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| 1. | Address the "no action" alternative (Sec. 380.12(I)(1)). | Section 10.2 | | | |
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LIST OF ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

ACP Atlantic Coast Pipeline Bcf/d billion cubic feet per day Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity Certificate East Tennessee East Tennessee Natural Gas, LLC U.S. Energy Information Administration EIA FERC or Commission Federal Energy Regulatory Commission liquefied natural gas LNG MMcf/d million cubic feet per day million dekatherms per day MMDth/d Mountain Valley Mountain Valley Pipeline, LLC MW megawatt NWI National Wetland Inventory Piedmont Natural Gas Company Piedmont **PSNC Energy** PSNC Energy, a wholly owned subsidiary of SCANA Corporation MVP Southgate Project Project or Southgate Project Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Company, LLC Transco U.S. United States

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10.1 INTRODUCTION

Mountain Valley Pipeline, LLC ("Mountain Valley") is seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC" or "Commission") pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act to construct and operate the MVP Southgate Project ("Southgate Project" or "Project"). The Southgate Project facilities will be located in Pittsylvania County, Virginia and Rockingham and Alamance counties, North Carolina. See Resource Report 1 (General Project Description) for additional Project information.

10.1.1 Environmental Resource Report Organization

Resource Report 10 is prepared and organized according to the FERC Guidance Manual for Environmental Report Preparation (February 2017). This report describes the no action alternative (Section 10.2), other energy alternatives (Section 10.3), system alternatives (Section 10.4), route alternatives (Section 10.5), route variations (Section 10.6), aboveground facility alternatives (Section 10.7), and presents references (Section 10.8).

10.1.2 Purpose and Need

See Resource Report 1 (General Project Description) for additional information on the Project purpose and need.

10.2 NO ACTION ALTERNATIVE

The No Action Alternative for the Project would avoid the temporary and permanent environmental impacts associated with construction and operation of the Project. However, the No Action Alternative would not achieve the Project's purpose and need as stated in Resource Report 1 (General Project Description). Under the No Action Alternative, North Carolina and southern Virginia will not receive the significant benefits associated with the Project. In addition, the Project's anchor shipper, PSNC Energy, a wholly owned subsidiary of SCANA Corporation ("PSNC Energy") would experience a capacity shortfall as projected in its annual filing with the North Carolina Public Utilities Commission.

The Project would not be able to meet the specific transportation needs for natural gas as contracted by PSNC Energy if the Project is not constructed. On a broader scale, implementing the No Action Alternative would not support the goal of increasing consumer access to stable and reliable natural gas supplies in the southeastern U.S.

In recent years, the North American natural gas market has seen enormous growth in production and demand. The U.S. Energy Information Administration ("EIA") estimates that total natural gas consumption in the U.S will increase from 27.6 trillion cubic feet in 2017 to 35.6 trillion cubic feet in 2050, with a large portion of this increased demand occurring in the electric generation sector (EIA, 2018a). A sizable portion of growth in natural gas production is occurring in the Appalachian Basin, with Marcellus Shale production alone increasing from 10 billion cubic feet per day ("Bcf/d") in 2013 to approximately 20 Bcf/d in October 2017 (EIA, 2018b). The increased demand for natural gas is expected to be especially high in the southeastern U.S., and in particular, North Carolina, as its population continues to grow. The Project will

benefit North Carolina and southern Virginia by connecting the additional supply to the increased market demand. In doing so, the Project will bring clean-burning, domestically-produced natural gas supplies to support the growing demand for natural gas, provide increased supply diversity, and improve supply reliability.

If the purpose and need of the Project are to be met without construction of the Project facilities, other projects and activities would be needed resulting in their own environmental impacts. This would result in the transfer of environmental impacts from one project to another, but would not necessarily eliminate or reduce impacts. The No Action Alternative is not considered a viable option because it does not meet the objectives of the Project or its anchor shipper.

10.3 ENERGY ALTERNATIVES

Use of certain alternative fuels to supply the needs of the market served by the Project are not alternatives to the Project. As described below, renewable energy, energy conservation, alternative fossil fuels, nuclear, and fuel cells do not meet the Southgate Project purpose.

10.3.1 Renewable Energy Sources

Renewable energy sources, such as wind, solar, geothermal, and biomass are increasing in capacity and benefit the energy market by diversifying the fuels used to generate electricity. However, these sources are not interchangeable with natural gas. Renewable energy sources cannot meet the objectives of the Project or its anchor shipper to provide natural gas for typical local distribution uses (e.g., home heating, cooking and industrial uses). In addition, renewable energy does not meet the purpose of the Project to provide new natural gas transmission pipeline capacity that will increase competition and enhance the reliability and resiliency of the existing pipeline infrastructure in North Carolina and southern Virginia.

10.3.2 Energy Conservation

Energy conservation measures have an increasing role in reducing future energy demand in the U.S. The Energy Policy Act of 2005 provides guidelines to: (1) diversify America's energy supply and reduce dependence on foreign sources of energy; (2) increase residential and business' energy efficiency and conservation (e.g., Energy Star Program); (3) improve vehicular energy efficiency; and (4) modernize the domestic energy infrastructure.

Energy conservation reduces the demand or growth in demand for natural gas and other energy sources. It is possible that the development and implementation of additional cost-effective conservation measures could have some effect on the demand for natural gas. However, substantial new advances in technology would be needed before the magnitude of such energy conservation measures necessary to equal the amount of energy transported by the Project could be implemented. PSNC Energy already participates in energy conservation programs for its customers, as approved by the North Carolina Utilities Commission. Programs include discount rates and rebates on energy efficient equipment. Because PSNC Energy already participates in these programs, and the Southgate Project is designed to meet PSNC Energy's additional projected need, energy efficiency programs are not an alternative to the Project.

10.3.3 Alternative Fossil Fuels, Nuclear, and Fuel Cells

While other fossil fuels (e.g., coal and oil), nuclear power, and fuel cells can be viable alternatives to natural gas in generating electricity, these sources are not interchangeable with natural gas. These alternative

energy sources cannot meet the objectives of the Project or its anchor shipper to provide natural gas for typical local distribution uses (e.g., home heating, cooking and industrial uses). In addition, these alternative energy sources do not meet the purpose of the Project to provide new natural gas transmission pipeline capacity that will increase competition and enhance the reliability and resiliency of the existing pipeline infrastructure in North Carolina and southern Virginia.

10.4 SYSTEM ALTERNATIVES

System alternatives are alternatives to the proposed action that would make use of other existing, modified, or proposed pipeline systems to meet the purpose and need of the Project. If available as a viable alternative, a system alternative could make it unnecessary to construct all or part of the Project, although some modifications or additions to the alternative systems would be required to increase their capacity or provide receipt and delivery capability consistent with that of the Project. These modifications or additions would result in environmental impacts that may be less than, comparable to, or greater than those associated with construction of the Project. System alternatives that would result in significantly less environmental impact might be preferable to the Project. However, a viable system alternative must also be technically and economically feasible and practicable, and must satisfy necessary contractual commitments (including timing) made with shippers supporting the development of the Project. The systems evaluated as potential alternatives to the Project are discussed below.

