

KEYSTONE XL PIPELINE PROJECT

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KEYSTONE XL PIPELINE PROJECT PIPELINE ROUTE VARIATION FORM			
1	VARIATION TYPE: Refinement: <input type="text"/> Reroute: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Footprint: <input type="text"/> Design: <input type="text"/> Centerline: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pump Station: <input type="text"/> Valve Site: <input type="text"/> CAR: <input type="text"/>		
2	LOCATION: Sketch: <input type="text"/> Pictures: <input type="text"/> N/A State: <input type="text"/> SD County: <input type="text"/> Harding Quad Map: <input type="text"/> N/A Township: <input type="text"/> 16N Range: <input type="text"/> (07E), 08E Aerial Map: <input type="text"/> See attached map sheet Section: <input type="text"/> (025, 036), 031 Centerline: <input type="text"/> 3/14/2012 MP: <input type="text"/> 346.46 to <input type="text"/> 346.81		
3	REASON FOR ROUTE VARIATION (Please include reason for route variation): The primary reason for this reroute is to avoid paralleling creek (Little Cowboy Creek). The reroute also eliminates reclamation issues at the drainage crossing. The reroute has been proposed based on the field reconnaissance effort.		
DETAIL ROUTE VARIATION (Please describe route variation in detail): Route variation starts near MP 346.4 and deviates ~6° southeast of CL. It continues in this direction for ~1,076.5 ft. This allows more distance and effectively avoids paralleling the Little Cowboy Creek. The reroute then turns further east towards the current CL and extends for ~783 ft. to rejoin it near MP 346.8.			
ADDITIONAL IMPACTS (Please include any additional impacts which may affect cost; crossings, induction bends, etc.): No New Landowners are impacted by this route variation. Four tracts are impacted by reroute: ML-SD-HA-13010.000 and ML-SD-13020.000 (both tracts: State of South Dakota) ML-SD-HA-02990.000 (Saundra Laflin & Dwight A. Reedy) ML-SD-HA-03000.000 (Dale D. Horton AKA Darwin Horton AKA Dale Darwin Horton) Additional Savings include Reclamation issues at the drainage crossing : ~\$20,000			
Is there an increase/decrease in the number of crossings? Yes <input type="text"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
If yes, please list: <input type="text"/>			
COST ANALYSIS (costs incurred or saved from the route variation)			
Additional length of route realignment:	<input type="text"/> 12	ft.	\$ 4,279.86 \$ 360/ft
Additional length of side-hill construction:	<input type="text"/>	ft.	\$ - \$ 19/ft
Additional length of wetland construction:	<input type="text"/> -180	ft.	\$ (35,100.00) \$ 195/ft
Additional bore length (Road, RR):	<input type="text"/>	ft.	\$ - \$ 540/ft
Additional foreign line/pipeline crossings:	<input type="text"/>	EA	\$ - \$ 30,000/EA
Additional water body crossing (streams, ponds, etc.):			
35 - 65' +	<input type="text"/>	EA	\$ - \$ 185,000/EA
10' - 19'	<input type="text"/>	EA	\$ - \$ 77,250/EA
Less than 10'	<input type="text"/>	EA	\$ - \$ 32,500/EA
Additional survey required:			
Civil:	<input type="text"/> 0.35	mile	\$ 1,749.61 \$ 5,000/mile
Cultural:	<input type="text"/> 0.02	mile	\$ 61.70 \$ 2,500/mile
Biological:	<input type="text"/> 0.10	mile	\$ 271.77 \$ 2,800/mile
Miscellaneous costs saved or added due to route variation from ADDITIONAL IMPACTS listed above:			\$ (20,000)
Overall estimated costs of the route variation:			\$ (48,737.07) (See "Additional Impacts" above)

4 **LAND / TransCanada** Tina Hall

a) Is a new landowner affected by the proposed variation? Yes No

b) Is the affected landowner/tract a possible condemnation? Yes No

c) Does proposed route variation impact Tribal Lands? Yes No

d) Does proposed route variation impact any Federal/State Lands? Yes No
 -If yes, name type (i.e. USFWS, BLM, etc.): State of South Dakota

e) Is proposed realignment outside the easement/workspace? Yes No

f) Is realignment proposed to satisfy landowner request? Yes No
 -If yes, name of landowner(s)/track number(s):

g) Has all the evaluation criteria been examined/provided for this specific discipline? Yes No
 If no, please explain why:

5 **ENGINEERING/CONSTRUCTION - TransCanada** Meera Kothari

a) Maximum deviation perpendicular to proposed alignment: 103 ft.

b) Does variation (CL) (including workspaces) falls within 500 ft. MDEQ Corridor? Yes N/A No

c) Has the centerline been staked for construction? Yes No

d) Does route variation affect HDD crossing alignment? Yes No

e) Is realignment proposed for engineering/construction reasons? Yes No

f) Will the route variation require the relocation of a pump station? Yes No

g) Has all the evaluation criteria been examined/provided for this specific discipline? Yes No
 If no, please explain why:

