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April 5, 2018

Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
888 First Street, N.E., Room 1A  
Washington, D.C. 20426

Re: WBI Energy Transmission, Inc.  
Docket No. CP17-257-000  
Valley Expansion Project  
Bi-Weekly Status Report – Report No. 3

Dear Ms. Bose:

WBI Energy Transmission, Inc. (WBI Energy) herewith submits its Bi-Weekly Status Report No. 3 for the Valley Expansion Project, in compliance with Environmental Condition 8 of the Appendix to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's February 15, 2018 Order Issuing Certificate in the above referenced docket. The attached report addresses the period March 17, 2018 to March 30, 2018.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding this filing, please call the undersigned at (701) 530-1563.

Sincerely,

/s/ Lori Myerchin

Lori Myerchin  
Manager, Regulatory Affairs

cc: Robin Griffin, FERC



**WBI Energy Transmission, Inc.**  
**Valley Expansion Project Bi-Weekly Status Report No. 3**  
**FERC Docket No. CP17-257-000**

**Reporting Period:** March 17, 2018 through March 30, 2018

**A. Update on Federal Authorizations**

WBI Energy has obtained all necessary federal permits and authorizations required for construction of the Valley Expansion Project.

On March 23, 2018, WBI Energy received a Notice to Proceed (NTP) for all remaining project areas except the Felton Creek crossing (MP 2.0 – MP 4.1). The NTP also authorized the four modifications outlined in WBI Energy’s Implementation Plan.

**B. Construction Status**

The NTPs for yards and all other project areas except the Felton Creek crossing (MP 2.0 – MP 4.1) have been issued; however, no work has commenced at these locations due to snow cover and weather conditions.

A summary of the construction activities completed for the pipeline facilities during the reporting period will be provided in Table 1.

TABLE 1		
Summary of Construction Activities for Pipeline Facilities		
Activity	Total % Completed This Period	% of Total Job Completed
Install Soil Erosion and Sediment Control Device	NA	NA
Clearing	NA	NA
Grading	NA	NA
Stringing	NA	NA
Trenching	NA	NA
Bending	NA	NA
Welding	NA	NA
Coating Pipe Joint Welds	NA	NA
Lowering-in	NA	NA
Backfill Pipe and Install Cathodic Protection Leads	NA	NA
Bores	0 of X	0 of X
Rough Cleanup	NA	NA
Seeding	NA	NA
<b>Hydrostatic Test</b>		
West Section– Hydrostatic Test	NA	NA
East Section– Hydrostatic Test	NA	NA
<b>Total Job Complete</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>

Note: NA = Not applicable

A summary of the construction activities completed for the aboveground facilities during the reporting period will be provided in Table 2.

TABLE 2		
Summary of Construction Activities for Aboveground Facilities		
County/State/Facility	Total % Completed This Period	% of Total Job Completed
<b>Clay County, Minnesota</b>		
Viking Interconnect		
Grading	NA	NA
Construct Approaches	NA	NA
Concrete Work and Piers	NA	NA
Communications Equipment	NA	NA
Building Odorization Facilities	NA	NA
Install Aboveground Piping and Over Pressure Protection	NA	NA
Trenching	NA	NA
Install Below Ground Piping	NA	NA
Auxiliary Facilities Installation	NA	NA
Cleanup / Restoration	NA	NA
Security Fence	NA	NA
Mainline Block Valve #1		
Install New Block Valve	NA	NA
<b>Cass County, North Dakota</b>		
Mainline Block Valve #2		
Install New Block Valve	NA	NA
Mapleton Compressor Station		
Grading	NA	NA
Bury Tanks	NA	NA
Concrete Work	NA	NA
Drilled Piers	NA	NA
Install Aboveground Piping and Vessels	NA	NA
Trenching	NA	NA
Install Buried Piping	NA	
Hydrostatic Testing	NA	NA
Building Installations	NA	NA
New Unit Installation	NA	NA
Auxiliary Facilities Installation	NA	NA
Cleanup / Restoration	NA	NA
<b>Barnes County, North Dakota</b>		
Sanborn Regulator Station		
Grading	NA	NA
Install Helical Piles	NA	NA
Concrete Work	NA	NA
Set Pre-Fabricated Mainline Regulator Package	NA	NA
Install Aboveground Piping	NA	NA
Excavate and Replace Existing Valve Setting	NA	NA
Auxiliary Facilities Installation	NA	NA
Trenching	NA	NA
Cleanup / Restoration	NA	NA
Security Fence	NA	NA
<b>Stutsman County, North Dakota</b>		
Jamestown Town Border Station		
Grading	NA	NA
Construct Approach	NA	NA
Install Helical Piles	NA	NA

TABLE 2		
Summary of Construction Activities for Aboveground Facilities		
County/State/Facility	Total % Completed This Period	% of Total Job Completed
Set Pre-Fabricated Meter and Remote Terminal Unit Buildings	NA	NA
Install Aboveground Piping	NA	NA
Install New Valve Setting	NA	NA
Install Underground Piping	NA	NA
Trenching	NA	NA
Auxiliary Facilities Installations	NA	NA
Cleanup / Restoration	NA	NA
Security Fence	NA	NA
<b>Burleigh County, North Dakota</b>		
Apple Valley Town Border Station		
Grading	NA	NA
Concrete Work	NA	NA
Install Aboveground Piping	NA	NA
Meter Installation	NA	NA
Building Installation	NA	NA
Auxiliary Facilities Installation	NA	NA
Cleanup / Restoration	NA	NA
Security Fence	NA	NA
<b>Total Job Complete</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0%</b>
Note: NA = Not applicable		

Work planned for the next reporting period:

- Environmental training for pipe delivery crews prior to commencement of delivery.
- Kost yard preparation and receiving pipe, PipeSaks, and induction bends.
- WBI surveyors to complete staking at Sanborn Regulator Station in preparation for grading the week of 4/9 or 4/16.
- WBI surveyors to complete staking at WBI Measurement & Odorization Facilities at the Viking Interconnect in preparation for grading the week of 4/16 or 4/23, pending receipt of MN NPDES stormwater permit.

Schedule changes for work in environmentally sensitive areas:

No schedule changes for work in environmentally sensitive areas were identified during the reporting period.

**C. Problems/Instances of Non-Compliance Encountered**

No problem areas or instances of non-compliance were encountered during the reporting period.

**D. Corrective Actions Implemented**

No problem areas or instances of non-compliance were encountered during the reporting period; no corrective actions were required.

**E. Effectiveness of Corrective Actions Implemented**

No problem areas or instances of non-compliance were encountered during the reporting period; no corrective actions were required.

**F. Landowner/Resident Complaints and Response**

No landowner or resident complaints were received during the reporting period.

**G. Correspondence Received for Non-Compliance and Response**

No reports regarding non-compliances were received during the reporting period.

**H. Additional Items**

None.