



**Tennessee Gas Pipeline  
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October 13, 2014

President Randall Skigen  
Stamford Board of Representatives  
888 Washington Blvd., 4th Floor  
Stamford, CT 06901

RE: Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, L.L.C.  
Northeast Energy Direct Project

Dear President Skigen,

On behalf of Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, L.L.C. (“Tennessee”) as it relates to its Northeast Energy Direct Project (“NED Project”), this correspondence serves as a brief project update. As you are most likely aware, Tennessee has been in communication with elected officials and landowners regarding the proposed expansion of Tennessee’s system.

The NED Project is a federal undertaking that is regulated by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (“FERC”) under Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act. On September 15, 2014, Tennessee requested authorization to use the FERC’s Pre-Filing Process (“Process”) for the NED Project. The FERC approved Tennessee’s request on October 2, 2014 in FERC Docket No. PF14-22-000.

Tennessee continually strives to keep the public sector and involved stakeholders apprised of the status of the NED Project. In that effort, please find enclosed a copy of the correspondence sent to landowners along the NED Project route, as well a schedule of the list of open houses that are planned for the NED Project.

Please be aware that additional information can be found on the NED Project website at [www.kindermorgan.com](http://www.kindermorgan.com). Tennessee has also created a Project email address ([nedinfo@kindermorgan.com](mailto:nedinfo@kindermorgan.com)) that members of the public and elected officials have used to provide feedback and ask questions regarding the proposed Project.

Thank you very much for your ongoing interest in the NED Project. If you have any questions, please contact me at either: [allen\\_fore@kindermorgan.com](mailto:allen_fore@kindermorgan.com) or via telephone at (630) 725-3044.

Sincerely yours,

TENNESSEE GAS PIPELINE COMPANY, L.L.C.

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The enclosed report was prepared by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (FWPCA) and the Federal Air Pollution Control Act (FAPCA). The report contains information regarding the water quality and air quality in the area of the proposed project. The information was obtained from field observations and laboratory analyses of samples collected during the period of the study. The results of the study indicate that the water quality in the area of the proposed project is generally good, but there are some areas where the water quality is poor. The air quality in the area of the proposed project is also generally good, but there are some areas where the air quality is poor. The information in this report is intended to provide you with a better understanding of the water and air quality in the area of the proposed project.

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Michael Smith  
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RE: Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, L.L.C.  
Northeast Energy Direct Project

Dear Mr. Smith:

As you may already be aware, Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, L.L.C. (“Tennessee”) is planning to expand its existing pipeline system to serve the growing demand for interstate natural gas transmission service in the northeastern United States. The Northeast Energy Direct Project (“Project”) is being developed to meet the growing energy needs in the Northeast and, more specifically, the New England region. The New England region as a whole stands to benefit from the NED Project as it will enable New England to sustain its electric grid and lower energy costs to compete on a more level economic playing field with other regions of the nation with access to low-cost gas. As part of Tennessee’s fully integrated natural gas pipeline transportation system, the Project will provide additional access to diverse supplies of natural gas to expansion customers in the New England region.

The Project involves the installation of approximately 167 miles of new and co-located pipeline and two pipeline looping segments on Tennessee’s existing 300 Line in Pennsylvania, and compression facilities designed to receive gas from Tennessee’s 300 Line for deliveries to Tennessee’s system near Wright, New York, Iroquois Gas Transmission System, LP, and/or the proposed Constitution Project (referred to as the supply path component of the NED Project), and approximately 177 miles of new and co-located pipeline facilities extending from Wright, New York to an interconnect with the Joint Facilities of Maritimes & Northeast Pipeline System and Portland Natural Gas Transmission System (“Joint Facilities”) at Dracut, Massachusetts and Tennessee’s existing 200 Line near Dracut, Massachusetts (referred to as the market path component of the NED Project). In addition, the Project includes the construction of eight (8) new compressor stations, modifications at an existing compressor station, and approximately 73 miles of market delivery laterals and pipeline looping segments located in the states of Pennsylvania, New York, Massachusetts, Connecticut, and New Hampshire. To minimize impacts from construction, the proposed pipeline facilities will be co-located with existing utility corridors where practicable feasible.

