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July 3, 2018

Ms. Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
888 First Street, N.E.  
Washington, D.C. 20426

Re: Mountain Valley Pipeline, LLC  
Docket No. PF18-4-000  
MVP Southgate Project  
Monthly Status Report No. 2

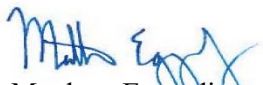
Dear Ms. Bose:

In compliance with Section 157.21(f)(6) of the Commission's regulations, Mountain Valley Pipeline, LLC submits in this docket its Monthly Status Report for the MVP Southgate Project covering the period between June 1 and June 30, 2018.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me (412-553-5786; meggerding@eqt.com) or William Lavarco (202-347-7127; William.lavarco@nee.com). Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

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by and through its operator,  
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On May 3, 2018, Mountain Valley Pipeline, LLC submitted a request to use the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission’s Pre-Filing review process for the MVP Southgate Project (“Project”). In a letter dated May 15, 2018, the Commission subsequently approved Mountain Valley’s request and assigned the Project to FERC Docket No. PF18-4-000.

This Monthly Status Report provides a brief summary of recent Project activities, including surveys, stakeholder communications, and agency consultations, that have occurred during the reporting period.

***Project Scope, Filings and Schedule***

Mountain Valley is seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity from the FERC pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act to construct and operate the MVP Southgate Project located in Pittsylvania County, Virginia and Rockingham and Alamance Counties, North Carolina. Mountain Valley proposes to construct approximately 72-miles of 24-inch-diameter natural gas pipeline, two proposed compressor stations, and four meter (interconnect) stations and other ancillary facilities required for the safe and reliable operation of the pipeline.

***Summary of Mountain Valley FERC Filings***

<b>Date</b>	<b>Submitted by</b>	<b>Content</b>
6/14/2018	Mountain Valley	Draft Resource Report 1-Project Description, Resource Report 10-Summary of Alternatives
6/15/2018	Mountain Valley	MVP Southgate Project-Monthly Status Report No. 1

***Schedule***

There are no updates to the proposed Project schedule.

***Pipeline***

***Land Status***

- 72.4% survey permissions obtained for proposed route.
- 0% right-of-way acquired by length.
- 95% parcels containing access roads identified to date, 0% acquired.
- 90% ancillary sites identified to date, 0% acquired.



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***Environmental Surveys (through 6/30/2018)***

- Biological
  - 68% of the proposed route has been surveyed for wetlands and waterbodies.
- Cultural
  - 57% of the proposed route has been surveyed for cultural resources.
- Threatened and Endangered (T&E Species)
  - 0% of the proposed route has been surveyed for T&E species.
- Aquatics
  - 0% of the proposed route has been surveyed for aquatic resources.

***Engineering***

- Civil Survey Progress - (38.9 miles / 54% complete).
- Preliminary mainline valve site selection is on-going.
- Preliminary pig launcher/receiver site selection and design is on-going.

***Compressor Stations***

Lambert Station (Pittsylvania County, Virginia) at milepost 0.0 and Russell Station (Rockingham County, North Carolina) at milepost 26.

- Land
  - Proposed sites have been identified and survey permission granted for both station sites.
- Environmental
  - Stream and wetland, rare, threatened and endangered species, and cultural surveys are ongoing.
- Engineering
  - Preliminary compressor station designs are underway for both stations.

***Interconnect Facilities***

Lambert Interconnect, LN 3600 Interconnect, T-15 Dan River Interconnect, and T-21 Haw River Interconnect.

- Land
  - Locations have been identified and survey permission has been requested.
- Environmental
  - Stream and wetland, rare, threatened and endangered species, and cultural surveys are ongoing.
- Engineering
  - Preliminary Interconnect station size and material sizing is ongoing.

***Resource Reports***

Initial Draft Resource Report 1-Project Description and the Resource Report 10-Summary of



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Alternatives were filed with the Commission on June 14, 2018. Draft Resource Reports are anticipated to be filed with the Commission in August 2018.

