

## MEMORANDUM

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Plains Pipeline, L.P.  
Trenton Station Expansion/Williams Cty  
Siting Application

Case No. PU-05-184

To: Commissioners, Illona Jeffcoat-Sacco, Bill Binek  
From: Patrick Fahn  
Date: October 6, 2005

Subject: Pre-construction Conference

The Commission's October 5, 2005 order required that a conference be held prior to construction of the Trenton Expansion Project in Williams County. The order required that the conference include a Plains representative, its construction supervisor, and Commission staff to insure Plains fully understands the conditions set forth in the order.

On October 6, 2005, a pre-construction conference was held (by conference call). In attendance were Ed Shykoski (Plains' District Manager of Operations-Belfield District) located in Belfield ND, Ron McCreery (Plains' Construction Supervisor) located in Sydney MT, Jim Davis (Plains' Senior Project Engineer) located in Midland TX, Lawrence Bender (attorney on behalf of Plains) located in Bismarck, and myself.

Staff visited the route on August 11, 2005 following the public hearing. An addition aid to the preconstruction conference was a plan and profile map filed by Plains on October 5, 2005. The preconstruction conference included a review of the order's findings of fact and ordering clauses, the penalty provisions under NDCC § 49-22-21, and a question and answer period.