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Public Utilities Commission  
Capitol Building, 1st Floor  
500 East Capitol Avenue  
Pierre, SD 57501

RE: HP-002, In The Matter of the Application of Dakota Access, LLC for an Energy Facility Permit to Construct the Dakota Access Pipeline

Dear South Dakota Commissioners:

The routing of the proposed Dakota Access Pipeline is the best route for the Texas based company, Energy Transfer Partners. A straight line from the Bakken oil fields in North Dakota to the refinery in Patoka, IL ~ LESS COST for them to build. But, **is it the best route for South Dakota?** Major watersheds will be crossed: The Missouri River, James River, Skunk Creek, Wall Lake, Beaver Creek and the Sioux River. An oil leak would be disastrous for South Dakota!!! There is NO South Dakota funding in place for a pipeline accident.

Please deny the Dakota Access Pipeline.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

*He who works his land will have abundant food, but he who chases fantasies (schemes for making easy money) lacks judgement. Proverbs 12:11 NIV*

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