

Attn: City of Dickinson  
Planning department  
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Dickinson, ND 58601

We're installing an American Pulverizer 80 X 104 hammermill (shredder) for the purpose of processing car bodies, farm and industrial scrap. All fluids and contaminates will be removed before being induced in the shredder.

Sound suppression will be accomplished by using Acoustiblock sound suppression barriers. This material provides 27 db sound reduction.

The duration of this hammermill/shredder is for 20 plus years.

Electricity consumption is 8500 KVA. We've been in discussion with Shawn Olson, Line Superintendent for Roughrider Electric Cooperative. Shawn has approved our request for service and we have advanced Roughrider money to pay for connecting to service.

Explosions occur with shredders if gasoline or propane tanks are inadvertently shredded.

The first line of defense against explosions is a through inspection of material prior to shredding, the next level of protection is the shredder box which is 4" thick steel with 3" liners. Explosive force will not escape the box but sound will.

We have preordered enough acoustifence to erect a sound barrier 40 feet high around the shredder box.

We are erecting a 20 foot tall steel fence around Lot 6 where the shredder will be located. Traffic into our yard should not increase more than 5 trucks a day and then material will be moved within our yard and exit by railroad. This shredder will have minimum impact on street traffic.

We have through a broker offered to buy out our closest residential neighbor. We were initially turned down but will continue to try.

