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To: PUC-PUC <PUC@state.sd.us>
Subject: [EXT] HP24-001

To the PUC Commissioners:

I am writing today to respectfully request you to deny the permit, for SCS, for the construction of a carbon pipeline. I am concerned because it creates potential safety concerns and economic hardships to my family, my animals, and myself.

The pipelines are not something I endorse. CO2 gas can be asphyxiating (source osha.gov) if the pipeline bursts or leaks. All living things would suffocate, in other words. This pipeline is within a mile of where I live. There are no alerts alerting us to evacuate in the event of an eruption. Even if there was such a thing, response times would take up to half a hour, and at that point, significant brain damage occurs. I do not want to live with my two-year-old in continual anxiety of an impending rupture.

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