



May 27, 2020

Mr. Mathew Gordon  
Sunoco Pipeline, L.P. (SPLP)  
535 Fritztown Road  
Sinking Spring, PA 19608

Re: Sunoco Pipeline, L.P. – Pennsylvania Pipeline Project (Mariner East II)  
DEP File No. E15-862  
Minor Modification - Installation Method Change at HDD S3-0400 Lisa Drive  
APS No. 879047, AUTH ID 1087479  
West Whiteland Township  
Chester County

Dear Mr. Gordon:

The Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) has reviewed the above-referenced application package and has identified the following significant technical deficiencies. The deficiencies are based on applicable laws and regulations, and the guidance sets forth DEP's preferred means of satisfying the applicable regulatory requirements.

**Technical Deficiencies:**

1. The applicant needs to install orange protective fencing along the boundaries of each wetland in or adjacent to the Limits of Disturbance (LOD), including wetlands WL-K18, WL-K19, WL-K20, and WL-K21.
2. The applicant needs to determine the accurate area size of WL-K21 and update the amendment documentation as needed.
3. The applicant needs to set forth measures and practices and demonstrate, to DEP's satisfaction, how it will avoid adverse impacts to the hydrology that supports the wetlands.
4. The applicant shall restore all disturbed wetland areas to original contours, and replant with indigenous wetland vegetation. It shall verify with DEP any impacts and that measures taken to restore, and replant disturbed areas were completed.

You may request a time extension, in writing, before **July 26, 2020**, to respond to deficiencies beyond the sixty (60) calendar days. Requests for time extensions will be reviewed by and considered. You will be notified in writing of the decision either to grant or deny, including a

specific due date to respond if the extension is granted. Time extensions shall be in accordance with 25 Pa. Code § 105.13a(b).

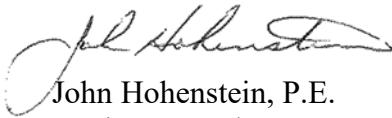
DEP has developed a standardized review process and processing times for all permits or other authorizations that it issues or grants. Pursuant to its Permit Review Process and Permit Decision Guarantee Policy (021-2100-001), DEP guarantees to provide permit decisions within the published time frames, provided applicants submit complete, technically adequate applications/registrations that address all applicable regulatory and statutory requirements, in the first submission. Since you did not submit a complete and/or technically adequate application, DEP's Permit Decision Guarantee is no longer applicable to your application.

Pursuant to 25 Pa. Code § 105.13a of DEP's Chapter 105 Rules and Regulations, you must submit a response fully addressing each of the significant technical deficiencies set forth above. Please note that this information must be received within sixty (60) calendar days from the date of this letter, on or before **July 26, 2020**, or DEP may consider the application to be withdrawn by the applicant.

If you believe that any of the stated deficiencies is not significant, instead of submitting a response to that deficiency, you have the option of asking DEP to make a decision based on the information with regard to the subject matter of that deficiency that you have already made available. If you choose this option with regard to any deficiency, you should explain and justify how your current submission satisfies that deficiency. Please keep in mind that if you fail to respond, your application may be withdrawn or denied.

Should you have any questions regarding the identified deficiencies, please contact Ms. Ranjana Sharp by e-mail at [rsharp@pa.gov](mailto:rsharp@pa.gov) or at the telephone number located in the first page footer and refer to Application No. E15-862 to discuss your concerns or to schedule a meeting. The meeting must be scheduled within the 60-day period allotted for your reply, unless otherwise extended by DEP. [for PDG applications/registrations: You may also follow your application through the review process via *eFACTS on the Web* at: <http://www.ahs2.dep.state.pa.us/eFactsWeb/default.aspx> .]

Sincerely,



John Hohenstein, P.E.  
Environmental Program Manager  
Waterways and Wetlands

Enclosure

cc: Chester County Conservation District  
West Whiteland Township  
PA Fish and Boat Commission  
Army Corps of Engineers - Philadelphia  
Mr. Simcik, P.E. – Tetra Tech, Inc.  
Mr. Nassani  
Mr. Knorr  
Ms. Sharp, P.E.  
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