10.4.1 Surface Transportation System Alternatives

A surface transportation system alternative would involve the liquefaction of natural gas at the receipt points along the pipeline and transportation of the liquefied natural gas ("LNG") volumes to the delivery points where regasification facilities would be installed. To liquefy and transport natural gas, the temperature and pressure design points are -260 degrees Fahrenheit and 4 pounds per square inch gauge. Converting the 300 million cubic feet per day ("MMcf/d") of natural gas volumes that the Project will deliver to PSNC in North Carolina to LNG would require a production and transportation of approximately 3.7 million gallons per day. Transportation of the LNG would involve trucking on local and interstate highways to a centralized delivery point and transporting to regasification facilities at the delivery points along the pipeline. Given a truck tanker capacity of 10,850 gallons, it would take approximately 345 trucks per day to transport this volume with a truck limiting load rate of approximately 300 gallons per minute. To transport the LNG volumes, a 24-hour per day, simultaneous loading operations of approximately nine trucks would be required. Any additional natural gas volume increase would result in an incremental increase in the number of trucks per day.

Truck transportation options are not as safe and reliable as pipelines, as discussed and demonstrated statistically in Resource Report 11 (Reliability and Safety). Installation of processing facilities to liquefy and subsequently re-gasify natural gas would require extensive permitting; require large tracts of land for a regasification facility, and result in associated air emissions from the liquefaction/regasification process and the truck or rail traffic. In addition, the development or improvement of the transportation network would be necessary to transport LNG gas would be required. Transporting LNG by rail is also not a viable option. Currently, there are no approved LNG rail tankers, and shipment of LNG in International Organization for Standardization containers by rail is very limited due to regulatory constraints. Therefore, new regulatory processes and approvals would be required before LNG rail shipments would be possible. Since the LNG by rail alternative would not be available to meet the timeframe required for energy demands by the market, use of this alternative is not a viable alternative to the Project. Therefore, transporting the

Project's natural gas volumes as LNG by trucks and rail/or is not considered a viable alternative to the Project pipeline facilities and was eliminated from further consideration.

10.4.2 Transco Pipeline System and Cardinal Pipeline

Transco Pipeline System

The Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Company, LLC ("Transco") system encompasses approximately 10,200 miles from South Texas to New York City with a system peak design capacity of approximately 15 million dekatherms per day ("MMDth/d"). The Project's pipeline would be located adjacent to or in close proximity to Transco's system for approximately 23.0 miles, between approximate MP 0.4 and MP 32.9, in Virginia and North Carolina.

On April 11, 2018 Transco's filed an application with FERC for its proposed Southeastern Trail Expansion Project (Docket No. CP18-186). According to Transco, its Southeastern Trail Expansion Project would provide 296.4 MMcf/ of natural gas per day of additional firm transportation to serve markets in the Mid-Atlantic and Southeastern states by November 2020. Transco states that the project would provide additional reliable service to utility and local distribution companies in the southeast including Virginia and North Carolina. Customers served by the Southeastern Trail Expansion Project include: PSNC Energy (60 MMcf/d), South Carolina Electric and Gas (215 MMcf/d), Virginia Natural Gas (14.6 MMcf/d), and the Cities of Buford (3.8 MMcf/d) and LaGrange (3 MMcf/d) in Georgia. The project would involve construction and operation of approximately 7.7 miles of new natural gas pipeline (Manassas Loop) located along the existing Transco Mainline in Fauquier and Prince William Counties, Virginia; expansion of three existing compressor stations in Virginia (Stations 185, 175, and 165), and modification of 21 existing facilities in South Carolina, Georgia, and Louisiana. The project also includes the retirement and abandonment of 10 compressor units and related buildings and ancillary equipment at Transco's existing Compressor Station 165 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. Transco's Compressor Station 165 is located approximately 3.0 miles west of the Project's proposed Lambert Compressor Station. No facilities associated with the Southeastern Trail Expansion Project are proposed in North Carolina.

Currently, Transco's pipeline system does not have the long-term firm capacity to serve the Project's anchor shipper (PSNC Energy) contracted amount. In addition, use of a Transco system alternative would require additional gas delivery infrastructure. To meet the needs of PSNC Energy, approximately 40 miles of new pipeline from the existing Transco system to the PSNC's Haw River Interconnect, as well as any necessary compressor station facilities and mainline pipeline upgrades, would need to be constructed. The Project provides a primary receipt and delivery forward haul transportation path that offers improved reliability as compared to the secondary-firm backhaul deliveries PSNC Energy currently receives from Transco. In addition, PSNC Energy considered other existing and proposed interstate pipeline providers, including Transco, to meet its needs. Finally, PSNC Energy committed to the firm transportation service of the Project to diversify its gas transportation supply. Therefore, the Project does not consider Transco's system to be a reasonable alternative to the Project.

Cardinal Pipeline System

The Cardinal Pipeline Company is a 105-mile, 24-inch intrastate pipeline that extends from Rockingham County, North Carolina to a point southeast of Raleigh, North Carolina, with a design capacity of 279,000 dekatherms per day. The Cardinal Pipeline System receives all its gas from Transco in North Carolina and redelivers this gas to Piedmont and PSNC Energy.

At its closest point, the Cardinal Pipeline System is approximately 2.0 miles west of MP 71.0 of the pipeline near Graham, North Carolina. To meet the objectives of the Southgate Project, this pipeline system would require additional gas delivery infrastructure in North Carolina and Virginia that would result in environmental impacts similar to those that would occur as proposed by the Project. In addition, PSNC Energy considered other existing and proposed interstate pipeline providers, including the Cardinal Pipeline System; however, PSNC Energy committed to firm transportation service associated with the Project and entered into binding long-term agreements that made PSNC Energy an anchor shipper for the Project. Therefore, the Southgate Project does not consider the Cardinal Pipeline System to be a reasonable alternative to the Project.

10.4.3 Atlantic Coast Pipeline Project

The Atlantic Coast Pipeline Project, which is currently under construction, is expected to be in service in late 2019. The project consists of approximately 600 miles of pipeline that originates in West Virginia, crosses Virginia, and then continues south into eastern North Carolina, ending in Robeson County. It also includes three new compressor stations. The Atlantic Coast Pipeline Project is designed to provide up to 1.5 MMDth/d of natural gas transportation service to consumers in Virginia and North Carolina including Dominion Energy, Duke Energy, Piedmont, Virginia Natural Gas, and PSNC Energy. This pipeline system is located approximately 100 miles east of the Southgate Project. To meet the objectives of the Southgate Project, and deliver additional volumes at the Dan River and Haw River interconnects, this pipeline system would require over 100 miles of new pipeline infrastructure in North Carolina and/or Virginia that would result in environmental impacts greater than those that would occur as a result of the Project. In addition, PSNC Energy considered other existing and proposed interstate pipeline providers, including Atlantic Coast Pipeline to meet its gas transportation demand. PSNC Energy committed to firm transportation service associated with the Project and entered into binding long-term agreements that made PSNC Energy an anchor shipper for the Project. Therefore, the Project does not consider the Atlantic Coast Pipeline to be a reasonable alternative to the Project.

