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Debbie-Anne Reese, Acting Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, N.E., Room 1A
Washington, D.C. 20426

Re: WBI Energy Transmission, Inc.
Wahpeton Expansion Project
Docket No. CP22-466-000
Weekly Status Report No. 38

Dear Acting Secretary Reese:

WBI Energy Transmission, Inc. (WBI Energy) herewith submits its Weekly Status Report No. 38 for the Wahpeton Expansion Project, in compliance with Environmental Condition 9 of the Appendix to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's October 23, 2023 Order Issuing Certificate in the above referenced docket.

The attached report addresses the status of the project from August 12, 2024 to August 18, 2024.

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

Sincerely,

/s/ Lori Myerchin

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Attachment

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A. Update on Federal Authorizations

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

B. Construction Status – Pipeline Facilities

- Environmental Inspectors continue to conduct onsite environmental training as needed.

TABLE 1-1
Wahpeton Expansion Pipeline

Work Completed during Reporting Period:

- Completed clearing/grading and stringing activities.
- Continued bending, welding, joint coating, ditching, lowering, and backfill activities.
- Completed boring activities at four bores and continued boring activities at other bore sites.
- Continued construction activities at Valve Site Nos. 4, 5, 6, and 7.
- Continued installation and maintenance of Project signage, equipment mats, erosion control devices, and goal posts at aboveground utility lines.

Activity	Total % Completed This Period	% of Total Job Completed	Comments
Pipeline			
Clearing / Grading	8%	100%	
Stringing	13%	100%	
Bending	12%	90%	
Welding	12%	82%	
Joint Coating	10%	64%	
Ditching	6%	45%	
Lowering	5%	43%	
Backfill	6%	38%	
Bores	4 of 68	42 of 68	Completed Bores 41, 47, 48 and 50.
Cleanup	0%	8%	
Seeding	0%	0%	
Final Tie-in and Commissioning	0%	0%	
Hydrostatic Testing	0 of 2	0 of 2	
Appurtenant Facilities ¹			
Valve Site #1 and Pig Launcher / Receiver #1 at MP 0.0	2 of 2	2 of 2	
Cleanup/Restoration	0%	85%	
Valve Site #2 and Pig Launcher / Receiver #2 at MP 11.6	0 of 2	0 of 2	45% completion.
Cleanup/Restoration	0%	0%	

¹ Cleanup/Restoration includes backfilling and spreading of gravel.



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Valve Site #3 at MP 23.4	0 of 1	0 of 1	60% completion.	
Cleanup/Restoration	0%	0%		
Valve Site #4 at MP 31.3	0 of 1	0 of 1	50% completion –block valve set on stanchions.	
Cleanup/Restoration	0%	0%		
Valve Site #5 and Pig Launcher / Receiver #3 at MP 39.5	0 of 2	0 of 2	50% completion - block valve set on stanchions.	
Cleanup/Restoration	0%	0%		
Valve Site #6 at MP 48.9	0 of 1	0 of 1	50% completion – block valve set on stanchions.	
Cleanup/Restoration	0%	0%		
Valve Site #7 and Pig Launcher / Receiver #4 at MP 60.5	0 of 2	0 of 2	18% completion – initial site preparation, completed concrete forms for stanchions.	
Cleanup/Restoration	0%	0%		
Work Planned for next Reporting Period and Schedule Changes: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Continue remaining pipeline construction activities.Continue construction activities at Valve Site Nos. 6 and 7.Continue installation and maintenance of Project signage, erosion control devices, equipment mats, and goal posts at aboveground utility lines.Begin boring activities at Bores 53 and 54.				
Problem Areas, Corrective Actions and Effectiveness: <ul style="list-style-type: none">No problem areas were identified during reporting period.				
Non-Compliance Issues, Corrective Actions and Effectiveness: <ul style="list-style-type: none">No non-compliance issues were identified during reporting period.				
Non-Compliance Issues from Federal, State or Local Permitting Agencies and Responses: <ul style="list-style-type: none">No non-compliance issues were identified during reporting period.				
Copies included: Not applicable				
Landowner Issues: None				
Date	Name	Milepost / Alignment Sheet #	Problem/Concern	Corrective Action



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Date: 8/12/2024

Location: Sta. No. 1290+00

Notes: Grading subsoil adjacent to a guided bore location (Bore 32) prior to ripping subsoil and spreading topsoil on the construction right-of-way.



