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From: Haupt, Michael L. [mhaupt@nd.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, July 20, 2011 10:03 AM
To: 'tpanasuk@earthlink.net'
Cc: William McCarthy
Subject: FW: Environmental Report 156-102-16 Project #5813
Attachments: State of North Dakota Tract Environmental Report.pdf

Toby,

Good morning! The proposed reroute is not acceptable. The centerline of the proposed Plains Pipeline across the E2 of this tract remains at 76 feet west of and parallel to the east section line. We are waiting for the survey plat in order to proceed. Thanks.

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From: Toby Panasuk [<mailto:tpanasuk@earthlink.net>]
Sent: Tuesday, July 19, 2011 7:47 PM
To: Haupt, Michael L.
Cc: Veikley, Laurence R.
Subject: Environmental Report 156-102-16 Project #5813

Mike, for your review attached environmental report. Is our proposed route acceptable?
Thanks, Toby

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Environmental Report for the State of North Dakota Tract

Township 156 North, Range 102 West, Section 16, Williams County, North Dakota

Cultural Resources

CRC-S-4

Site Type:	Stone Circles, Stone Alignment
Association:	Unknown Prehistoric
Site Size:	45.9 by 22.3 m (840.5 m ²)
NRHP Recommendation:	Unevaluated
Management Recommendation/Project Effect:	Avoid/No Effect

Site Description

CRC-S-4 is an unknown prehistoric stone circle site located on an east-facing hill slope overlooking a valley to the east. Several drainages are situated to the north, south, and east of the site. A north/south-trending fence and unnamed improved road border the east edge of the site. Several structures are visible from the site including oil tanks on the hill to the east, and a farmstead and tree-line to the northeast. Vegetation consists of short prairie grasses and various forbs. Soils are medium brown to dark brown silty clay loam with colluvial deposition. The site is in fair condition and has been impacted by grazing and erosion.

Natural Resources

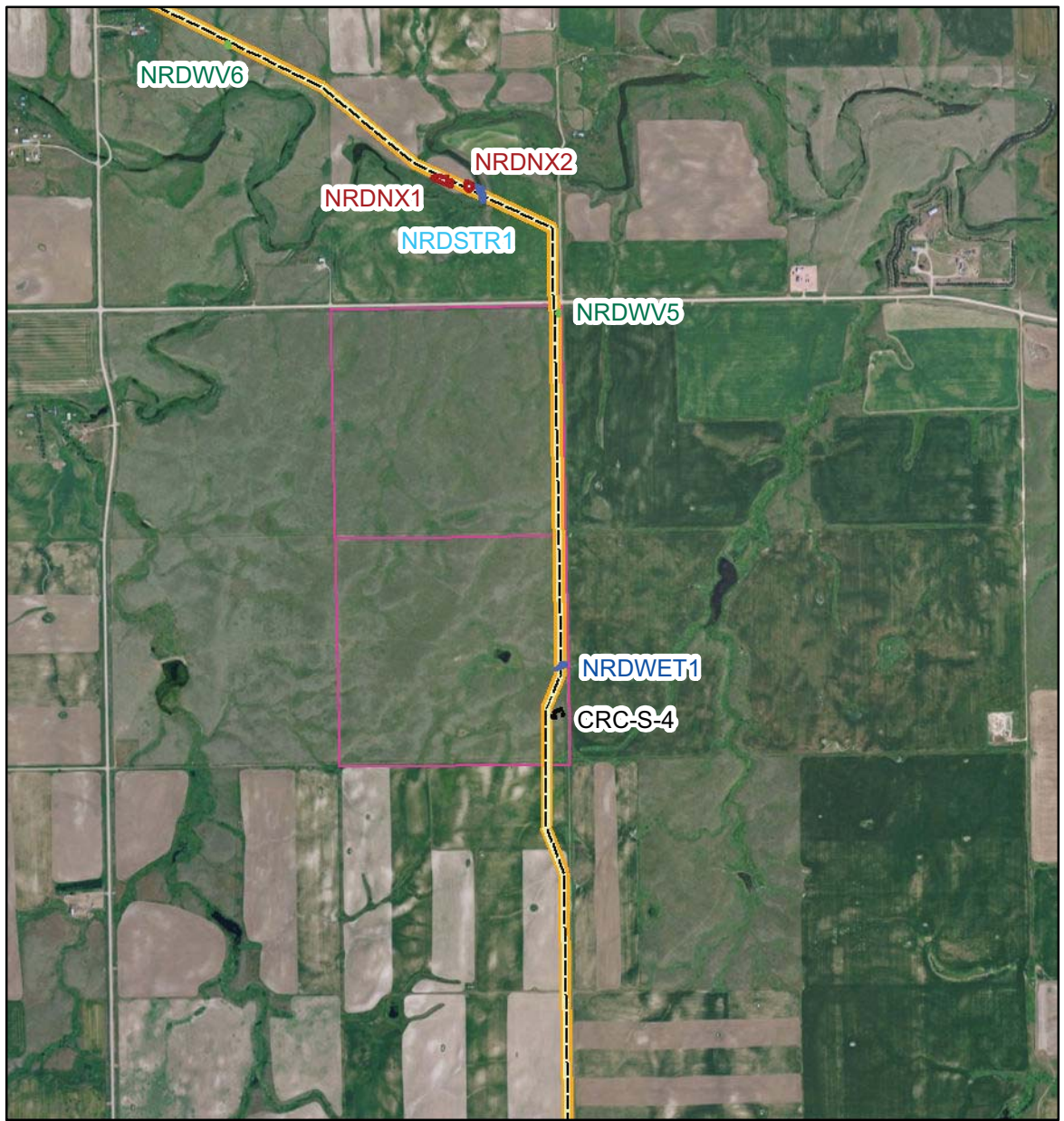
NRDWET1

NRDWET 1 is a palustrine emergent wetland encompassing approximately 0.072 acre. In total, approximately 0.051 acre is proposed to be temporarily impacted by construction











activities. This wetland may be considered jurisdictional by the US Army Corps of Engineers.

