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Subject: [EXT] PUC Docket # HP22-001 SCS carbon CO2 pipeline- public comments

Pertaining to Docket #HP22-001 SCS CO2 Pipeline: Public Comments

Dear Commissioners:

I am Very Opposed to the CO2 pipeline, It Poses a great harm to the safety and welfare of Citizens, Farmers, Livestock, Wildlife and Vehicles on the Highway if the pipeline would leak-out CO2 or Rupture with Asphyxiating gases.

A great concern is for vehicles traveling over County Highways and Interstate Highways.

Should a Leak of CO2 or Rupture of Releasing CO2 over a road-Highway that would cause Car and Truck engines to stall.

When a vehicle Engine Stalls due to the intake of CO2 from a pipeline leak or Rupture, it starves the engine of Oxygen ---

1. The Power Braking system of a vehicle stops working when engines stall.
2. The Power Steering System stops working when Engines stall.

On Interstate I90 for instance, the Speed limit is 80 MPH, so if vehicles stall out from a CO2 pipeline leak- Rupture and lose their Power Steering and Braking Systems going 80 mph, it would put people in Great Danger on the Interstate in Minnehaha County or the State and County highways the CO2 pipeline passes.

How would People know when there is a pipeline leak that goes over a highway? -If the CO2 is invisible.

Please do not approve, -there are so many dangers to the health and safety of South Dakota Citizens and Out of State Travelers that do not know about CO2 pipelines or the dangers of the pipeline they may face when traveling in South Dakota.

Thank You.

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