

January 6, 2016

VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

Mr. Darrell Nitschke
Executive Secretary
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 E. Boulevard, Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

**RE: NuStar Pipeline Operating Partnership L.P.'s Consolidated Application for a Certificate of Corridor Compatibility and Route Permit, and Waiver Application
Case No. PU-15-674**

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

In its November 4, 2015 Motion, the North Dakota Public Service Commission ("Commission") deemed NuStar Pipeline Operating Partnership L.P.'s ("NuStar") Consolidated Application for a Certificate of Corridor Compatibility and Route Permit ("Consolidated Application") complete conditioned on NuStar filing copies of environmental and cultural studies, and location information concerning facilities within the proposed Cenex Fargo Terminal site (now referred to as the Cenex Prosper Terminal site), at least ten business days prior to the public hearing. As noted in more detail below, NuStar is providing with this letter the required information.

In addition, since filing its Consolidated Application and associated Waiver Application for the Project, NuStar has determined that a route adjustment is necessary where the pipeline exits the proposed Cenex Prosper Terminal site. Since the route adjustment is tied to the information requested by the Commission in its November 4, 2015 Motion, NuStar is also enclosing documentation regarding the proposed route adjustment.

Therefore, NuStar respectfully submits for filing in the above-referenced matter an original and ten (10) copies of the following documents:

1. Motion to Amend Consolidated Application and Waiver Application, with accompanying Exhibit A (maps showing both the original route/corridor and the adjusted route/corridor);
2. Natural Resources Addendum (covering the route/corridor adjustment and the NuStar facilities within the Cenex Prosper Terminal site);

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3. Addendum 2 to a Class I and Class III Cultural Resource Inventory of the Laurel Interconnect Pipeline (covering the route/corridor adjustment) [Non-Public];
4. North Dakota State Historic Preservation Office ("SHPO") Concurrence Letter for the Addendum 2 Report;
5. Class I and Class III Cultural Resource Report (covering the proposed Cenex Prosper Terminal site) [Non-Public];
6. SHPO Concurrence Letter for the Cenex Report;
7. Cenex Prosper Terminal Site Plan; and
8. Affidavit of Service.

Also enclosed are two CDs containing the above-referenced documents and this letter in electronic format. One CD contains the two cultural resource reports, which are not for public dissemination, and the second CD contains the remaining documents.

By copy of this letter, the Cass County Auditor is being served with a copy of the enclosed documents (except for the cultural resource reports) in accordance with Section 69-06-05-01(4) of the North Dakota Administrative Code.

If you have questions or need additional information, please let me know.

Sincerely,



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Enclosures

cc: Mr. Michael Montplaisir, Cass County Auditor (w/ encl. via Federal Express)