NRDWV5

NRDWV5 is shrubland habitat comprised of approximately 14 *Shepherdia argentea* (silver buffaloberry) individuals and 6 *Amelanchier alnifolia* (Saskatoon serviceberry) individuals. In total, no individuals of either species are proposed to be impacted by construction activities.



Legend

-  Noxious Weeds
-  Stream
-  Waterbody
-  Wetland
-  Woody Vegetation
-  Cultural Sites
-  Proposed Pipeline Centerline
-  70' Construction ROW
-  Survey Area
-  ND State Lands

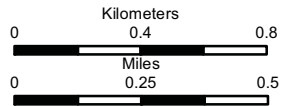


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Base Map: Aerial Imagery
Source: esri ArcGIS service
Quadrangle: Bonetrail SE, ND (1977)
Township 156N & Range 102W
Williams County, North Dakota



Scale: 1:24,000 NAD 1983 UTM Zone 13N

From: [Haupt, Michael L.](#)
To: [William McCarthy](#)
Cc: [Katie Schmidt](#)
Subject: RE: ROW#5813 - Plains Pipeline - proposed oil gathering pipeline - E2 16-156-102 Williams County
Date: Monday, July 11, 2011 7:16:28 AM
Attachments: [156-102-16WIL.pdf](#)

Bill,

Good morning! Attached is the aerial photo, let me know if you need anything else.
Thanks.

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From: William McCarthy [mailto:wmccarthy@go2e3.com]
Sent: Sunday, July 10, 2011 2:40 PM
To: Haupt, Michael L.
Cc: Katie Schmidt
Subject: RE: ROW#5813 - Plains Pipeline - proposed oil gathering pipeline - E2 16-156-102 Williams County

Mike,

The aerial photo was not attached to your original message, would you please send the referenced photo to me so that I can complete my file. Can you please provide an update regarding the status of Plains' easement request referenced in your 5/26/11 response?

Best regards,

Bill McCarthy

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From: Haupt, Michael L. [mailto:mhaupt@nd.gov]
Sent: Thursday, May 26, 2011 8:10 AM
To: William McCarthy
Cc: 'tpanasuk@earthlink.net'; Veikley, Laurence R.; 'Boe Gregson'
Subject: ROW#5813 - Plains Pipeline - proposed oil gathering pipeline - E2 16-156-102 Williams County

Bill,

Good morning! The ND Land Department has received an easement request from Landcor Consulting, on behalf of Plains Pipeline, and completed preliminary review of the proposed Plains Pipeline oil gathering pipeline. For surveying purposes, the centerline of the proposed route must be 76 feet west of and parallel to the east section line as shown on the attached aerial photo.

We have recently received a request from Hiland Operating for a gas gathering pipeline within the same corridor and, if approved, will lie 20 feet west of and parallel to the Plains pipeline or 96 feet west of and parallel to the east section line. The surface easements issued by the Land Department are 33 feet wide and are not exclusive. We can issue temporary work space, as necessary, to accommodate construction of the pipeline. Let me know if you have questions. Thanks.

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From: [Ryan Ledin](#)
To: ["mhaupt@nd.gov"](mailto:mhaupt@nd.gov)
Cc: ["William McCarthy"](#)
Subject: Plains All-American proposed Bakken North Pipeline- North Dakota State Land Department Review Request
Date: Wednesday, May 25, 2011 9:41:00 AM
Attachments: [Overview.pdf](#)
[North Dakota RouteMaps Topos.pdf](#)
[North Dakota RouteMaps Aerial.pdf](#)

Dear Mr. Haupt,

Plains All-American Pipeline (Plains) has proposed the construction of the Bakken North Pipeline. The proposed project will provide firm crude oil transportation service from its origin at the connection of Plains Trenton Gathering System in west central Williams County and extend to an interconnect with an existing pipeline near Outpost, Montana. The proposed project covers a distance of approximately 32 miles in Williams County, North Dakota.

Legal Descriptions for North Dakota:

- Sections 30,31,32, T158N, R103W
- Sections 4,5,9,10,11,13,14, 24, T157, R103W
- Sections 19,28,29,30,33,34, T157N, R102W
- Sections 5,6,8,9,16,21,28,33,34, T156N, R102W
- Sections 3,10,22,15,26,27,35, T154N, R102W
- Sections 3,10,15,22,27,34, T155N, R102W

The project is currently scheduled to begin construction on or about August 22, 2011 and will continue for approximately 3 to 6 months, with restoration to immediately follow.

The purpose of this correspondence is to request a review of the proposed project corridor, as depicted in the attached maps, for the presence or absence of School Trust Lands. As such, when conducting this review please include both the proposed pipeline corridor and corresponding pipeline route as depicted on the attached aerial photograph and topographic maps in your analysis.

E3 Environmental, LLC has been retained by Plains to provide environmental consulting support for this project. Should you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at 651.282.0650 or wmccarthy@go2e3.com.

Sincerely,

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