10.4.4 East Tennessee Natural Gas System

The East Tennessee Natural Gas, LLC ("East Tennessee") pipeline system consists of approximately 1,536 miles of pipeline in the Southeast and Mid-Atlantic. The system begins in Tennessee and extends to an area just south of Roanoke, Virginia. A segment of the system extends into southwest Virginia and northern North Carolina through a 95-mile natural gas pipeline that interconnects with the Transco system near Eden, North Carolina. East Tennessee interconnects with Texas Eastern Transmission, Tennessee Gas Pipeline, Columbia Gulf, Southern Natural Gas and Midwestern Gas Transmission. The East Tennessee system currently provides direct access to natural gas producers in the Appalachian region through multiple pipeline interconnections on its mainline.

While East Tennessee interconnects with the Southgate Project at the LN 3600 Interconnect (approximately 1.1 miles west of MP 27.4) it cannot be considered a viable system alternative as it would need to build similar facilities as proposed by the Project to meet the Project objectives. Significant modifications to the East Tennessee system (and the existing pipelines interconnected to East Tennessee), including the construction of new pipeline facilities, would be needed to provide the necessary design pressure and capacity to serve the Project's anchor shipper (PSNC Energy). Therefore, the Project does not consider this pipeline system to be a reasonable alternative to the Project.

10.4.5 Piedmont Natural Gas

Piedmont Natural Gas is a local distribution company operating in North Carolina. The anchor shipper for the Project (PSNC Energy) is also a local distribution company operating in North Carolina. Transporting gas volumes from one local distribution company to another does not meet the purpose and need for the Project. Local distribution systems are designed to meet the needs of their customers, not the needs of other distribution systems. It would also not provide the incremental volumes that PSNC Energy needs to meet growing system demand, as discussed in the purpose and need section in Resource Report 1. Further, Piedmont's system could not satisfy any of the other reasons cited by PSNC Energy for becoming a Project shipper, including transportation cost, supply cost, supply diversity, reliability/resiliency, and operational efficiencies. Therefore, Piedmont's system is not a viable alternative for the Project.

10.4.6 PSNC Distribution System

The anchor shipper for the Project (PSNC Energy) is a local distribution company operating in three noncontiguous regions in North Carolina. As discussed in the purpose and need section in Resource Report 1, PSNC Energy solicited interest from existing and proposed interstate pipelines, and ultimately signed a long-term agreement with Mountain Valley for the Project, because it needs incremental volumes to meet growing system demand. PSNC Energy's existing pipelines are not a viable system alterative because they would not provide the incremental volumes PSNC Energy needs for its customers. In addition, as it is currently designed, during high demand times (i.e., peak winter demand scenarios) PSNC Energy's distribution system does not have the ability to serve all of its current customers through the Dan River Interconnect only. Due to current pipeline size and existing horsepower limitations, PSNC Energy requires supply of natural gas from both the Dan River Interconnect as well as the Haw River Interconnect to reliably serve its customers. Further, PSNC Energy's existing system could not satisfy any of the other reasons for becoming a Project shipper, including transportation cost, supply cost, supply diversity, reliability/resiliency, and operational efficiencies. Therefore, PSNC Energy's own distribution system is not a viable alternative for the Project.

10.5 ROUTE ALTERNATIVES

10.5.1 Pipeline Routing

During the route development of the Southgate Project an extensive desktop and field review of potential pipeline routes to identify viable pipeline corridors was conducted; and then further refined the review to determine the most feasible route within the most favorable corridor. One of the Project's primary objectives with respect to pipeline routing was to avoid or minimize, to the extent possible, crossings of major population centers and significant environmental resources. The Project also attempted to route its pipeline adjacent to existing rights-of-way, where feasible. The Project used field reconnaissance, aerial photography, topographic maps from the U.S. Geological Survey, and National Wetland Inventory maps during the route identification and evaluation processes.

The Southgate Project includes the installation of approximately 73 miles of natural gas pipeline and appurtenant facilities (e.g., compressor station, meter stations, valve settings and launcher/ receiver equipment) within a new permanent right-of-way. As discussed further below, the Project has evaluated major and minor route alternatives to maximize constructability, minimize impacts to sensitive resources and avoid encroachments. Mountain Valley is committed to further refinement of the pipeline alignment,

as necessary, to ensure minimization of Project-related impacts on affected landowners and the environment.

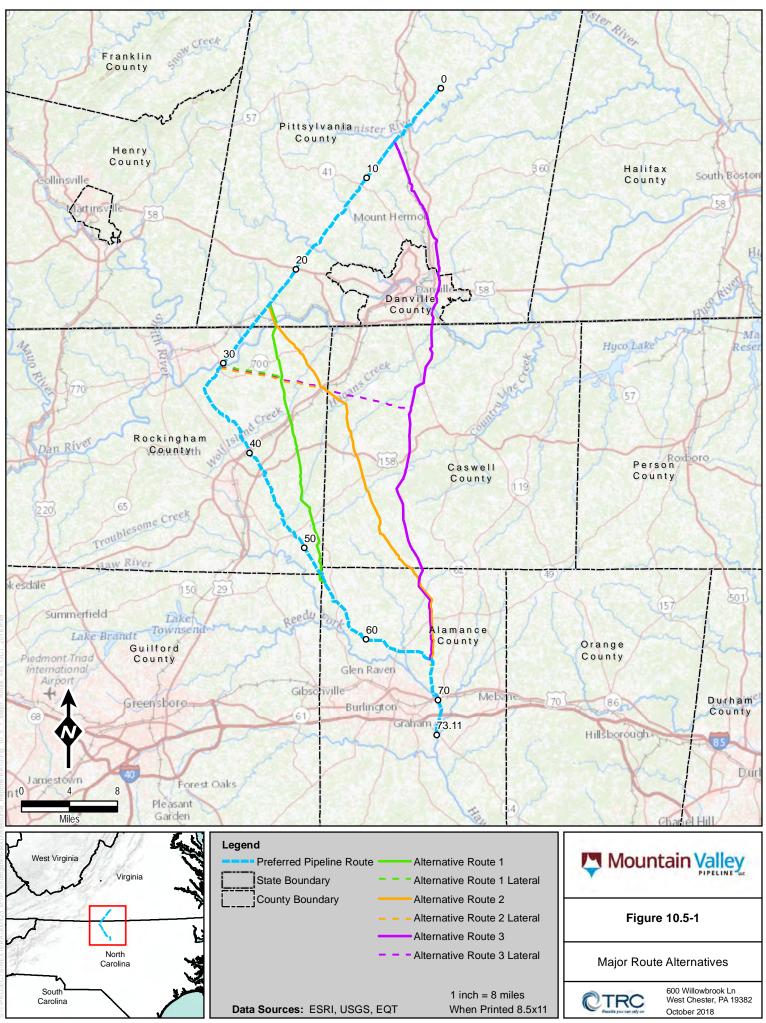
10.5.2 Major Pipeline Route Alternatives

Mountain Valley evaluated major pipeline route alternatives as part of the planning and design process for the Project, and based the evaluation on environmental and land use impacts, as well as permanent easement acquisitions and overall Project costs. The primary objective in performing this analysis is to develop the most direct route that could connect customers to the available supply system while avoiding or minimizing potential adverse environmental impacts and engineering constraints to the greatest extent practicable. The Project evaluated pipeline routing options based on potential adverse environmental impacts, existing land usage, constructability, safety, and feasibility considerations.

