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Andrea Sampson
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Dear Ms. Sampson:

RE: Stateline NGL Pipeline Project

ONEOK Rockies Midstream, LLC is proposing to construct approximately 12.8 miles of natural gas liquids pipeline in Williams County, North Dakota. This project is part of a 53.7 mile pipeline from the ONEOK Stateline 1 & 2 Gas Plants in Williams County to the ONEOK Riverview Terminal in Richland County, Montana.

Our primary concern with this project is the possible disturbance of native prairie and wooded draws associated with construction of the pipeline and access roads. We ask that work within these areas be avoided to the extent possible, every effort be made to prevent destruction of woody vegetation, and disturbed areas be reclaimed to pre-project conditions.

The National Wetland Inventory indicates various wetlands within the proposed project corridor. Steps should be taken to protect any wetlands that cannot be avoided, no alterations should be made to existing drainage patterns, and above-ground appurtenances should not be placed in wetland areas.

We do not believe this project will have any significant adverse effects on wildlife or wildlife habitat, including state Species of Conservation Priority, provided disturbed areas are reclaimed to pre-project conditions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Greg Link". The signature is written in a cursive style.

(for) Greg Link
Chief
Conservation & Communication Division

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