



March 13, 2017

Ms. Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, NE
Washington, DC 20426

Re: Jordan Cove Energy Project, L.P. and Pacific Connector Gas Pipeline, LP
Docket No. PF17-4-000
Monthly Progress Report No. 1

Dear Ms. Bose:

On February 10, 2017, the Director of the Office of Energy Projects issued a letter in the above-referenced docket approving the request of Jordan Cove Energy Project, L.P. (“JCEP”) and Pacific Connector Gas Pipeline, LP (“PCGP”, and collectively “Applicants”) to commence the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission’s (“Commission”) pre-filing review process of its proposed liquefied natural gas (“LNG”) export terminal (“LNG Terminal”) and PCGP’s associated pipeline (“Pipeline”, and together with the LNG Terminal, the “Project”). Pursuant to Section 157.21(f)(6) of the Commission’s regulations,¹ Applicants herewith submit their monthly progress report for the Project for the period of February 10, 2017 through March 9, 2017.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at rose.haddon@jordancovelng.com or (866) 227-9249.

Sincerely,

/s/ Rose Haddon
Rose Haddon
Director, Regulatory Affairs
Jordan Cove Energy Project, L.P.
Pacific Connector Gas Pipeline, LP

cc: John Peconom (FERC)

¹ 18 C.F.R. § 157.21(f)(6) (2016).

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Project Scope and Schedule

On February 24, 2017, Applicants submitted a Memorandum of Understanding that was executed by Applicants, Commission Staff, and Tetra Tech, the third-party contractor selected by Commission Staff.

On March 10, 2017, JCEP and PCGP submitted draft Resource Reports 1 and 10 to the Commission for the LNG Terminal and Pipeline.

Environmental and Cultural Resource Surveys

Starting the week of February 27 and on-going thereafter, JCEP is conducting geotechnical investigations at defined locations at the LNG Terminal site. Tribal cultural monitors from the Confederated Tribes of the Coos, Lower Umpqua, and Siuslaw Indians and archaeological monitors were on-site at the commencement of these activities and will remain on-site during all ground disturbing activities associated with the geotechnical work.

Additionally, Applicants propose to conduct ambient noise monitoring within the next month depending on weather conditions.

Agency Consultation

Applicants have contacted all relevant federal, state, and local agencies regarding the Project and requested their participation in the pre-filing review process. The meetings are listed below, including some prior to the start of this reporting period.

On December 19, 2016, Applicants met with the U.S. Coast Guard (“USCG”), notified the USCG of the intent to file with FERC, and invited USCG’s participation in the pre-filing review process.

On January 17, 2017, Applicants met with the Oregon Department of State Lands to provide an update on the Project, in particular the proposed route change within Coos Bay along the Haynes inlet.

On January 17, 2017, Applicants met with the Oregon Department of Energy to provide an update on the Project.

On January 17, 2017, Applicants met with the State Historic Preservation Office at the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department to provide an update on the Project.

On January 31, 2017, Applicants met with the following agencies to provide a Project update and request participation in pre-filing review process: the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Oregon Department of Energy, Oregon Department of Environmental Quality, Oregon Building Codes Division, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, Oregon Department of Land Conservation

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and Development, Oregon Governor's Office, Oregon Department of State Lands, and Oregon Department of Aviation.

On February 1, 2017, Applicants met with the National Marine Fisheries Service to provide a Project update and request participation in the pre-filing review process.

On February 2, 2017, Applicant met with the Bureau of Land Management ("BLM"), the U.S. Forest Service, and the Bureau of Reclamation to provide a project update and request participation in the pre-filing review process.

On March 6, 2017, Applicants contacted BLM's Oregon office requesting a meeting to discuss Resource Management Plan amendments.

Tribal Outreach by Applicants

Applicants have held the following meetings to update the Tribal Councils and Tribal staff as part of Applicants' outreach effort that is in addition to FERC's formal consultation. Different topics were discussed at different meetings including protocols, agreements and updates on the geotechnical investigations. Upcoming meeting dates that have been confirmed are also listed below.

On January 18, 2017, Applicants met with the Tribal staff of the Cow Creek Band of the Umpqua Tribe of Indians.

On January 19, 2017, Applicants met with the Tribal Council of the Confederated Tribes of the Coos, Lower Umpqua, and Siuslaw Indians.

On February 15, 2017, Applicants notified the following Tribes of the intention to commence the pre-filing process and of the open houses: Confederated Tribes of the Coos, Lower Umpqua, and Siuslaw Indians; and in addition, requested meetings with the Tribal Councils of the following Tribes in order to give a Project update: Coquille Indian Tribe; Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians; The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde; The Klamath Tribes; and the Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Tribe of Indians.

On February 22, 2017, Applicants met with the Tribal staff of the Coquille Indian Tribe.

On February 22, 2017, Applicants met with the Tribal staff of the Tribal Council of the Confederated Tribes of the Coos, Lower Umpqua, and Siuslaw Indians.

On February 23, 2017, Applicants met with the Tribal Council of the Coquille Indian Tribe.

On March 3, 2017, Applicants received a confirmation of meeting with the Tribal staff of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians on March 21, 2017.

On March 7, 2017, Applicants received a confirmation of meeting with the Tribal staff of Cow Creek Band of the Umpqua Tribe of Indians on March 22, 2017.

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On March 8, 2017, Applicants met with the Tribal staff of the Tribal Council of the Confederated Tribes of the Coos, Lower Umpqua, and Siuslaw Indians.

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On March 9, 2017, Applicants received notice that The Klamath Tribal council have decided not to meet at this time.

Landowner and Public Outreach

On December 15, 2016, Applicants provided a notice of filing to stakeholders including local counties: Coos County, Douglas County, Jackson County, and Klamath County.

On February 21, 2017, Applicants sent notification packets, including a cover letter and fact book regarding the Project, to all stakeholders. Due to delivery issues with the postal service, Applicants rescheduled four open house meetings to maximize participation. On March 2 and 3, 2017, Applicants sent notification letters to all landowners with updated open house information. Other stakeholder groups (e.g., community organizations, regulatory agencies, elected officials, etc.) were contacted via email and phone with the same information. On March 3, 2017, Applicants issued a press statement to notify the public of the new open house dates, in addition to advertising these new open house dates in four local newspapers (one in each county) on either March 4th or March 5th (depending on the each paper's specific circulation schedule). Applicants plan to provide an update in a newspaper advertisement regarding at least one of the open houses this week. Applicants will continue to meet with and update landowners and other stakeholder groups as the Project develops. The stakeholder mailing list will be submitted to Commission Staff on March 13, 2017.

Applicants are holding four open house meetings near the LNG Terminal and along the Pipeline route from March 21, 2017 through March 24, 2017.

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