



**ALBERTA CLIPPER PIPELINE PROJECT  
WEEKLY CONSTRUCTION STATUS REPORT  
October 15, 2009 to October 21, 2009**

**Construction Activity**

Enbridge continued construction of the Alberta Clipper Pipeline Project in North Dakota between October 15 and October 21, 2009. Specifically, construction crews continued to install pipe segments at road, wetland, and waterbody crossings. Mainline welding activities were completed during this time period, and trench excavation will be completed within the next reporting period. Lowering-in of pipe segments and backfilling of the trench continued in North Dakota, as did the horizontal directional drill activities at the Red River. The pipe segment will be pulled next week or the following week. Other activities included the installation and replacement of erosion and sediment controls, bridge cleaning, and dewatering. Rough clean up will continue to make progress by removing timber mats, replacing topsoil, and applying dormant seed. Compaction alleviation of agricultural areas is being completed as a part of final restoration activities.

Additionally, the following work was also been completed to date:

- Clearing: 28.0 miles completed
- Grading: 28.0 miles completed
- Stringing: 28.0 miles completed
- Welding: 28.0 miles completed
- Trenching 27.7 miles completed
- Lowering-in 26.6 miles completed
- Backfill 22.4 miles completed
- Rough Cleanup 1.0 miles completed

Photographs of construction activities in North Dakota area attached.

Sheet pile waterbody crossing



Application of mulch prior to trench excavation



Pipeline installation and welding activities



Installation of concrete coated pipe segment at waterbody crossing



Compaction alleviation in agricultural area



Restoration of topsoil across the right-of-way



## **Agency Consultations**

The North Dakota Department of Health will be updated on October 23, 2009 regarding pipeline construction related spills.

## **Upcoming Activities**

The following activities are scheduled for the next reporting period:

- Continue lowering-in and backfilling of pipe segments;
- Continue road bores and waterbody crossings;
- Continuation of HDD at Red River of the North crossing;
- Continuation of rough and final clean-up activities; and
- Continuation of restoration activities.