The selection of the major route alternatives involves several steps.

- Development of routing criteria;
- Identification of potential routing alternatives;
- Collection of data relative to each alternative;
- Evaluation of potential environmental and land use impacts;
- Evaluation of routing alternatives against routing criteria; and
- Determination of the most cost-effective technical solution

This section describes and evaluates the major route alternatives identified during the initial planning stage of the Project. The major route alternatives are shown on Figure 10.5-1 and summarized in Tables 10.5-1 through 10.5-3 below.



10.5.2.1 Route Alternative 1

The Project evaluated Route Alternative 1 between MP 23.7 and MP 53.6 (see Figure 10.5-1). This alternative begins in Pittsylvania County, Virginia at MP 23.7 and extends in a southeasterly direction for approximately 1.9 miles to the North Carolina border. Within this segment, this alternative crosses Berry Hill Road/U.S. Highway 311, a railroad track, the Dan River, South River Road, and mixed forested and agricultural/open land. At the North Carolina border in Rockingham County, Route Alternative 1 continues in a south-southeasterly direction for approximately 21.7 miles. It crosses mixed forested and agricultural/open land; Berry Hill Ridge, Gravel Hill, and Dix roads; State Highway 700; Guerrant Springs Road; Worsham Mill Road; Quaqua Hill and Estes roads; U.S. Highway 29-BR, a railroad track, Benton Road, and U.S. Highway 29; and three existing utility easements. From this point, Route Alternative 1 continues in a south-southeasterly direction crossing U.S. Highway 58, Grooms Road, Tate Road, Rockingham Lake Road, and the Colonel Heritage Byway/State Route 150. Within this section, this alternative would be approximately 0.05 mile east of Williamsburg Wildlife Lake. From Colonel Heritage Byway/State Route 150, Route Alternative 1 continues to cross mixed forested and agricultural/open land; and County Line Creek; Trails End Road; State Route 87; Zeb, Kernodle, and Parkdale roads. Route Alternative 1 then extends south into Guilford County for approximately 0.6 mile and southeast into Alamance County for approximately 0.5 mile to rejoin the preferred route at MP 53.6. Route Alternative 1 includes an approximate 5.4-mile long lateral from the alternative route south of Guerrant Springs Road to an interconnect with PSNC Energy, east of Eden, North Carolina.

As shown in Table 10.5-1, the primary advantages of Route Alternative 1 are:

- crosses fewer miles of environmental justice communities;
- crosses fewer waterbodies and wetlands; and
- crosses slightly fewer areas with potential for shallow depth to bedrock.

The primary disadvantages of Route Alternative 1 are:

- greater length and associated land disturbance;
- collocates with existing rights-of-way for approximately 10.1 fewer miles;
- crosses more parcels and affects more residences within 50 feet of workspace; and
- affects significantly more forest land.

The presence of existing infrastructure must be considered when evaluating route alternatives and comparing relevant impacts, including environmental justice. When collocated with existing infrastructure or utility corridors, the incremental impacts of an additional pipeline are significantly less compared to routing through a greenfield area. Collocation minimizes potential impacts on the general population and environmental justice communities alike. Mountain Valley developed the Southgate Project preferred route to collocate to the maximum extent practicable and avoid unnecessary greenfield impacts. Overall, the preferred route is collocated for 6.9 miles of the 21.6 miles within environmental justice communities, resulting in significantly fewer greenfield impacts, including greenfield impacts on environmental justice communities, the Southgate Project preferred route would not cause significant impacts or disproportionate impacts on environmental justice communities and is advantageous to the alternative route. Because the primary disadvantages outweigh the primary advantages, the Project eliminated this alternative from further consideration as its preferred pipeline route.



| Table 10.5-1 | | | | |
|--|--|---------------------------------------|------------|--|
| Comparison of the Pref Feature | erred Route and Rou Preferred Route | ute Alternative 1 Route Alternative 1 | Difference | |
| General | Treferred Route | Notice Alternative 1 | Difference | |
| Total length (miles) <u>a</u> / | 29.8 | 30.1 | +0.3 | |
| Length adjacent to existing ROW (miles) | 14.7 | 4.6 | -10.1 | |
| Land affected during construction (acres) $\underline{a}/$ | 361.7 | 364.7 | +3.0 | |
| Land affected during operation (acres) <u>a</u> / | 180.9 | 182.4 | +1.5 | |
| Land Use | | - | | |
| Populated areas within 1/2 mile (number) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| National Forest System lands crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| National Forest Wilderness crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| State lands crossed (forests, parks, wildlife management areas) (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Scenic Trail crossings (number) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Designated Natural and Scenic Rivers, Nationwide Rivers Inventory, significant fisheries, ponds/lakes (number) | 1 | 0 | -1 | |
| NRHP designated or eligible historic districts crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Landowner parcels crossed (number) | 148 | 154 | +6 | |
| Residences within 50 feet of construction work space (number) | 5 | 11 | +6 | |
| Environmental Justice Areas (miles) | 21.6 | 10.1 | -11.5 | |
| Resources | | · | | |
| Agricultural land crossed (miles) c/ | 8.2 | 9.2 | +1.0 | |
| Open land crossed (miles) | 14.8 | 13.2 | -1.6 | |
| Developed land crossed (miles) | 0.3 | 0.2 | -0.1 | |
| Forested land crossed (miles) | 14.5 | 16.3 | +1.8 | |
| Forested land affected during construction (acres) | 175 | 198.6 | +23.6 | |
| Forested land affected during operation (acres) | 87.8 | 99.2 | +11.4 | |
| Total Wetlands (NWI) crossed (feet) | 1240 | 726 | -514 | |
| PEM NWI wetlands affected by construction (acres) <u>b</u> / | 0.2 | 0 | -0.2 | |
| PEM NWI wetlands affected by operation (acres) a/ | 0.1 | 0 | -0.1 | |
| PSS NWI wetlands affected by construction (acres) $\underline{b}/$ | 0.7 | 0.6 | -0.1 | |
| PSS NWI wetlands affected by operation (acres) a/ | 0.5 | 0.4 | -0.1 | |
| PFO NWI wetlands crossed (feet) | 755 | 391 | -364 | |
| PFO NWI wetlands affected by construction (acres) b/ | 1.3 | 0.8 | -0.5 | |
| PFO NWI wetlands affected by operation (acres) <u>a/</u> | 0.9 | 0.5 | -0.4 | |
| Perennial waterbody crossings (number) | 16 | 14 | -2 | |
| Crossings of major waterbodies (>100 feet) (number) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

