

March 23, 2017 Stakeholder Mtg Atlantic Coast Pipeline

10 am →

TV

- Introductions

- David Weinwright - Jay Zimmerman - Karen Higgins - Hope Taylor
- Linda Culppepe - Fred Tarver - Therese Vick - Qu Qi
- Misty Buchanan - Vann Stancil - Gudrun Thompson - Dan Brubaker
- Gabriella - Jamie Cole - Heather Deck - Michael Scott
- Jeff Higler - Connie Werner - Willie Willets - Toby Vinsay
- Amy Adams - Justin Williamson - Tracy Davis - Lynn Herdison
- Cered Richardson

NOTE →
Recorded →

- Recording 5
- Recording 6

- Tracy covered format of meeting as info sharing and meet & greet. Stakeholders, please comment to individual Divisions directly for things related to their concerns as relevant to the Purview of each Division.

DEMLR

Therese Vick
 Hope Taylor asked g's about DEMLR RO contacts + Const. S&W.

- Toby covered E+SC & Const. S&W Approval & Permitting and coordination between FRO & RRO (Tim LaBounty, Joe Dupree, Thad Valentine). Gave office phone #'s out. 919-791-4208, 910-433-3300

DWR

- T. Vick & Heather Deck asked about completeness review of Draft only

- Karen Higgins covered 401/404 cert & permitting
 - David Weinwright covered NPDES, GW withdrawals,

DAQ

- T. Vick asked if addit. info been provided, NO.
 - Gudrun Thompson - SELC Does DAQ have authority over Methane leaks.

- William Willets → they are permitting a pressurization project at this time. He described the site & equipment proposed for the facility. Permit being drafted out of RRO. Contact → is → Charles McEachern 919-791-4278
 These are not put out for Public Notice. William → 919 707-8726

DWM

Hope Taylor → is DWM reviewing SACCs →
 T. Vick →

- Michael Scott → covered info in regard as a support agency only not a primary reviewer. Example of involvement might be vegetation removal or const. related debris generated by the project.

DEJ

Hope Taylor - addressed her concern w/ their EJ report.

- Sarah Rice → covered ~~question~~ ^{question she has} about why Dominion used such a wide swath in developing its EJ report (20 mile radius) & why they only looked @ Minority and low income areas in their report.

NC Wildlife FERC

- Vanna Stancil & Gabriella → Spoke on Bald Eagles & other bird colonies that are no longer in corridor.
- Also asked for seasonal clearing due to migratory birds
 - Two mussels found but just shells not living mussels

Conservation Network

- Jamie Cole → glad to hear we're questioning EIS study
- No Division have to consult w/ Env. Health?
- No for DEMLR.

SELC

- Gudrun Thompson → concerned about wetland & stream ^{impacts} ~~concerns~~, defined need by FERC, EJ, AQ impacts, Economic impacts,

- K. Higgins referred to Laser fish draft online to look @
They are looking @ doing some mitigation themselves & has to be done up front to get 40% cert.

- Jeff Higer → concerned NW Gen 12 will not be used & that an Individual Permit be required b/c of size of project & deferred mitigation.

- Heather Deck - is State bound to ~~FERC~~ ^{COE} or EIS → Kit said state has option but has to consider actual issues & in past has concurred w/ COE.

BREDL

- Therese Vick → stated we have responsibility to deny this project if it doesn't meet the protection of Env. required by law.

Sound Rivers

- Heather Deck → asked groups to see who would be submitting comments to FERC → Lynn answered that DEQ would send its comments.

Clean Water of NC

- Hope Taylor → comments about FERC noted that all FERC funding is from Applicant Fees. Concerned about their process for permitting unneeded & dangerous infrastructure. Risk is on rate payers not stakeholders. They opposed project very strenuously.

- Concerned about gas leaks, broken up property, Emergency Management concerns, safety of pipeline for communities, groundwater concerns regarding vulnerability or pollution of aquifers, wants more well testing, EJ concerns,
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Open Comments - Gudrun Thompson

- Thanked us for meeting invitation
 - William Willets → followed up on reqs for gas leaks @ comp. stations. Did not come out initially due to rule but will be considered in future.
 - Sarah Rice asked Misty Buchanan if burial grounds were considered or addressed.
 - Gred Richardson - will Nat'l Heritage Program be surveying for unmarked Native Amer. burial sites.
 - Karen Higgins answered that FERC will be coordinating that part.
 - Lyn Hardison → gave comments that Tim Baumgarner w/ Div. Mit. Sucs. are working w/ project on mitigation requirements.
 - Tracy D directed flows to office of State Archaeology for info & share those concerns.
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- Tracy D. closed meeting encouraging folks to work w/ Divisions directly on relevant program concerns
- Asked groups how they'd like to receive info & comments
 - Therese Vick → asked for shared online drive link to members of groups here.
 - Hope Taylor will send economic reports for us to take into consideration in our permitting.
- Lyn Hardison mentioned that we'll continually work on better communication & providing info.