

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

This form is **only** for persons who wish to be an active party in this docket. You do NOT need to be a party to submit comments.

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

HP24-001

_____, petitions the Public Utilities Commission to be granted party status in this proceeding.
(Name of Applicant. This will be the person or entity named as a party.)

Place a check mark next to each item below that applies to you, adding a mileage number where requested.

_____ I am a person or organization that received official notification of the project via U.S. mail from the siting permit applicant.

_____ I reside within _____ miles of the proposed project.

Residential address if different from your mailing address:

_____ I own land within _____ miles of the proposed project.

Legal description: _____

_____ I officially represent a municipal, city, township, county or other affected governmental agency within _____ miles of the proposed project.

Explain your interest in applying for party status below.

Under § 1-26-17.1, a person whose pecuniary interest would be directly and immediately affected by an agency's order may become party to a hearing. I own 2 parcels now facing eminent domain by the Midwest Carbon Express Project as proposed in Iowa. Iowa's Final Order states, "Summit Carbon will not be allowed to begin construction in Iowa unless and until the North Dakota and South Dakota public utility commissions have approved a route." The PUC's decision directly affects my pecuniary interest regarding whether a CO2 pipeline will cross land owned by my family since 1901. A pipeline would be an economic harm to my land, reducing soil fertility, yields, and rental income while adding new liability and risk. In 2022, I invested \$74k in land improvements that would be irreparably damaged by pipeline construction, threatening my land's production and profitability. With this direct interest, which no other party can represent, I respectfully request the Commission approve my application.

Deadline: This application must be filed with the Public Utilities Commission on or before 5:00 p.m. CT, Jan. 24, 2025. File this completed form electronically at puc.sd.gov/EFilingOptions.aspx

This section is to be completed by the person requesting party status. **All fields are required.**

Applicant's Printed/Typed Name

/s/ Jean Kohles
Text

Signature of Applicant

1/8/2025

Date Signed

Name of Applicant's Organization (if Applicable)

Applicant's Address (PO Box/St/Ave/Road)

Applicant's Address (City, State, ZIP Code)

Applicant's Phone Number or, if represented, Applicant's Attorney's Phone Number

Applicant's E-mail Address* or, if represented, Applicant's Attorney's E-mail Address*

The section below is to be completed by the Applicant's attorney, if represented. All fields are required.

Attorney's Printed/Typed Name

Signature of Attorney

Date Signed

Attorney's Address (PO Box/St/Ave/Road)

Attorney's Address (City, State, ZIP Code)

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If your submitted form is incomplete, you risk not being granted party status.