Date: 8/12/2024

Location: Sta. No. 1772+50

Notes: Installed geotech material under construction mats at additional temporary workspace for Bore 41.

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● 46.485725°, -96.839180° ±9ft ▲ 918ft



Wahpeton Expansion

Blasting, Coating
12 Aug 2024, 15:32:11

Date: 8/12/2024

Location: Sta. No. 2140+00

Notes: Coating activities on the construction right-of-way.

● 46.485620°, -96.840828° ±9ft ▲ 922ft



Wahpeton Expansion

Tie-in road bore crew
12 Aug 2024, 15:21:05

Date: 8/12/2024

Location: Sta. No. 2453+00

Notes: Welding bore pipe for Bore 59 on the construction right-of-way.

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● 46.354918°, -96.662979° ±16ft ▲ 955ft



Date: 8/12/2024

Location: Sta. No. 3100+00

Notes: Completing grading activities on the construction right-of-way.



Date: 8/13/2024

Location: Sta. No. 672+00

Notes: Backfilling activities at Bore 21.

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Date: 8/13/2024

Location: Sta. No. 1400+00

Notes: Lowering activities along the construction right-of-way.



Date: 8/13/2024

Location: Sta. No. 1460+00

Notes: Installing erosion control devices on equipment bridge over wetland (wrie009e) along the construction right-of-way.

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Date: 8/13/2024

Location: Sta. No. 1808+00

Notes: Equipment bridge and erosion control devices over wetland (wrib014f) along the construction right-of-way.



Date: 8/13/2024

Location: Sta. No. 2165+44

Notes: Site preparation for boring activities of Bore 50.

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Date: 8/13/2024

Location: Sta. No. 2370+00

Notes: Completed installation of erosion control devices near Bore 57 and at Pitcairn Creek (srid002p) along the construction right-of-way.



Date: 8/14/2024

Location: Sta. No. 1470+00

Notes: Backfilling activities on the construction right-of-way.



Date: 8/14/2024

Location: Sta. No. 2236+00

Notes: Welded pipe along the construction right-of-way.



Date: 8/14/2024

Location: Sta. No. 3100+00 and Valve Site 7.

Notes: Unloading valve equipment for Valve Site 7.

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Date: 8/15/2024

Location: Sta. No. 1355+00

Notes: No construction occurred on the construction right-of-way due to a rain event.



Date: 8/15/2024

Location: Sta. No. 2350+00

Notes: No construction occurred on the construction right-of-way due to a rain event.

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Date: 8/16/2024

Location: Sta. No. 1040+00

Notes: Functional erosion control devices along AR024.1 to the construction right-of-way.



Date: 8/16/2024

Location: Sta. No. 1045+00

Notes: No construction occurred on the construction right-of-way due to a rain event.

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Date: 8/16/2024

Location: Sta. No. 1230+00

Notes: Erosion control devices and equipment bridge over waterbody (scae003e) along the construction right-of-way.



Date: 8/16/2024

Location: Sta. No. 1940+78

Notes: No construction occurred on the construction right-of-way due to a rain event.

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Date: 8/17/2024

Location: Sta. No. 1982+00

Notes: Erosion control devices at
Bore 46 and along the construction
right-of-way.



Date: 8/17/2024

Location: Sta. No. 2580+00

Notes: No construction occurred
on the construction right-of-way
due to previous rain events.

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Date: 8/18/2024

Location: Sta. No. 1995+00

Notes: Dewatering activities along the construction right-of-way.



Date: 8/18/2024

Location: Sta. No. 2090+00 and Valve Site 5.

