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PUC Docket HP24-001 CO2 Pipeline.

Good day,
I'm commenting again due to recent events;
Presidential Executive Orders,
S.D. Laws pertaining to Landowner Rights,
E.P.A. review of 7 Greenhouse Gases,
Support of D.O.G.E. investigations of waste-
ful spending,
2025 Report of 2024 credits; CO2 credits
"retired" has remained stagnant.

I am in opposition of and will always be:
In The Matter of Application by SCS Carbon
Transport LLC for a Permit to Construct a
Carbon Dioxide Pipeline.

As usual please, DO NOT grant a Permit to
construct any Waste Carbon Dioxide Pipe
line ventures.
I believe it would be prudent NOT to issue
any permits or waste Taxpayer's monies on
vetting a Waste CO2 pipeline permit.

I am against any high pressure Waste CO2
pipeline. The Waste CO2 is a dangerous,

odorless, non-detectable liquified gas that is non-beneficial, and serves no purpose to South Dakotans (in other words not a Commodity). You will never hook it up to your house. It's not a Park, Highway, Telecom, or Services.

I am a Farm Landowner and Army Veteran of 23yrs. service, with the wisdom of two Deployments. Third Generation Landowner.

On March 6, 2025 South Dakota HB 1052 was signed into Law. HB1052 states: Notwithstanding the provisions of any other law, a person may not exercise the right of eminent domain to acquire right-of-way for, construct, or operate a pipeline for the preponderant purpose of transporting carbon oxide.

This HB1052 does not stop a waste CO2 pipeline project but gives Landowners a fair playing field.

This is significant protection for Landowners Rights as outlined in U.S. & S.D. Constitution. This will not back them into a corner.

This will help S.D. Landowner's make a fair business decision just like any business transaction that happens on a daily basis without infringement.

Common sense does not prevail with abusive foreign/domestic business entities. They definitely can't comprehend Dakotans. I will try to translate for them.

Side note: Case in point of SCS's abusive calculated behavior, SCS v.s. SD P.U.C. Commissioner (conflict of interest). They knew family member of P.U.C. Comm. was along pipeline route and decided to bring

lawsuit at this time.

- This wasn't about a Waste CO2 pipeline.
- This is about an abusive Private Entity.
- This is about trying to take our Land through Weaponized Law-fare.
- This is about a well thought out way to destroy our generational Landownership.
- This is about outsiders without the same Values as the "Cowboy Way".
- This is about how Dakotans have not lost their way as the rest of the World.
- This is about the "Money doesn't mean everything".
- This is about "Don't bite the hand that feeds you".
- This is about S.D. has been "open for business" long before any Waste CO2 pipeline.
- This is about you're not the only game in town.
- This is about depleting S.D. resources water, electricity, world food supply, services
- This is about insulting our 9 Indigenous Tribal partners.
- This is about a Private foreign/domestic Entity use of 26 US code, Section 45Q tax credit for CO2 sequestration.
- This is about wasting Taxpayer's money.
- This is about an Entity being Weaponized by North Dakota, Minnesota, Iowa's bad actors that gave in.
- This is about once the Entity became Weaponized they thought they would steam roll right over us.
- This is about Weaponized Empathy, oh woo me, an age old tactic of using guilt.
- This is about no intention to share the wealth or improvement to SD infrastructure
- This Private foreign/domestic Entity is NOT Dakotan's friend and needs to be treated as such.
- This is about an Entity that will never be welcomed here.
- This is about saying "No Thank you" and

leaving it as is!

To the Patriot Landowners thank you for your vigilance, standing your ground against foreign/domestic enemies within, and your time.

To the Commissioners of the Public Utilities Commission, thank you for your due diligence, upholding the Law, and your time.