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Subject: RE: Landowner Concerns about the Keystone XL Proposal

David,

Thanks for your comments. We'll make sure they are entered into the record of this proceeding.

I think that John Smith will be sending a lengthier response soon, but I wanted to take a minute to let you know that your questions will be addressed during the siting permit process. We have just begun that process (the application was made six days ago) and it will be a lengthy and thorough one. I'm not drawing any conclusions on this project until all of the facts are in, and I am sure that you and my colleagues are approaching this the same way. There are many questions to be answered and much road to travel.

Thanks again,
Dusty

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