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**From:** Wefald, Susan E.  
**Sent:** Monday, November 05, 2007 11:16 AM  
**To:** Roppel, Dawn M.  
**Subject:** RE: Keystone Pipeline Project

Dear Dawn – Thank you so much for your letter regarding the Keystone Pipeline. Your letter will go into the public input file of the Keystone Pipeline case. I appreciate you taking the time to share your thoughts with the Commission!

Best wishes,

Commissioner Susan Wefald  
President, North Dakota Public Service Commission

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**From:** Dawn Roppel [mailto:droppel@nd.gov]  
**Sent:** Monday, November 05, 2007 11:02 AM  
**To:** Wefald, Susan E.; Clark, Tony T.; Cramer, Kevin  
**Subject:** Keystone Pipeline Project

I am the Cavalier County Auditor. We (Cavalier County) heard from and asked questions of the Keystone People. The Public was invited to attend this meeting. We were very much in favor of the project and I would urge you to reject Fargo's request to reopen the Keystone Pipeline proceeding.

Cavalier County stands to benefit significantly by the pipeline in new tax revenues and economic activity. \$250,000, per year is estimated in tax revenues from the pipeline. This will help the schools and local residents. Cavalier County was very satisfied with the stringent safety standards that Keystone Pipeline needs to maintain. This project will also deliver oil to meet US needs for fuels, fertilizers, and other products.

I would like to again urge you to allow the project to begin so Cavalier County can realize these benefits. Thank you in advance for considering this request.

Sincerely,  
Dawn Roppel, Cavalier County Auditor