Being a part of the Hardrocker community means that each of us must take extraordinary steps to stay well and persistently protect each other, on campus and in the community. To stay #HardrockerStrong, I pledge to take responsibility for my own health, the protection of others, and keep the South Dakota Mines community safe from spread of COVID-19.

I pledge to:

Protect Myself

- *Monitor for the symptoms* of COVID-19 and report to a medical professional if I experience fever of 100.4 °F (38 °C) or higher, dry cough, difficulty breathing, chills, repeated shaking with chills, muscle pain, headache, soar throat or loss of taste or smell
- *Wash my hands* often with soap and water or use hand sanitizer
- *Make physical and mental wellness a priority*

Protect Others

- *Maintain appropriate social distancing,* especially in classroom settings or the presence of older members of the community
- *Stay home if I feel ill* or after exposure to someone who is ill or has tested positive for COVID-19
- *Wear an appropriate face mask* and other protective gear as recommended by the university
- *Be positive, attentive, and helpful* to anyone around who may be in need of support

Protect the Rocker Community

- *Keep my clothing, belongings, personal spaces, and shared common spaces clean*
- *Participate in testing* and contact tracing as needed to preserve the wellness of the community
- *Carefully observe instructional signs and follow directions*