| | Table 10.5-1 | | | | |
|--|---|---|------------|--|--|
| Comparison of the Preferred Route and Route Alternative 1 | | | | | |
| Feature | Preferred Route | Route Alternative 1 | Difference | | |
| Presence of critical habitat or federally endangered or threatened species (Yes/No). Number of species. | No/0 | No/0 | 0 | | |
| Shallow bedrock crossed (miles) | 4.0 | 3.8 | -0.2 | | |
| Karst area crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| <u>a</u>/ Assuming 100-foot-wide construction ROW and 50 Alternative 1 to an interconnect with PSNC Energy <u>b</u>/ Assuming 75-foot-wide construction ROW. <u>c</u>/ Includes pasture/hay and cultivated crops. Populated Areas = census designated places, consolid: ROW = right-of-way. NWI = National Wetland Inventory PEM = Palustrine Emergent Wetland; PSS = Palustrine Sc <u>Information Sources:</u> GIS – Analysis based on Geodatabase layers and shap NC Parcel Boundaries and Standard Fields - http://data VA Parcel Boundaries and Standard Fields - https://www.arcgis.com/home/item.html?id=f1dccaf1f42 NLCD – 2006 National Land Cover Data - http://www.fws.go USGS – U.S. Geological Survey - http://www.fws.go USGS – U.S. Geological Survey - http://nhd.usgs. USDA - https://data.fs.usda.gov/geodata/edw/datasets. NRHP - National Register of Historic Places - https://ww | ; east of Eden, North C ated cites, and incorpo /. NRHP = National Re rub-Shrub Wetland; PFC pefiles. a.nconemap.gov/geopo 2e40cbba791feae2e23 pa.gov/mrlc/nlcd-2006. / /wwetlands/ / .gov/ php | Carolina. gister of Historic Places. D = Palustrine Forested Wetl ortal/catalog/search/resourc 690 .html | and. | | |

10.5.2.2 Route Alternative 2

The Project evaluated Route Alternative 2 between MP 23.7 and MP 66.1 (see Figure 10.5-1). This alternative begins in Pittsylvania County, Virginia at MP 23.7 and extends in a southeasterly direction for approximately 2.0 miles to the North Carolina border. Within this segment, this alternative crosses Berry Hill Road/U.S. Highway 311, a railroad track, the Dan River, South River Road, and mixed forested and agricultural/open land. At the North Carolina border, Route Alternative 2 continues in a south-southeasterly direction for approximately 7.0 miles within Rockingham County. It crosses mixed forested and agricultural/open land; Gravel Hill Road, Goose Pond Road, State Highway 700, an unnamed road, Service Road, U.S. Highway 29, a railroad track, and Old Highway 29. It then traverses Caswell County for approximately 17.3 miles and crosses mixed forested and agricultural/open land. It crosses several roadways including Anderson and Chapman roads, Hogans Creek, Park Springs Road, Allison Grove Road, and U.S. Highway 158. From this point, it continues in a south-southeasterly direction and crosses Bethesda Church Road twice, Holster Branch, Colonel Heritage Byway/State Route 150, Cherry Grove Road, Stadler Road, Milesville Road, Kerrs Chapel Road, and Old Stoney Mountain Road. Route Alternative 2 then continues in Alamance County for approximately 8.7 miles and rejoins the at MP 66.1. Within this section, this alternative crosses Toms Creek, Union Ridge Road, Jefferies Cross Road, State Route 63, and mixed forested and agricultural/open land. It continues in a southerly direction and crosses McCray Road, Deep Creek Church Road, North Fonville Road, Sandy Cross Road, and rejoins the preferred route at MP 66.1. Route Alternative 2 includes an approximate 8.8-mile long lateral from the alternative route north of U.S. Route 29 to an interconnect with PSNC Energy, east of Eden, North Carolina.

As shown in Table 10.5-2, the primary advantages of Route Alternative 2 are:

- crosses fewer miles of environmental justice communities;
- crosses fewer parcels;
- affects less open and developed land;
- affects fewer designated waterbodies; and
- crosses one less major waterbody.

The primary disadvantages of Route Alternative 2 are:

- greater length and land disturbance;
- collocates with existing rights-of-way for approximately 5.4 fewer miles;
- affects more residences within 50 feet of workspace;
- affects significantly more forested land;
- crosses significantly more wetlands including 3.5 acres of forested wetlands; and
- crosses more shallow bedrock areas.

As described in Section 10.5.2.1 above, the presence of existing infrastructure must be considered when evaluating route alternatives and comparing relevant impacts, including environmental justice. Overall, the preferred route is collocated for 6.9 miles of the 21.6 miles within environmental justice communities, resulting in significantly fewer greenfield impacts, including greenfield impacts on environmental justice communities. Considering all relevant impacts, the Southgate Project preferred route would not cause significant impacts or disproportionate impacts on environmental justice communities and is advantageous to the alternative route. Because the primary disadvantages outweigh the primary advantages, the Project eliminated this alternative from further consideration as its preferred pipeline route.

| Table 10.5-2 | | | | | |
|---|-----------------|---------------------|------------|--|--|
| Comparison of the Preferred Route and Route Alternative 2 | | | | | |
| Feature | Preferred Route | Route Alternative 2 | Difference | | |
| General | • | | | | |
| Total length (miles) <u>a</u> / | 42.3 | 43.4 | +1.2 | | |
| Length adjacent to existing ROW (miles) | 20.0 | 14.6 | -5.4 | | |
| Land affected during construction (acres) a/ | 513.3 | 525.5 | +12.2 | | |
| Land affected during operation (acres) a/ | 256.6 | 262.7 | +6.1 | | |
| Land Use | · | | | | |
| Populated areas within 1/2 mile (number) | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| National Forest System lands crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| National Forest Wilderness crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| State lands crossed (forests, parks, wildlife management areas) (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Scenic Trail crossings (number) | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Designated Natural and Scenic Rivers, Nationwide Rivers Inventory, significant fisheries, ponds/lakes (number) | 2 | 0 | -2 | | |
| NRHP designated or eligible historic districts crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |

