of a decision of the commissioner are
  - 1. failure to follow the procedures set out in this chapter; or
  - 2. abuse of discretion so capricious, arbitrary, or confiscatory as to constitute a denial of due process.

Any objections pursuant to AS 38.35.200, must be submitted in writing to the address listed below by 5:00 p.m. on May 21, 2019.

State Pipeline Coordinator's Section 3651 Penland Parkway Anchorage, Alaska 99508 Phone: 907- 269-6403, Fax: 907-269-6880 Email: <u>SPCO.Records@alaska.gov</u>

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/s/ Tom Stokes State Pipeline Coordinator Department of Natural Resources Publish March 22, 2019