6 **ENVIRONMENTAL / exp** Jonathan Minton

a) Has the corridor been environmentally surveyed? Yes No

b) Has the proposed variation been environmentally surveyed? Yes No

c) Does proposed route variation impact Sage Grouse areas? Yes No

d) Does route variation impact ABB areas? Yes No

e) Was variation proposed to satisfy environmental issues? Yes No

f) Was realignment proposed to satisfy agency request? Yes No
 -If yes, name of agency(s):

g) Environmental features:
 Added (+): Subtracted (-):
 Wetland ID # for newly impacted wetlands:

h) Has all the evaluation criteria been examined/provided for this specific discipline? Yes No
 If no, please explain why:

7 **ENGINEERING / FACILITIES AND HYDRAULICS (if applicable)** Sandra Gigovic

a) Will the route variation require the relocation of a pump station? Yes No

b) Will route variation impact hydraulics? Yes No

c) Are additional valves required at HCA's or water crossing? Yes No

d) Has all the evaluation criteria been examined/provided for this specific discipline? Yes No
 If no, please explain why:

8 **STAKEHOLDER RELATIONS / TCPL (if applicable)** Bud Andersen

a) Does the variation result in any new stakeholders? Yes No

b) Does the variation require follow-up with specific stakeholder groups? Yes No

c) Was the variation proposed to satisfy stakeholder request? Yes No
 -If yes, please specify issue type (as it aligns to stakeholder database):

d) Has all the evaluation criteria been examined/provided for this specific discipline? Yes No
 If no, please explain why:

