

June 17, 2025

Mr. Daniel Holli Environmental and Regulatory Compliance Specialist Plains Pipeline, L.P. P.O. Box 708 Belfield, ND 58622

Re:

Air Pollution Control

Draft Permit to Construct No. ACP-17412 v1.1

Dear Mr. Holli:

Pursuant to the Air Pollution Control Rules of the State of North Dakota, the Department of Environmental Quality (Department) has reviewed the permit application received February 20, 2025, to obtain a Permit to Construct to lower the Manitou Rail Terminal facility throughput for the railcar crude oil loadout and include the previously approved butane injection system and 10,000 gallon diesel tank located in Mountrail County, North Dakota.

Before making final determination on the draft Permit to Construct, the Department must solicit public comment by means of the enclosed public notice. As indicated in the notice, the public comment period will begin on June 21, 2025, and end July 20, 2025. The Department's analysis and a draft copy of the Permit to Construct may be found at https://deg.nd.gov/AO/PublicCom.aspx.

All comments received will be considered in the final determination concerning issuance of the permit. You will be notified in writing of our final determination.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (701)328-1337 or email kmthorsteinson@nd.gov.

Sincerely,

Kari Thorsteinson

Environmental Scientist

Division of Air Quality

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EPA Region 8, Air Permitting (email – r8airpermitting@epa.gov)

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE AN AIR POLLUTION CONTROL PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT

Take notice that the North Dakota Department of Environmental Quality (NDDEQ) proposes to issue an Air Pollution Control Permit to Construct to Plains Pipeline L.P. for operation of the Manitou Rail Terminal in accordance with the North Dakota Air Pollution Control Rules. The amended permit will lower the facility throughput for the railcar crude oil loadout and include the previously approved butane injection system and 10,000-gallon diesel tank. The facility is located in Mountrail County in North Dakota. The Plains Pipeline L.P. mailing address is P.O. Box 708, Belfield, North Dakota 58622.

Preliminary evaluations made by Department staff indicate that the plant will comply with all applicable Air Pollution Control Rules and there will be no detrimental/significant effects to air quality.

A 30-day public comment period for the proposed permit to construct will begin June 21, 2025, and end July 20, 2025. Direct comments in writing, including Re: Public Comment Permit Number ACP-17412 v1.1, to AirQuality@nd.gov or the NDDEQ, Division of Air Quality, 4201 Normandy Street, 2nd Floor, Bismarck, ND 58503-1324. Emailed comments must be sent to the email address above to be considered. Comments must be received by 11:59 p.m. central time on the last day of the public comment period to be considered in the final permit determination.

A public meeting regarding issuance of the Permit to Construct will be held if a significant degree of public interest exists as determined by NDDEQ. Requests for a public meeting must be received in writing by NDDEQ before the end of the public comment period. The application, NDDEQ analysis and draft permit are available for review at the above address and on-line at http://deq.nd.gov/AQ/PublicCom.aspx. A copy of these documents may be obtained by writing to the Division of Air Quality or contacting Kari Thorsteinson at (701)328-1337 or emailing kmthorsteinson@nd.gov.

The NDDEQ will consider every request for reasonable accommodation to provide an accessible meeting facility or other accommodation for people with disabilities, language interpretation for people with limited English proficiency (LEP), and translations of written material necessary to access programs and information. Language assistance services are available free of charge to you. To request accommodations, contact NDDEQ's Non-discrimination Coordinator at 701-328-5150 or deqEJ@nd.gov. TTY users may use Relay North Dakota at 711 or 1-800-366-6888.

Dated this 17th day of June 2025

James L. Semerad Director Division of Air Quality