

Fahn, Patrick J.

From: Eric Weise <EWeise@rgldenergy.com>
Sent: Sunday, October 07, 2012 9:50 AM
To: Fahn, Patrick J.
Cc: Wilbur Crisp
Subject: Re: NDPSC: PU-10-637 - Line Strike

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
Flag Status: Flagged

Patrick,

Yes. Both ends of the pipe were capped and coated. Thanks.

Eric Weise
Project Engineer

On Oct 5, 2012, at 5:01 PM, Fahn, Patrick J. wrote:

Mr. Weise,
Were both pipe ends at the cut capped and coated?

<image001.jpg>

From: Eric Weise [<mailto:EWeise@rgldenergy.com>]
Sent: Friday, September 28, 2012 9:23 AM
To: Fahn, Patrick J.
Subject: Re: RE: NDPSC: PU-10-637 - Line Strike

I am currently out of the office on vacation, returning to work Tuesday, 10/2. If you need immediate assistance please contact Rafael Colaco. I have very limited access to email or phone. Otherwise I will try to respond upon my return. Thanks.

On Sep 27, 2012, at 8:17 AM, "Fahn, Patrick J." <pfahn@nd.gov> wrote:

Mr. Weise,
The picture in the email is very small. Could you send the picture as an attachment?

Thank you.

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From: Eric Weise <erwise@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 27, 2012 10:45 AM
To: Fahn, Patrick J.
Subject: Fwd: NDPSC: PU-10-637 - Line Strike
Attachments: Patrick Fahn.vcf; 2012-09-25_14-23-59_115.jpg

Patrick,

Let me try sending the picture from my personal email. This seems to happen fairly often with my work email system. Let me know if the attached picture works. Thanks.

-Eric Weise
Rangeland Energy

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Eric Weise <erwise@rgldenergy.com>
Date: Thu, Sep 27, 2012 at 8:59 AM
Subject: Fwd: NDPSC: PU-10-637 - Line Strike
To: "ERWeise@gmail.com" <ERWeise@gmail.com>

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Fahn, Patrick J." <pfahn@nd.gov>
Date: September 27, 2012 8:17:53 AM CDT
To: Eric Weise <EWeise@rgldenergy.com>
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From: Eric Weise [mailto:EWeise@rgldenergy.com]
Sent: Wednesday, September 26, 2012 8:22 AM
To: Fahn, Patrick J.

Cc: -Info-Public Service Commission; Rafael Colaco; Bucky Crisp; Steve Broker

Subject: Re: NDPSC: PU-10-637 - Line Strike

Patrick,

Per our discussion earlier in the week. After removing the damaged section of pipe, Rangeland choose to coat the end caps welded to the remaining pipeline. This work was completed Tuesday 9/25. Please see the attached picture for reference. Let me know if questions. Thanks.

Eric Weise

Project Engineer

On Sep 22, 2012, at 2:12 PM, Eric Weise wrote:

On the afternoon of Thursday 9/20/12, a contractor working at our Dry Fork station struck a 5" 3rd party pipeline while drilling holes for pipe support foundations. The line was not marked. A minimal amount, less than 5 gallons, of water with an oily sheen was released. Calls were made immediately to the surrounding companies to try and identify the pipeline. Tesoro indicated it was not there line. The line was excavated and a temporary repair clamp placed over the hole.

On the morning of Friday, 9/21/12, all pipeline companies listed on the North Dakota One Call Members Notified section were contacted and representatives responded. Both Hess and Enbridge confirmed it was an abandoned crude oil line that had been filled with water. The parties indicated sections had been cut out previously during construction activity in the area. The damaged section was cut out and caps welded on the remaining ends of the abandoned pipeline.

Here are the specifics relating to the incident:

Address: Rangeland P/L - Dry Fork

10360 60th Street NW

Tioga ND, 58852

North Dakota One Call:

Ticket # 12154950 placed by ND&T

<120922115059_0001.pdf>

Please let me know if questions or concerns. Thanks.

Eric Weise

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