| Comparison of the Preferred Route and Route Alternative 2 | | | | |
|---|-----------------|---------------------|------------|--|
| Feature | Preferred Route | Route Alternative 2 | Difference | |
| Landowner parcels crossed (number) | 220 | 191 | -29 | |
| Residences within 50 feet of construction work space (number) | 7 | 11 | +4 | |
| Environmental Justice Areas (miles) | 21.6 | 3.7 | -17.9 | |
| Resources | | · · · · | | |
| Agricultural land crossed (miles) <u>c</u> / | 14.2 | 13.3 | -0.9 | |
| Open land crossed (miles) | 21.7 | 21.5 | -0.2 | |
| Developed land crossed (miles) | 0.6 | 0.4 | -0.2 | |
| Forested land crossed (miles) | 19.6 | 21.1 | +1.5 | |
| Forested land affected during construction (acres) | 237.4 | 256.1 | +18.7 | |
| Forested land affected during operation (acres) | 118.9 | 128 | +9.1 | |
| Total Wetlands (NWI) crossed (feet) | 1,972 | 3,047 | +1,075 | |
| PEM NWI wetlands affected by construction (acres) b/ | 0.8 | 0 | -0.8 | |
| PEM NWI wetlands affected by operation (acres) a/ | 0.6 | 0 | -0.6 | |
| PSS NWI wetlands affected by construction (acres) b/ | 0.7 | 0.5 | -0.2 | |
| PSS NWI wetlands affected by operation (acres) a/ | 0.5 | 0.4 | -0.1 | |
| PFO NWI wetlands crossed (feet) | 790 | 2,763 | +1,973 | |
| PFO NWI wetlands affected by construction (acres) b/ | 1.4 | 4.9 | +3.5 | |
| PFO NWI wetlands affected by operation (acres) <u>a</u> / | 0.9 | 3.3 | +2.4 | |
| Perennial waterbody crossings (number) | 18 | 19 | +1 | |
| Crossings of major waterbodies (>100 feet) (number) | 1 | 0 | -1 | |
| Presence of critical habitat or federally endangered or threatened species (Yes/No). Number of species. | No / 0 | No / 0 | 0 | |
| Shallow bedrock crossed (miles) | 4.0 | 4.3 | +0.3 | |
| Karst area crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

a/ Assuming 100-foot-wide construction ROW and 50-foot-wide permanent ROW. Includes an 8.8-mile long lateral from Alternative 2 to an interconnect with PSNC Energy, east of Eden, North Carolina.

b/ Assuming 75-foot-wide construction ROW.

c/ Includes pasture/hay and cultivated crops.

Populated Areas = census designated places, consolidated cites, and incorporated places.

ROW = right-of-way. NWI = National Wetland Inventory. NRHP = National Register of Historic Places.

PEM = Palustrine Emergent Wetland; PSS = Palustrine Scrub-Shrub Wetland; PFO = Palustrine Forested Wetland.

Information Sources:

GIS – Analysis based on Geodatabase layers and shapefiles.

NC Parcel Boundaries and Standard Fields - http://data.nconemap.gov/geoportal/catalog/search/resource/details.page

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NWI – National Wetlands Inventory - http://www.fws.gov/wetlands/

USGS – U.S. Geological Survey - http://www.usgs.gov/

NHD - National Hydrography Dataset - http://nhd.usgs.gov/

USDA - https://data.fs.usda.gov/geodata/edw/datasets.php

NRHP - National Register of Historic Places - https://www.nps.gov/nr/research/data_downloads.htm

ESRI - GIS Mapping - http://www.esri.com/

10.5.2.3 Route Alternative 3

The Project evaluated Route Alternative 3 between MP 6.1 and MP 66.1 (see Figure 10.5-1). This alternative begins in Pittsylvania County, Virginia at MP 6.1 and extends in a southerly direction for approximately 16.7 miles to the North Carolina border where it crosses mixed forested and agricultural/open land. Within this segment, this alternative primarily parallels an existing Duke Energy electric transmission easement and crosses White Oak Creek, Dry Fork Road, Hither Land and Court, R and L Smith Road, and Mountain View Road. Near Mountain View Road, this alternative deviates from the electric transmission easement to the west to minimize loss of vegetative buffer between the easement and nearby residences. Approximately 0.2 mile south of this location, this alternative deviates to the west to avoid utility congestion in the neighborhoods along Springlake Place, Springdale Drive, and Deerwood Drive. From this point, Route Alternative 3 continues in a southerly direction and crosses County Road 946, East Witt Road, Railroad Lane, and U.S. Highway 29-BR. Between Railroad Lane and U.S. Highway 29-BR, this alternative makes another deviation from the electric transmission easement to the west to avoid multiple utility easements on a residential property. From this point, this alternative crosses Landrum Road, U.S. Highway 29, Twin Arch Drive, and Old Richmond Road/State Route 30.

Route Alternative 3 then crosses the Danville City limits including residential, commercial, and industrial areas; several roadways, and mixed forested and agricultural/open land. Once south of Danville, this alternative enters Caswell County, North Carolina for approximately 21.9 miles where it crosses mixed forested and agricultural/open land. It crosses Walter's Mill Road twice, Hogan's Creek, an unnamed road, Moon Creek Lane, and Old State Highway 86-North. It continues in a south-southwesterly direction and crosses State Route 86, Foster Road, East Prong Moon Creek, Hodges Dairy Road, and Colonel Heritage Byway/State Route 150. Route Alternative 3 would be approximately 0.2 mile west of the Caswell Airpark. It crosses County Road, County Line Creek, Cherry Gove Road, Senior Alfred Road, Byrd's Sawmill Road, Kerr's Chapel Road, and two Duke Energy electric transmission easements. Route Alternative 3 then continues in Alamance County for approximately 8.7 miles and rejoins the at MP 66.1. Within this section, this alternative crosses Roscoe Road, Toms Creek, Union Ridge Road, Jefferies Cross Road, State Route 63, and mixed forested and agricultural/open land. It continues in a southerly direction and crosses McCray Road, Deep Creek Church Road, North Fonville Road, Sandy Cross Road, and rejoins the preferred route at MP 66.1. Route Alternative 3 includes an approximate 16.6-mile long lateral from the alternative route, approximately 2.3 miles south of Foster Road, to an interconnect with PSNC Energy, east of Eden, North Carolina.

As shown in Table 10.5-3, the primary advantage of Route Alternative 3 is:

- crosses fewer miles of environmental justice communities;
- affects fewer designated waterbodies;
- crosses fewer mile of agricultural land and one less major waterbody; and
- crosses fewer miles of potential karst.

The primary disadvantages of Route Alternative 3 are:

- greater length and land disturbance;
- collocates with existing rights-of-way for approximately 1.5 fewer miles;
- crosses more parcels and affects more residences within 50 feet of workspace;
- affects significantly more forested land;

- crosses more wetlands including forested wetlands; and waterbodies;
- crosses one more major waterbody; and
- crosses more shallow bedrock areas.

