

December 27, 2023

John Schuh General Counsel Public Service Commission 600 East Boulevard Avenue – Dept. 408 Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

RE: SCS Carbon Transport LLC / PU-22-391

Midwest Carbon Express CO2 Pipeline Project Siting Application

December 21, 2023 – Hearing on preemption motion

OAH File No. 20230002

Dear Mr. Schuh:

Enclosed please find a copy of the documents distributed during the oral arguments at the December 21, 2023 motion hearing. I consider these illustrative aids to the parties' oral arguments and not hearing exhibits. Thus, I believe they should be added to the Commission's docket for this case, but I do not intend to add them to the official exhibit list. Should you feel otherwise, please let me know. The documents distributed were as follows:

- 1. Emmons County, represented at the hearing by Attorney Derrick Braaten, provided the following documents:
  - Emmons County Ordinance labeled Electric Transmission facilities and water, gas, oil or coal slurry transmission pipelines (pages number 16 and 17); and
  - N.D.C.C. § 49-22.1-13;
- 2. The Bismarck Area Intervenors, represented at the hearing by Attorney Randall Bakke, provided documents labeled exhibits W200 through W203 characterized as:
  - W200 Burleigh County GIS Map of Townships and pipeline route dated 12/20/23;
  - W201 Burleigh County GIS Map of Townships and pipeline route dated 06/23/23;
  - W202 Summit Carbon Solutions draft Emergency Response Plan dated 08/28/23;
     and
  - W203 Summit Carbon Solutions Initial Response Tactic;
- 3. Landowner Intervenors, represented at the hearing by Attorney Steven Leibel provided documents labeled 1 through 6 characterized as:
  - 1 N.D.C.C. § 49-22.1-13;
  - 2 N.D.C.C. § 1-02-03;
  - 3 N.D.C.C. § 49-22.1-01;
  - 4 N.D.C.C. § 49-22.1-06;
  - 5 N.D.C.C. § 49-22.1-07; and
  - 6 2017 Legislative History of HB 1144.

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Letter Enclosing the 21 December 2023 Documents
Distributed During Oral Arguments

Hope Hogan, ALJ - Office of Administrative Hearings

Mr. John Schuh December 27, 2023

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Hope L. Hogan

Administrative Law Judge

## Enclosures

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