9 Originator: Engineering
 Date: 3/29/2012

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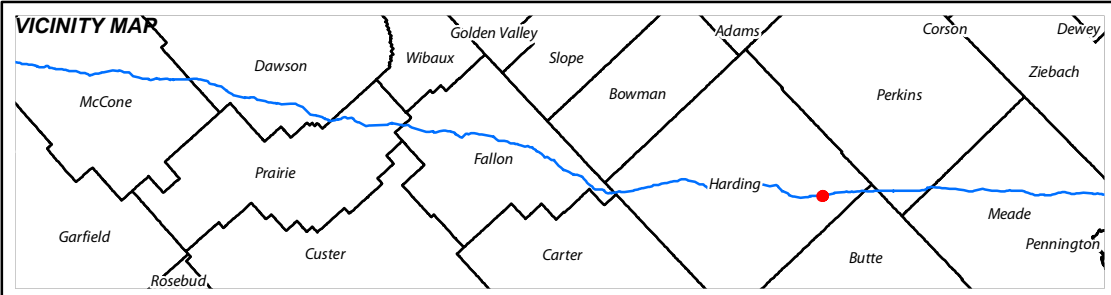
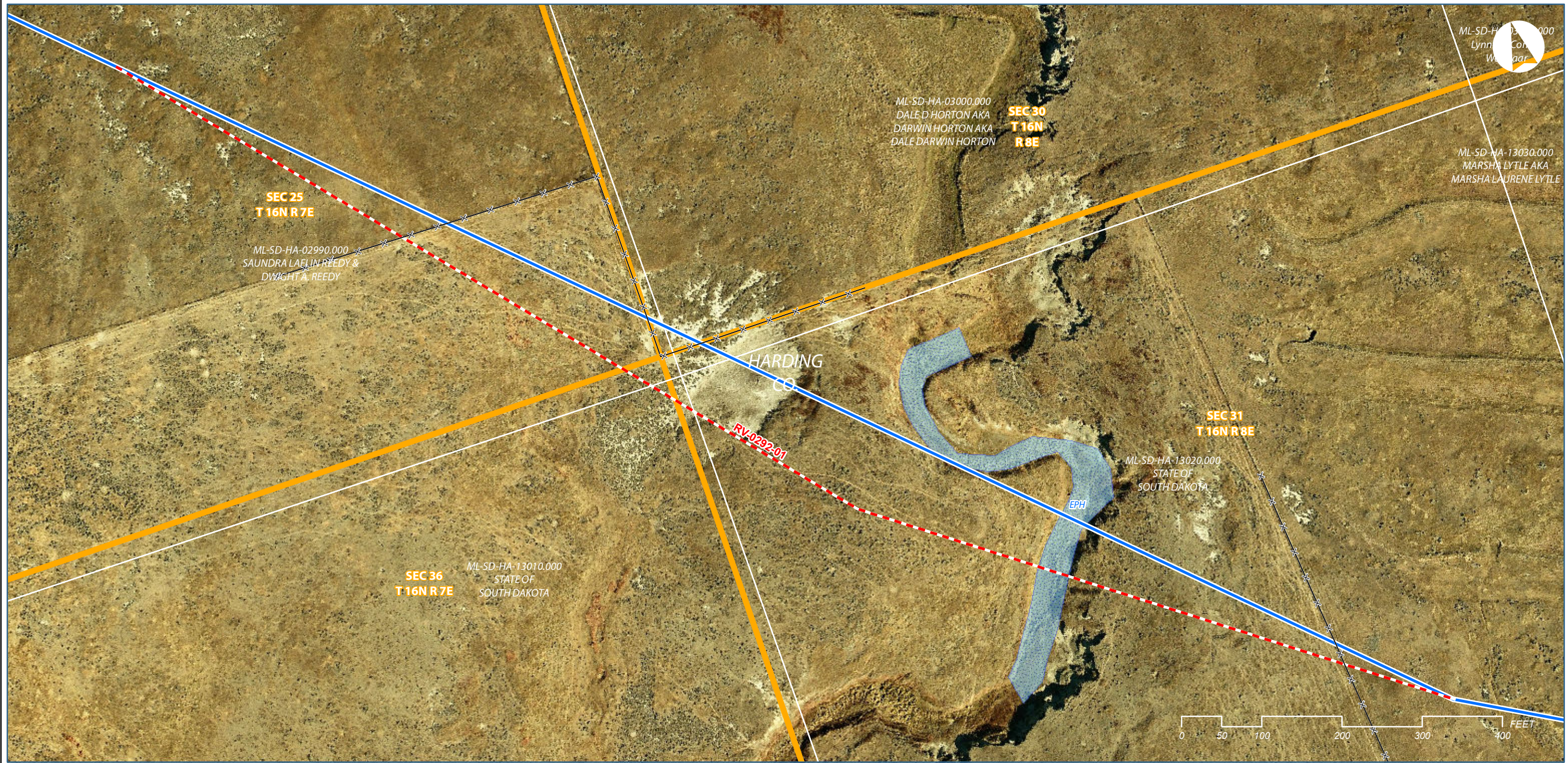
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Date: <u>3/29/2012</u>	Tracking Number: <u>0292-SD-P4-346.4-346.8-1</u>
Description: <u>The primary reason for this reroute is to avoid paralleling creek (Little Cowboy Creek). The reroute also eliminates reclamation issues at the drainage crossing.</u>	MP: <u>346.5</u> to <u>346.8</u> Originated By: <u>Engineering</u> Variation Form Attached: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
TransCanada - Land Tina Hall Comments: 	Variation: Approved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rejected <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Tina Hall</i> Date: <u>4-16-12</u> If Rejected Why?
TransCanada - Engineering Meera Kothari Comments: 	Variation: Approved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rejected <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Meera Kothari</i> Date: <u>4-26-12</u> If Rejected Why?
Exp - Engineering Butch Wallace Comments: 	Variation: Approved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rejected <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Butch Wallace</i> Date: <u>4-17-2012</u> If Rejected Why?
Exp - Environmental Jonathan Minton Comments: <u>Pending Env Survey.</u>	Variation: Approved <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rejected <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Jonathan Minton</i> Date: <u>5/1/12</u> If Rejected Why?
Stantec - Risk Assessment Heidi Tillquist Comments: 	Variation: Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected <input type="checkbox"/> Date: If Rejected Why?
TransCanada - Facilities Sandra Gigovic Comments: 	Variation: Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected <input type="checkbox"/> Date: If Rejected Why?
TransCanada - PM (Montana) Alan Lietz Comments: 	Variation: Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected <input type="checkbox"/> Date: If Rejected Why?
TransCanada - PM (South Dakota) James Odom Comments: 	Variation: Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected <input type="checkbox"/> Date: If Rejected Why?
TransCanada - PM (Nebraska) Robert Bradley Comments: 	Variation: Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected <input type="checkbox"/> Date: If Rejected Why?
TransCanada - Keystone XL Manager Steve Marr Comments: 	Variation: Approved <input type="checkbox"/> Rejected <input type="checkbox"/> Date: If Rejected Why?
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LEGEND

- MILEPOST
- KEYSTONE XL CL (2012-03-14)
- - - PROPOSED ROUTE VARIATION
- ▭ SECTION LINE
- ACCESS ROAD
- ▭ PUMP STATION
- ⊗ VALVE
- ⊗ SURVEYED FENCE
- ▭ PROPERTY PARCEL
- ▭ CULTURAL SITE
- ▨ WETLAND
- ▨ WATERBODY
- ▭ 500FT MDEQ CORRIDOR
- HDD ENTRY / EXIT

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Proposed Route Variation 0292-01

COUNTY:	HARDING	DRAWN BY:	PD
STATE:	SOUTH DAKOTA	CHECKED BY:	JP

REV. NO.:	REVISION	DATE
0	ISSUED FOR REVIEW.	2012-03-30

PRELIMINARY

DATE:	2012-03-30	PROJECTION:	NAD83 UTM13 N
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