From: PUC Sent: Thursday, January 29, 2015 9:36 AM To: Subject: DAKOTA ACCESS PIPELINE, HP14-002

Mr. Kroeger:

Thank you for relaying your perspective regarding the Dakota Access Pipeline docket that is currently open before the commission. I appreciate your candor and information.

I encourage you to follow along with the Dakota Access docket,

http://www.puc.sd.gov/Dockets/HydrocarbonPipeline/2014/hp14-002.aspx, made possible in this internet age! You will be able to view the documents already filed, i.e. pipeline construction permit application, minutes of meetings, orders by the commission, correspondence, and other information regarding the Dakota Access docket. You will also be able to follow along as the docket is processed and new information is added.

The PUC's web site is <u>www.puc.sd.gov</u> and on the home page you will find a Dakota Access Frequently Asked Questions document, <u>http://www.puc.sd.gov/Dockets/HydrocarbonPipeline/2014/h14-002faq.aspx</u>, and a Pipeline Siting Information Guide, <u>http://www.puc.sd.gov/commission/Publication/pipelinesiting.pdf</u>. From the home page you can navigate through every docket and all of the PUC public hearings' archives. The Dakota Access docket can be found by clicking on Commission Actions, Commission Dockets, Hydrocarbon Pipeline Dockets, 2014 Hydrocarbon Pipeline Dockets, and HP14-002.

Again, thank you for writing to express your views. The entire commission values citizen input. Comments can be received throughout the proceeding. As explained at the public input hearings and relayed in online information, since this communication regards an open docket before the commission, your message and my reply will be posted in the docket. Your street and email address will be removed in the public version.

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