Notes: Construction right-of-way conditions after recent rain events.



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C. Construction Status – Aboveground Facilities

TABLE 2-1

Modifications at Mapleton Compressor Station

Work Completed during Reporting Period:

No work was completed during this reporting period.

Activity	Total % Completed This Period	% of Total Job Completed	Comments
Install Aboveground Station Piping	0%	0%	
Install Belowground Station Piping	0%	0%	
Cleanup / Restoration ²	0%	0%	

Work Planned for next Reporting Period and Schedule Changes:

No work is planned for the next reporting period.

Problem Areas, Corrective Actions and Effectiveness:

No problem areas were identified during reporting period.

Non-Compliance Issues, Corrective Actions and Effectiveness:

No non-compliance issues were identified during reporting period.

Non-Compliance Issues from Federal, State or Local Permitting Agencies and Responses:

No non-compliance issues were identified during reporting period.

Copies included: Not applicable

Landowner Issues: None

Date	Name	Milepost / Alignment Sheet #	Problem/Concern	Corrective Action

² Final cleanup and restoration will be in conjunction with Block Valve #1 and Pig Launcher / Receiver #1 within the compressor station yard.



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TABLE 2-2
MDU- Kindred Border Station

Work Completed during Reporting Period:

- No work was completed during this reporting period.

Activity	Total % Completed This Period	% of Total Job Completed	Comments
Initial Site Work	0%	38%	.
Concrete Work	0%	0%	
Install Aboveground Piping	0%	0%	
Install Belowground Piping	0%	0%	
Install Buildings	0%	0%	
Cleanup / Restoration ³	0%	0%	
Install Security Fence	0%	0%	

Work Planned for next Reporting Period and Schedule Changes:

- No work is planned for the next reporting period.

Problem Areas, Corrective Actions and Effectiveness:

- No problem areas were identified during reporting period.

Non-Compliance Issues, Corrective Actions and Effectiveness:

- No non-compliance issues were identified during reporting period.

Non-Compliance Issues from Federal, State or Local Permitting Agencies and Responses:

- No non-compliance issues were identified during reporting period.

Copies included: Not applicable

Landowner Issues: None

Date	Name	Milepost / Alignment Sheet #	Problem/Concern	Corrective Action

³ Final cleanup and restoration will be completed in conjunction with Block Valve #3 within the border station yard.



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TABLE 2-3
MDU- Wahpeton Border Station

Work Completed during Reporting Period:

- Began initial site work.

Activity	Total % Completed This Period	% of Total Job Completed	Comments
Initial Site Work	5%	5%	Began initial site work in conjunction with Valve Site 7.
Concrete Work	0%	0%	
Install Aboveground Piping	0%	0%	
Install Belowground Piping	0%	0%	
Install Buildings	0%	0%	
Cleanup / Restoration ⁴	0%	0%	
Install Security Fence	0%	0%	

Work Planned for next Reporting Period and Schedule Changes:

- Continue initial site work.

Problem Areas, Corrective Actions and Effectiveness:

- No problem areas were identified during reporting period.

Non-Compliance Issues, Corrective Actions and Effectiveness:

- No non-compliance issues were identified during reporting period.

Non-Compliance Issues from Federal, State or Local Permitting Agencies and Responses:

- No non-compliance issues were identified during reporting period.

Copies included: Not applicable

Landowner Issues: None

Date	Name	Milepost / Alignment Sheet #	Problem/Concern	Corrective Action

⁴ Final cleanup and restoration will be completed in conjunction with Block Valve #7 and Pig Launcher / Receiver #4 within the border station yard.

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Date: 8/18/2024

Location: MDU-Wahpeton Border Station.

Notes: Preparing construction pad.

D. Changes to Stream Crossings or Work in Environmental Sensitive Areas

TABLE 3
Changes to Stream Crossings or
Work in Environmental Sensitive Areas

Schedule changes to stream crossings.

- None during reporting period.

Schedule changes for work in other environmentally sensitive areas.

- None during reporting period.