

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
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Basin Transload, LLC / Tesoro High Plains
Transfer of Corridor Certificate & Route Permit
Siting Application

Case No. PU-13-872

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STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

Kathy Acker deposes and says that:

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Notice of Opportunity of Hearing

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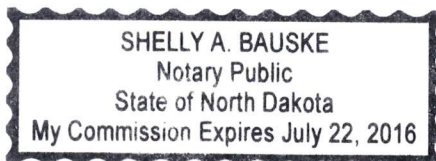
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The address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **12th** day of **November, 2014**.

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Kathy Acker

Shelly A Bauske

Notary Public

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NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR HEARING

November 6, 2014

On November 6, 2013, Basin Transload, LLC (Basin) and Tesoro High Plains Pipeline Company LLC (Tesoro) submitted a joint application for the transfer to Tesoro of Certificate of Corridor Compatibility No. 145 and Route Permit No. 157 for the construction, operation, and maintenance of four miles of ten-inch crude oil pipeline and associate facilities in Mercer County, North Dakota, originally issued to Basin on September 25, 2013, in Case No. PU-12-675.

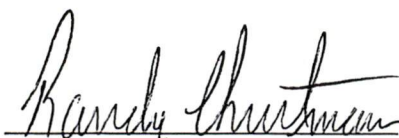
The issues to be considered are:

1. Whether Tesoro agrees and is able to comply with the terms and conditions of the corridor certificate and the route permit issued to Basin; and
2. Whether the requested transfer is compatible with the public interest.

Those interested are invited to comment on the application in writing. Persons desiring a hearing must file a written request identifying their interest in the proceeding, and the reasons for requesting a hearing. **Comments and requests for hearing must be received by December 12, 2014.** If deemed appropriate, the Commission can determine the matter without a hearing.

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