

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Staff of the SD PUC for their help in guiding us through this process of getting party status. This is all new to most of us, Thank you.

I feel we should be granted party status because so many citizens' livelihoods are dependent on the Ogallala Aquifer and the water flows from the North to the South and West to the East over which this pipeline will be placed in and through.

I don't think a foreign company, even though they have branch offices in the US, their headquarters are in Canada should have more rights than US Citizens.

Therefore I request that we be given party status.

I hope that you will deny the reissuing of the permit of this project. This pipeline is not needed as it will be an export pipeline.

Thank you

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