

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA**

**In the Matter of the Application by SCS  
Carbon Transport, LLC for a Permit to  
Construct a Carbon Dioxide Transmission  
Pipeline**

**APPLICATION FOR  
PARTY STATUS**

**HP22-001**

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**APR 08 2022**

**SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC  
UTILITIES COMMISSION**

Valley Springs Township

(Name of Applicant, this will be the person or entity named as a party)

petitions the Public Utilities Commission to be granted party status in the above-referenced facility permit proceeding.  
Pursuant to SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40

Briefly explain your interest in this permit proceeding. Form is limited to 1000 characters.  
(Example: Landowner in project area).

Valley Springs Twp. is an alternate route for the proposed Summit Carbon Solutions pipeline going through Minnehaha Co.

As board members and land owners we are greatly concerned for the damage that will be done to our roads, our land and especially concerned for the safety of our residents.

We are also very concerned about the use of eminent domain for private gain. This would set a very bad precedent in our state.

Because of these issues we would request that the S.D. PUC deny a permit for any carbon dioxide pipeline.

Jon Beal chairman  
Signature of Applicant

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Valley Springs Township  
Name of Organization (if applicable)

4-2-22  
Date

**NOTE:**

Consistent with SDCL 49-41B-17 and ARSD 20:10:22:40, this application must be filed with the Public Utilities Commission on or before 5:00 p.m. CDT, April 8, 2022, unless the deadline is extended by the Commission.

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