As described in Section 10.5.2.1 above, the presence of existing infrastructure must be considered when evaluating route alternatives and comparing relevant impacts, including environmental justice. Overall, the preferred route is collocated for 6.9 miles of the 21.6 miles within environmental justice communities while Route Alternative 3 is collocated for 7.8 miles of the 19.1 miles within environmental justice communities, resulting in fewer greenfield impacts, including greenfield impacts on environmental justice communities. Considering all relevant impacts, the Southgate Project preferred route would not cause significant impacts or disproportionate impacts on environmental justice communities and is advantageous to the alternative route. Because the primary disadvantages outweigh the primary advantages, the Project eliminated this alternative from further consideration as its preferred pipeline route.

| Table 10.5-3 | | | | |
|--|--------------------|---------------------|------------|--|
| Comparison of the Preferr | ed Route and Route | Alternative 3 | | |
| Feature | Preferred Route | Route Alternative 3 | Difference | |
| General | | | | |
| Total length (miles) <u>a</u> / | 60.0 | 63.4 | +3.4 | |
| Length adjacent to existing ROW (miles) | 26.9 | 25.4 | -1.5 | |
| Land affected during construction (acres) a/ | 726.7 | 769.0 | +42.3 | |
| Land affected during operation (acres) a/ | 363.4 | 384.5 | +21.1 | |
| Land Use | | | | |
| Populated areas within ½ mile (number) | 0 | 1 | +1 | |
| National Forest System lands crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| National Forest Wilderness crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| State lands crossed (forests, parks, wildlife management areas) (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Scenic Trail crossings (number) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Designated Natural and Scenic Rivers, Nationwide Rivers Inventory, significant fisheries, ponds/lakes (number) | 2 | 0 | -2 | |
| NRHP designated or eligible historic districts crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Landowner parcels crossed (number) | 309 | 369 | +60 | |
| Residences within 50 feet of construction work space (number) | 13 | 23 | +10 | |
| Environmental Justice Areas (miles) | 21.6 | 19.1 | -2.5 | |
| Resources | | | | |
| Agricultural land crossed (miles) <u>c</u> / | 0.5 | 0.4 | -0.1 | |
| Open land crossed (miles) | 31.9 | 27.3 | -4.6 | |
| Developed land crossed (miles) | 0.6 | 1 | +0.4 | |
| Forested land crossed (miles) | 26.9 | 34.7 | +7.8 | |
| Forested land affected during construction (acres) | 324.6 | 422.1 | +97.5 | |
| Forested land affected during operation (acres) | 162.8 | 210.6 | +47.8 | |
| Total Wetlands (NWI) crossed (feet) | 2,196 | 3,159 | +963 | |



| Table 10.5 | 5-3 |
|------------|-----|
|------------|-----|

| Feature | Preferred Route | Route Alternative 3 | Difference |
|---|---|---------------------|------------------|
| PEM NWI wetlands affected by construction (acres) <u>b</u> / | 1.1 | 0.6 | -0.5 |
| PEM NWI wetlands affected by operation (acres) <u>a</u> / | 0.8 | 0.4 | -0.4 |
| PSS NWI wetlands affected by construction (acres) <u>b</u> / | 0.7 | 2.1 | +1.4 |
| Total PSS NWI wetlands affected by operation (acres) <u>a</u> / | 0.5 | 1.2 | +0.7 |
| PFO NWI wetlands crossed (feet) | 790 | 1,614 | +824 |
| PFO NWI wetlands affected by construction (acres) <u>b</u> / | 1.4 | 2.8 | +1.4 |
| PFO NWI wetlands affected by operation (acres) <u>a</u> / | 0.9 | 1.9 | +1.0 |
| Perennial waterbody crossings (number) | 28 | 31 | +3 |
| Crossings of major waterbodies (>100 feet) (number) | 1 | 0 | -1 |
| Presence of critical habitat or federally endangered or threatened species (Yes/No). Number of species. | No / 0 | No / 0 | 0 |
| Shallow bedrock crossed (miles) | 4.8 | 10.4 | +5.6 |
| Karst area crossed (miles) | 2.0 | 0.6 | -1.4 |
| Assuming 100-foot-wide construction ROW and 50-for Alternative 3 to an interconnect with PSNC Energy, each Assuming 75-foot-wide construction ROW. Includes pasture/hay and cultivated crops. Populated Areas = census designated places, consolidated ci ROW = right-of-way. NWI = National Wetland Inventory. NRH | ast of Eden, North Car tes, and incorporated p | olina. Iaces. | ong lateral from |

NC Parcel Boundaries and Standard Fields - http://data.nconemap.gov/geoportal/catalog/search/resource/details.page VA Parcel Boundaries and Standard Fields -

https://www.arcgis.com/home/item.html?id=f1dccaf1f42e40cbba791feae2e23690

NLCD - 2006 National Land Cover Data - http://www.epa.gov/mrlc/nlcd-2006.html

NWI - National Wetlands Inventory - http://www.fws.gov/wetlands/

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NHD – National Hydrography Dataset - http://nhd.usgs.gov/

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NRHP - National Register of Historic Places - https://www.nps.gov/nr/research/data_downloads.htm

ESRI - GIS Mapping - http://www.esri.com/

10.5.3 FERC Requested Route Alternatives

The FERC requested that Mountain Valley evaluate six route alternatives to avoid or reduce impacts along its preferred pipeline route. The desktop analysis included: length of pipeline; acreage of permanent and temporary rights-of-way; number of parcels crossed; number of residences within 25 and 50 feet of the edge of the construction right-of-way; number of waterbodies and wetlands crossed, and the length of each crossing; acres of agricultural and forested land affected; and the miles of right-of-way that would be parallel or adjacent to existing rights-of-way. The desktop analyses of these alternatives are presented below.

FERC Alternative 1 (MP 63.9 to MP 72.9)

The Project evaluated FERC Alternative 1 between MP 63.9 and MP 72.9 (see Figure 10.5-2, Appendix 10-A). At MP 63.9, FERC Alternative 1 extends in a southerly direction for approximately 4.69 miles to MP 68.6 of the preferred route. Within this section, the alternative crosses agricultural and forested land, Deep Creek Church Road, Sandy Cross Road, and Meeting Ground Road. It then collocates with the existing Cardinal Pipeline Company, LLC ("Cardinal Pipeline") on the east side of the Haw River for approximately 0.1 mile and crosses agricultural land and the Haw River. At this point, the alternative remains on the west side of the Haw River and turns in a more southerly direction continuing to be collocated with the existing Cardinal Pipeline for approximately 3.4 miles. Within this segment, the alternative crosses mixed forested and agricultural land, West Main Street, parallels the eastern boundary of the Challenge Golf Club for approximately 1.3 miles, and crosses Interstate 40/85. FERC Alternative 1 turns west, south, and southeast and crosses forested and agricultural land, State Highway 54/E. Harden Street, Cooper Road, and the Haw River to rejoin the preferred route at MP 72.9.

As shown in Table 10.5-4, the primary advantages of FERC Alternative 1 are:

- less length and land disturbance;
- crosses fewer parcels and affects fewer residences within 50 feet of workspace;
- collocates with existing rights-of-way for approximately 5.7 more miles; and
- affects fewer acres of forested agricultural land.

The primary disadvantages of FERC Alternative 1 are:

- crosses more waterbodies and eight more wetlands; and
- affects significantly more acres of wetlands.

