



## Public Service Commission

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### **PSC Schedules Public Hearing in Tioga for Proposed Pipeline Project**

BISMARCK, ND – The North Dakota Public Service Commission (PSC) will hold a public hearing in Tioga on Tuesday, April 14, regarding a proposal for a residue gas pipeline in Mountrail and Williams Counties.

In keeping with recommendations of public health officials to minimize public gatherings during this COVID-19 event, members of the public are encouraged to provide their comments in writing and if necessary by telephone. Written comments will be accepted into the official record up to five days after the hearing. They can be submitted by e-mail to [ndpsc@nd.gov](mailto:ndpsc@nd.gov) or mailed to 600 E. Boulevard Ave., Dept. 408, Bismarck, ND 58505. The public may also listen to the hearing by phone and comment during the public comment section. Additionally, a recording of this hearing will be available on our website the following day ([www.psc.nd.gov](http://www.psc.nd.gov) and click on the case under “hot topics”).

Liberty Midstream Solutions, LLC, is proposing to construct an approximately 4.7 mile-long residue gas pipeline in Mountrail and Williams Counties. The pipeline would be an 8-inch diameter pipeline with an estimated throughput of up to 80 million cubic feet per day. The estimated cost of the project is \$4.6 million.

The pipeline would originate at the existing Liberty County Line Gas Plant near Tioga and end at an interconnection with the Alliance Pipeline’s Tioga Lateral pipeline. (Note to the media: A map showing the proposed location of the project has been provided to you for use with any announcements/stories you print.)

#### **Details for the public hearing are as follows:**

- **Tuesday, April 14, 2020 – 9 a.m. Central**  
**Neset Consulting Service**  
**6844 State Highway 40, Tioga, ND 58852**  
**Join by telephone: 1-888-585-9008**

**Room Code: 259-316-322 (press \*9 to request to speak)**

The North Dakota Public Service Commission is a constitutionally created state agency with authority to permit, site and regulate certain business activities in the state including electric and gas utilities, telecommunications companies, power plants, electric transmission lines, pipelines, railroads, auctioneers, commercial weighing devices, pipeline safety and coal mine reclamation. For more information, contact the Public Service Commission at (701) 328-2400 or [www.psc.nd.gov](http://www.psc.nd.gov).

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The map displays a study area for a proposed pipeline route. The study area is outlined in black and is located in the northern part of the map. The proposed pipeline route is shown as a dashed line, starting from the north and heading south, then turning east and south again. The map is overlaid with a grid of townships and ranges, and sections. Labels include 158N 95W, 158N 94W, 157N 95W, 157N 94W, Williams, Tioga, Mountrail, and White Earth. A north arrow and a scale bar (0 to 3 miles) are also present.

**LEGEND**

- Proposed Pipeline Route (dashed line)
- Study Area (black outline)
- County Boundary (dotted line)
- Township/Range (thick solid line)
- Section (thin solid line)
- City (circle)