### ***Stakeholder Communications***

Mountain Valley is committed to actively engage stakeholders throughout the life cycle of the Project and has identified steps to ensure successful ongoing communication with stakeholders, including establishing a Project website ([www.mvpsouthgate.com](http://www.mvpsouthgate.com)), a toll-free phone line (833-MV-SOUTH), and e-mail ([mail@mvpsouthgate.com](mailto:mail@mvpsouthgate.com)). This process was described in the project-specific Public, Stakeholder, and Agency Participation Plan (as filed with the Commission on May 3, 2018). Mountain Valley will continue to meet with stakeholders to discuss the ongoing efforts associated with the Project. These efforts have consisted of face-to-face meetings, meetings at events, phone calls and letters/written communication. Communications this period include:

- May 30: Meeting with Virginia Gov. Ralph Northam
- May 31: Meeting with David Smitherman, Pittsylvania County administrator, and Telly Tucker, Danville Economic Development Director
- June 3: Meeting with Virginia Del. Les Adams  
Meeting with Virginia Del. Charles Poindexter
- June 4: Meeting with Virginia Del. Danny Marshall  
Phone call with Ron Scearce, member of Pittsylvania County Board of Supervisors
- June 11: Phone call with Virginia Del. Les Adams
- June 19: Meeting with Mark Bullins, Water and Sewer projects manager, and Terry Shelton, Public Utilities Director, city of Eden
- June 20: Letter to Bryan Hagood, Alamance County Manager
- June 21: Phone call with Virginia Del. Les Adams
- June 25: Meeting with Virginia Del. Les Adams and Pittsylvania County Sheriff Mike Taylor  
Meeting with Sean Tencer, town of Haw River  
Meeting with Shannon Deaton, David Cox, Kyle Briggs of the North Carolina Wildlife Resource Commission;  
Meeting with Upper Mattaponi Tribe  
Open House: Alamance County Commissioner Bob Byrd; Bridget Munger and Carolina Fonseca Jimenez of the North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality; Emily Sutton, Haw River Assembly; Caroline Hansley, Sierra Club
- June 26: Open House: Lyn Carlisle, Good Stewards of Rockingham; Jenny Edwards and Robin Light, Dan River Basin Association; Caroline Hansley, Sierra Club; Reidsville City Council member Terresia Scoble  
Meeting with Brian Baker, Parks Director for Alamance County  
Phone call with Lance Metzler, Rockingham County Manager
- June 27: Meeting with Sean Tencer, Town of Haw River  
Meeting with Alamance Community College President Algie Gatewood; Cindy Day Collie, Vice President for Administrative and Fiscal services; and Tom Hartman, Facilities Director.  
Meeting with Sushma Masemore, Bailey Recktenwald, Bridget Munger, Renee Kramer, Sarah Rice, Douglas Heyl, Sheila Holman, Carolina Fonseca Jimenez,



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- Jennifer Mundt and Jim Gregson, of North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality;  
Meeting with John Ellis of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service;  
Meeting with David Bailey, Jean Gibby, of the United States Army Corps of Engineers Wilmington District
- June 28: Meeting with Virginia Gov. Ralph Northam  
Open House: Ron Searce and Elton Blackstock, members of the Pittsylvania County Board of Supervisors; Will Pace, member of the Chatham Town Council; Richard Motley, Chairman of the Pittsylvania County Planning Commission; Caroline Hansley, Sierra Club  
Letter to Lance Metzler, Rockingham County Manager
- June 29: Letter to Bryan Hagood, Alamance County Manager

In addition, Mountain Valley held three (3) open houses (one in in each affected county) on June 25, 26, and 28, 2018 to provide information about the Project to all interested federal and state agencies, stakeholders, as well as the public.

### ***Agency Communications***

Mountain Valley continues to consult with federal, state and local government representatives to seek input, provide updates as the Project progresses, and extend an open invitation to all public meetings. Communications to date include:

- Agency Communications – See attached Table 1.
- Bi-weekly phone call held with the FERC on June 14, 2018.
- Agency Meetings:
  - North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission-June 25, 2018
  - Upper Mattaponi Tribe-June 25, 2018
  - North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality-June 27, 2018
  - United States Army Corps of Engineers-Wilmington District-June 27, 2018
  - United States Fish and Wildlife Service-June 27, 2018

### ***Permitting Table***

- A list of relevant Permits and Approvals are included in Table 2.



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<b>TABLE 1</b>				
<b>AGENCY COMMUNICATIONS</b>				
<b>Agency</b>	<b>Agency Contact</b>	<b>Correspondence Type</b>	<b>Date <sup>a</sup></b>	<b>Method of Contact/Summary of Communication</b>
<b><i>Federal</i></b>				
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) – Wilmington District	David Bailey, Project Manager	Email Telephone	6/4/2018 6/13/2018	Provided and update on the surveys and provided centerline shapefiles. Discussion on current centerline
	David Bailey and Jean Gibby	Meeting	6/27/2018	Discussion on Preliminary Jurisdictional Determination process and scheduling of field review of wetlands and waterbodies
USACE – Norfolk District	Tom Walker, Regulatory Chief  Jennifer Fry, Western Section Chief  Todd Miller, Southern Section Chief			
U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service (FWS) – North Carolina	Bryan Tompkins, Conservation Biologist John Ellis, Conservation Biologist	Meeting	6/27/2018	In person meeting
FWS – Virginia	Troy Anderson, Conservation Biologist			
<b><i>Virginia</i></b>				
Virginia Department of Conservation	Johnny Townsend, Project Review	Telephone	6/26/2018	Discussion on coordination of rare plant surveys along Dan River riparian corridor



