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Magalie R. Salas, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20426

Re: Rockies Express Pipeline Project, REX-East
Docket No. PF06-30

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Dear Ms. Salas:

Attached herewith for filing in the above-reference proceeding is the pre-filing monthly activity report for Rockies Express Pipeline – East Project (REX-East).

If you have any questions with regards to these materials please contact Ryan Childs at (307) 760-5635.

Sincerely,

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Rockies Express Pipeline – East Project (REX – East)**Pre-Filing Monthly Activity Report
01/13/2007**

This report summarizes the major activities of the Rockies Express Pipeline – East (REX – East) team during the last month.

Public Outreach

During the past month, REX – East's community organizers continued contacting elected officials and stakeholders throughout the region. From December 15 - January 15, they contacted 39 elected officials and nine officials from non-governmental organizations. They arranged meetings with county commissioners, farm bureaus, state legislators, mayors, and township administrators to update them on the project and solicit feedback officials have received from their constituents. They also followed-up with stakeholders who had additional questions and monitored regional media for any REX – East coverage.

Over the last month, the public Web site had 1,790 visitors, with the maps section being the most viewed. We did not receive any inquiries or public comments from the Web site.

Environmental

REX-East filed copies of draft Resource Reports 1 – 13 to FERC, FERC staff, and its Third-Party EIS contractors on January 5, 2007. Updated drawings and stakeholder lists were also filed at this time in association with the resource reports. REX-East environmental staff have continued contacting federal and state environmental regulatory agencies across the Project area to discuss the Project and identify environmental issues. Agency meetings were held with state representatives from Indiana and Illinois to update them on project status and address upcoming permit application issues. Permit applications are being prepared for submittal on or about the same time as the FERC application in accordance with the new Energy Policy Act 2005. Both environmental and cultural survey teams continue with respective surveys along the project area. As of January 11, 2007, environmental survey crews have completed approximately 454 miles of survey work. Cultural resource crews have completed approximately 250 miles of survey work. Weather conditions have remained favorable for survey efforts. No issues of trespassing were reported during this reporting period.

Rockies Express Pipeline – East Project Federal, State and Local Agency Meetings Environmental		
Date	Agency	Representative(s)
01/09/2007	IN DNR, IN SHPO	IN DNR – Tom Swinford, Travis Murphy, Andrea Gromeaux,

		Christie Stanifer IN SHPO – Cathy Draeger
01/09/2007	IL DNR, IL EPA	IL DNR – Rick Pietruszka, Karen Miller IL EPA – Blaine Kinsley, Dan Heacock

REX – East environmental staff met will meet with agency representatives to discuss Agriculture Impact Mitigation plan during the next reporting period.

Rights-of-Way

REX – East rights-of-way agents have continued contacting landowners across the Project area, by correspondence, telephone contact, or face-to-face meetings from project offices in Decatur, IL and Columbus, OH. The focus of these contacts continues to be obtaining necessary landowner permission for engineering and environmental field surveys.

Engineering

REX - East engineering support has continued to focus on route and facilities development and is an ongoing activity. Centerline survey efforts necessary to support continued route and facilities engineering, environmental and cultural resources field surveys is ongoing. Development of project route mapping and other graphics has been a continuing activity.