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DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

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Steve Titus, President American Resources Group, Ltd. 127 North Washington Street Carbondale, Illinois 62901

Re:

Keystone Pipeline Project, Missouri Segment (FERC)

Dear Mr. Titus:

Thank you for submitting information on the above referenced project for our review pursuant to Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (P.L. 89-665, as amended) and the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation's regulation 36 CFR Part 800, which requires identification and evaluation of cultural resources.

We have reviewed the information submitted concerning the proposed construction of the Keystone Pipeline across northern Missouri. In our opinion, the archaeological survey conducted for the Rockies Express Pipeline Project (REX) adequately addresses the need for identification of historic properties, as the two pipelines are to be co-located across Buchanan, Clinton, Caldwell, Carroll, Chariton, Randolph and Audrain Counties. Therefore, it will not be necessary to conduct an archaeological survey except in areas that fall outside of the previously surveyed corridor.

Please be advised that, should project plans change, information documenting the revisions should be submitted to this office for further review. In the event that cultural materials are encountered during project activities, all construction should be halted, and this office notified as soon as possible in order to determine the appropriate course of action.

If you have any questions, please write Judith Deel at State Historic Preservation Office, P.O. Box 176, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102 or call 573/751-7862. Please be sure to include the SHPO Log Number (040-BN-06) on all future correspondence or inquiries relating to this project.

Sincerely,

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICE

Mark A. Miles

Director and Deputy

State Historic Preservation Officer

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