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Agency	Agency Contact	Correspondence Type	Date <sup>a</sup>	Method of Contact/Summary of Communication
and Recreation (VDCR)	Assistant			
Virginia Department of Historic Resources (VDHR)	Roger Kirchen, Director, Review and Compliance Project Review  Marc Holma, Architectural Historian  Libby Cook, Project Review Analyst	Email	6/4/2018	Provided an update on surveys, submitted detailed work plans, and provided centerline shapefiles.
Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries (VDGIF)	Amy Ewing, Project Manager			
Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (VDEQ)	Melanie Davenport & James Holden, Director, Permitting Branch			
Virginia Marine Resources Commission (VMRC)	Randy Owen, Project Manager			
VDCR	Jason Bulluck, Environmental Manager II -			



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	Division Director, Natural Heritage Joe Weber	Telephone	6/6/2018	Provided update and project information.
VDCR	Rene Hypes, Program Coordinator	Email	6/8/2018	DCR-DNH provided comments, invoice and maps.
<b>North Carolina</b>				
North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality (NCDEQ)	Sue Homewood, Sr. Environmental Scientist	Email Email Meeting	6/4/2018 6/25/2018 6/27/2018	Provided and update on the surveys and provided centerline shapefiles. Provided field survey update In person meeting
North Carolina State Historic Preservation Office (NC HPO)	Renee Gledhill- Earley, Environmental Review Coordinator	Email	6/4/2018	Provided an update on surveys, submitted detailed work plans, and provided centerline shapefiles.
NC HPO	Ramona M. Bartos			
NC HPO	Susan Myers, Assistant State Archaeologist and Site Registrar			
North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission (NCWRC)	Olivia Munzer / Vann Stancil Shannon Deaton, David Cox, Kyle Briggs	Meeting	6/25/2018	In person meeting





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Agency	Agency Contact	Correspondence Type	Date <sup>a</sup>	Method of Contact/Summary of Communication
<b>Native American Tribes</b>				
Catawba Indian Nation	Wenonah G. Haire, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer	Letter	6/1/2018	Email with additional introductory information
Eastern Band of Cherokee Indian	Russell Townsend, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer	Letter	6/1/2018	Email with additional introductory information
Muscogee (Creek) Nation	Raelynn Butler, Manager, Historic and Cultural Preservation	Letter Email	6/1/2018 6/8/2018	Email with introductory information Email – outside of area of interest, contact if change
Tuscarora Nation	Bryan Printup, Representative	Letter	6/6/2018	Email with introductory information
Pawmunkey Indian Tribe	Robert Gray, Representative			
Delaware Nation, Oklahoma	Kim Penrod, Director of Cultural Resources	Letter	6/6/2018	Email with introductory information
Delaware Tribe of Indians	Brice Obermeyer, Historic Preservation Director	Letter Email	6/6/2018 6/7/2018	Email with introductory information Email – outside of area of interest
Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma	Brett Barnes, Tribal Historic Preservation	Letter	6/6/2018	Email with introductory information



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	Officer			
Chickahominy Tribe	Stephen Adkins, Chief	Letter	6/1/2018	Email with additional introductory information
Chickahominy Tribe Eastern Division	Gene Pathfollower Adkins, Chief	Letter	6/6/2018	Email with introductory information
Upper Mattaponi Tribe	Kenneth Adams, Chief	Letter Meeting	6/1/2018 6/25/2018	Email with additional introductory information In person meeting
Rappahannock Tribe	Anne Richardson, Chief	Letter	6/1/2018	Email with additional introductory information
Monacan Nation	Dean Branham, Chief	Letter	6/1/2018	Email with additional introductory information
Nansemond Tribe	Barry Bass, Chief	Letter Call	6/1/2018 6/11/2018	Email with additional introductory information Resent introductory information
Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe	Steve Vance, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer	Letter Email	6/6/2018 6/7/2018	Email with introductory information Call of introduction
Rosebud Sioux Tribe of Indians	Russell Eagle Bear, Tribal Historic Preservation Officer	Letter Email	6/6/2018 6/7/2018	Email with introductory information Call of introduction