The Project is a federal undertaking that is regulated by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (“FERC”) under Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act. On September 15, 2014, Tennessee requested authorization to use the FERC’s Pre-Filing Process (“Process”) for the Project. The FERC approved Tennessee’s request on October 2, 2014 in FERC Docket No. PF14-22-000. The FERC’s Process is a mechanism that allows the involvement of all relevant agencies and interested stakeholders at an earlier stage of the Project development than the FERC’s traditional process. By using the FERC’s Process, Tennessee and the FERC will have the opportunity to identify and resolve issues by consulting with stakeholders, including affected landowners, and participating agencies through meetings, telephone calls, and/or written correspondence prior to Tennessee filing a formal certificate application for approval to construct the Project with the FERC.

Tennessee plans to host open houses in November and December 2014 for the portion of the Project located from Wright, New York to Dracut, Massachusetts (referred to as the market path component of the NED Project), and January and February 2015 for the portion of the Project located from Troy, Pennsylvania to Wright, New York (referred to as the supply path component of the NED Project) to provide additional information and answer questions concerning the Project. Enclosed is a list of the open houses scheduled for



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the market path component of the NED Project. The list provides details regarding the date, time, and location of the open houses.

Tennessee strives to be a good neighbor and appreciates your ongoing interest in this Project. A toll-free telephone number, (844) 277-1047, for Project/landowner inquiries has been established along with a dedicated email address, [nedinfo@kindermorgan.com](mailto:nedinfo@kindermorgan.com). Incoming telephone calls and emails will be directed to the appropriate Project discipline to be returned as soon as possible. Tennessee has also developed a Project website ([http://www.kindermorgan.com/business/gas\\_pipelines/east/neenergydirect/](http://www.kindermorgan.com/business/gas_pipelines/east/neenergydirect/)) that is frequently updated.

Sincerely,

TENNESSEE GAS PIPELINE COMPANY, L.L.C.

James D. Hartman  
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Attachment: Open House Schedule



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## **NED Open House Dates/Locations**

*\*\*All Open Houses are 6pm-8pm*

- **Nov. 12, 2014: North Reading, MA**
  - North Reading High School; 191 Park St., North Reading, MA
- **Nov. 13, 2014: Pepperell, MA**
  - Varnum Brook Elementary School; 10 Hollis St., Pepperell, MA
- **Nov. 17, 2014: Dracut, MA**
  - Richardson Middle School; 1570 Lakeview Ave., Dracut, MA
- **Nov. 18, 2014: Hollis, NH**
  - Hollis-Brookline High School; 24 Cavalier Ct., Hollis, NH
- **Nov. 19, 2014: Northborough, MA**
  - Marguerite Peaslee Elementary School; 31 Maple Street., Northborough, MA
- **Nov. 20, 2014: Ashburnham, MA**
  - Oakmont Regional High School; 9 Oakmont Dr., Ashburnham, MA
- **Dec. 2, 2014: Orange, MA**
  - Orange Innovation Center; 131 West Main St., Orange, MA
- **Dec. 3, 2014: Greenfield, MA**
  - Greenfield Community College; One College Drive, Greenfield, MA
- **Dec. 4, 2014: Schodack, NY**
  - Green Meadow Elementary School- 234 Schuurman Rd., Castleton On Hudson, NY
- **Dec. 9, 2014: Pittsfield, MA**
  - Berkshire Community College; 1350 West St., Pittsfield, MA
- **Dec. 10, 2014: Shelburne, MA**
  - Mohawk Trail Regional High School; 24 Ashfield Rd., Shelburne Falls, MA
- **Dec. 11, 2014: Farmington, CT**
  - Farmington High School; 10 Montieth Dr., Farmington, CT