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Mr. Peters,

This is in response to your letter to the Public Utilities Commission regarding the proposed Navigator Heartland Greenway, LLC's CO2 Pipeline, docket HP22-002.

The commission received a siting permit application for this pipeline project on Sept. 27, 2022, resulting in the opening of this docket. The docket is receiving a detailed review of the proposed project by the commission. That process began with public input meetings hosted by the commission along the pipeline's route as required by law. As you relayed, you attended the Nov. 22 meeting in Flandreau.

You will learn more about the proposed project and the applicant's requested permit as further information is being requested by the commissioners and staff, filed in the online docket, and publicly available during the months ahead. I encourage you to follow this docket as it is processed and new information is posted. Many issues will be addressed by commission staff working with other state agencies and industry expert witnesses.

The enclosed Information Guide to Siting Pipelines posted on the commission website home page and in the docket, further explains the commission's processing of such a docket, including the relevant state laws and rules. You can access the docket by going to the commission's website at PUC.SD.gov and clicking on Commission Actions, Commission Dockets, Hydrocarbon and Carbon Dioxide Pipeline Dockets, 2022 Hydrocarbon and Carbon Dioxide Pipeline Dockets, and HP22-002.

Thank you for sharing your views. Your letter and this response will be posted under Comments and Responses in the online docket.

Sincerely,

Chris Nelson