<sup>a</sup> agency communications are included through 6/30/2018



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<b>Federal</b>			
<i>Required Permit:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity</li> <li>o National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) – Environmental Impact Statement Review</li> <li>o Pipeline abandonment under Section 7(b) of the Natural Gas Act</li> </ul>	Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Office of Energy Projects (OEP)</li> </ul>	888 First Street, NE. Washington, DC 20426.	Initiate Pre-Filing – May 15, 2018  File Formal FERC Application – November 2018
<i>Required Permit:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Section 10 Rivers and Harbors Act</li> <li>o Section 404 Clean Water Act (CWA)</li> </ul>	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Norfolk District</li> <li>o Wilmington District</li> </ul>	9100 Arboretum Parkway, Ste. 235, Richmond, VA 23236  3331 Heritage Trade Drive, Suite 105, Wake Forest, NC 27587	Pre-application meeting  Submittal of Preliminary Jurisdictional Determination request – July 2018  Submittal of Section 404 NWP-12 Application – November 2018
<i>Consultations:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Section 7 Endangered Species Act</li> <li>o Migratory Bird Treaty Act and Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act</li> <li>o Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act</li> </ul>	U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Virginia Field Office</li> <li>o North Carolina Field Office</li> </ul>	6669 Short Lane Gloucester, Virginia 23061  51F Pylon Drive Raleigh, NC 27606	Consultations
<i>Consultations:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Section 106, National Historic Preservation Act (16 USC § 470f)</li> </ul>	Federally and State Recognized Tribes of Virginia and North Carolina	Various	Consultations



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<b>Virginia</b>			
<i>Consultations:</i> Section 106, National Historic Preservation Act	Virginia Department of Historic Resources (VDHR) Division of Review and Compliance	2801 Kensington Avenue Richmond, VA 23221	Consultations
<i>Required Permit:</i> <i>Permit to Encroach on State-Owned Sub-aqueous Lands</i>	Virginia Marine Resources Commission	2600 Washington Avenue, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor Newport News, VA 23607	Pre-application meeting
<i>Required Permit:</i> Water Protection Permit & Individual 401 Water Quality Certification	Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (VDEQ), Water Division	P.O. Box 1105 Richmond, VA 23218	Pre-application meeting  Submittal of Application – November 2018
<i>Required Permit:</i> <i>Virginia Pollution Discharge Elimination System Permit for construction stormwater discharge</i>	VDEQ, Water Division	P.O. Box 1105 Richmond, VA 23218	Pre-application meeting
<i>Required Permit:</i> <i>Hydrostatic Test Permit</i>	VDEQ, Water Division	P.O. Box 1105 Richmond, VA 23218	
<i>Required Permit:</i> Minor New Source Air Quality Permit	VDEQ, Air Division	3019 Peters Creek Road Roanoke, VA 24019	
<i>Consultations:</i> Potential impacts to state- listed wildlife species	Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries (VDGIF)	P.O. Box 90778 Henrico, VA 23228	Consultations



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<i>Consultations:</i> Potential impacts to state-listed species and habitat	Virginia Department of Conservation and Recreation (VDCR)	600 E Main Street FL 24, Richmond, VA 23219	Consultations
<i>Required Permit:</i> Road bonds and crossing permits	Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT)	1401 E. Broad St. Richmond, VA 23219	
<b>North Carolina</b>			
<i>Consultations:</i> Section 106, National Historic Preservation Act	North Carolina State Historic Preservation Office Department of Natural and Cultural Resources	4617 Mail Service Center, Raleigh NC 27699-4617	Consultations
<i>Required Permit:</i> Permit for Isolated/non-404 Wetlands and Waters, 401 Water Quality Certification/Riparian Buffer	North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality (NCDEQ) o Division of Water Resources (DWR)	1611 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-1611	Pre-application meeting  Submittal of Application – November 2018
<i>Required Permit:</i> Minor New Source Air Permit	NCDEQ, o Division of Air Quality	1641 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-1641	
<i>Required Permit:</i> NPDES Construction Stormwater Discharge (including Erosion Control Plan)	NCDEQ o Division of Energy, Mineral and Land Resources	1612 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-1612	Pre-application meeting
<i>Consultations:</i> <i>State listed species</i>	NCDEQ, Natural Heritage Program		Consultations
<i>Consultations:</i> State listed wildlife species	North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission (NCWRC)	1701 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1700	Consultations



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<i>Required Permit:</i> Road bonds and crossing permits	North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT)	1501 Mail Service Center Raleigh, NC 27699-1501	