Constructability concerns of FERC Alternative 1 are:

- two crossings of the Haw River;
- limited area for workspace layout at the Haw River crossings and along the alternative route due to an existing golf course, existing utility infrastructure and residential areas;
- new temporary access road to the alternative route.

Because the primary disadvantages, coupled with the constructability concerns, outweigh the primary advantages, the Project eliminated this alternative from further consideration as its preferred pipeline route.

| | Table 10.5-4 | | |
|--|-----------------|--------------------|------------|
| Comparison of the Preferred Route and FERC Alternative 1 | | | |
| Feature | Preferred Route | FERC Alternative 1 | Difference |
| Total length (miles) | 9.1 | 8.7 | -0.4 |
| Construction right-of-way (acres) a/ | 110.1 | 105.6 | -4.5 |
| Permanent right-of-way (acres) a/ | 55.0 | 52.8 | -2.2 |
| Total number of parcels crossed | 103 | 58 | -45 |
| Number of residences within 25 and 50 feet of the edge of the construction ROW (and associated additional temporary workspace) | 1/3 | 1/1 | 0 / -2 |



| Table 10.5-4 | | | |
|--|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Comparison of the Preferred Route and FERC Alternative 1 | | | |
| Feature | Preferred Route | FERC Alternative 1 | Difference |
| Number of waterbodies crossed | 18 | 23 | +5 |
| Number of NWI wetlands crossed | 1 | 9 | +8 |
| Total NWI wetland crossing length (feet) | 25 | 3,990 | +3,965 |
| NWI wetlands within construction ROW (acres) b/ | 0.2 | 6.8 | +6.6 |
| Agricultural land within construction ROW (acres) c/ | 29.2 | 20.5 | -8.7 |
| Forested land within construction ROW (acres) | 57.7 | 55.1 | -2.6 |
| Length parallel or adjacent to existing ROW (miles) | 0.25 | 5.95 | +5.7 |
| <u>a</u>/ Assuming 100-foot-wide construction ROW and 5 <u>b</u>/ Assuming 75-foot-wide construction ROW. c/ Includes pasture/hay and cultivated crops. ROW = right-of-way. NWI = National Wetland Inventor | · | ROW. | |
| Information Sources: GIS – Analysis based on Geodatabase layers and sha NC Parcel Boundaries and Standard Fields - <u>http://dat</u> NLCD – 2006 National Land Cover Data - http://www.d | a.nconemap.gov/geopo | | ce/details.page |
| NWI – National Wetlands Inventory - <u>http://www.fws.g</u> USGS – U.S. Geological Survey - <u>http://www.usgs.gov</u> NHD – National Hydrography Dataset - <u>http://nhd.usg</u> ESRI - GIS Mapping - <u>http://www.esri.com/</u> | ov/wetlands/ v/ | | |

FERC Alternative 2 (MP 69.1 to MP 73.0)

The Project evaluated FERC Alternative 2 between MP 69.1 and MP 73.0 (see Figure 10.5-3, Appendix 10-A). This portion of FERC Alternative 2 is the same as FERC Alternative 1 from MP 69.1 and MP 72.5 described above. At MP 68.6, FERC Alternative 2 turns southwest for approximately 0.1 mile and crosses agricultural land and the Haw River. It then turns in a more southerly direction and is collocated with the existing Cardinal Pipeline for approximately 3.4 miles and crosses mixed forested and agricultural land, West Main Street, parallels the eastern boundary of the Challenge Golf Club for approximately 1.3 miles, and crosses Interstate 40/85. FERC Alternative 2 then turns west, southwest, south, and southeast and crosses forested and agricultural land, State Highway 54/E. Harden Street, Cooper Road, and the Haw River to rejoin the preferred route at MP 73.0.

As shown in Table 10.5-5, the primary advantages of FERC Alternative 2 are:

- crosses 17 fewer parcels,
- affects fewer residences within 25 and 50 feet of workspace;
- collocates with existing rights-of-way for approximately 3.4 more miles; and
- affects 1.5 fewer acres of forested land.

The primary disadvantages of FERC Alternative 2 are:

- greater length and land disturbance;
- crosses four more waterbodies and nine more wetlands; and
- affects significantly more acres of wetlands and 0.9 more acre of agricultural land.

Constructability concerns of FERC Alternative 2 are:

- two crossings of the Haw River; and
- limited area for workspace layout at the Haw River crossings and along the alternative route due to an existing golf course, existing utility infrastructure and residential areas.

Because the primary disadvantages, along with the potential constructability concerns, outweigh the primary advantages, the Project eliminated this alternative from further consideration as its preferred pipeline route.

| rred Route and FERC Preferred Route 3.8 46.5 | Alternative 2 FERC Alternative 2 4.0 | Difference |
|---|--|---|
| 3.8 | | Difference |
| | 4.0 | |
| 46.5 | | +0.2 |
| | 48.8 | +2.3 |
| 23.2 | 24.4 | +1.2 |
| 51 | 34 | -17 |
| 1/3 | 0 / 0 | -1 / -3 |
| 8 | 12 | +4 |
| 0 | 9 | +9 |
| 0 | 4,163 | +4,163 |
| 0.1 | 6.9 | +6.8 |
| 6.6 | 7.5 | +0.9 |
| 23.4 | 21.9 | -1.5 |
| 0.2 | 3.6 | +3.4 |
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FERC Alternative 3 (MP 65.8 to MP 67.5)

The Project evaluated FERC Alternative 3 between MP 65.8 and MP 67.5 (see Figure 10.5-4, Appendix 10-A). The FERC Alternative 3 deviates from the original route at MP 65.45 and extends east-southeast for approximately 0.4 mile. At MP 65.8 of the preferred route, the FERC Alternative 3 extends southeast and east for approximately 0.3 mile and crosses agricultural and forested land and North Fonville Road. It



then turns in a more southerly direction for approximately 1.3 miles and crosses agricultural and forested land, Sandy Cross Road, and an existing electric transmission easement. It rejoins the Preferred Route at MP 67.5.

As shown in Table 10.5-6, the primary advantages of FERC Alternative 3 are:

- crosses less fewer parcels; and
- affects 0.4 fewer acre of forested land.

The primary disadvantages of FERC Alternative 3 are:

- greater length and land disturbance; and
- affects 2.9 more acres of agricultural land.

Constructability concerns of FERC Alternative 3 are:

• none identified based on initial review.

The Project further evaluated FERC Alternative 3 and incorporated approximately 1.7 miles of the alternative route into the Mystic Valley Reroute described in Section 10.5.4 below.

| | Table 10.5-6 | | |
|--|-----------------|--------------------|------------|
| Comparison of the Preferred Route and FERC Alternative 3 | | | |
| Feature | Preferred Route | FERC Alternative 3 | Difference |
| Total length (miles) | 1.5 | 2.0 | +0.5 |
| Construction right-of-way (acres) <u>a</u> / | 18.9 | 24.7 | +5.8 |
| Permanent right-of-way (acres) <u>a</u> / | 9.4 | 12.3 | +2.9 |
| Total number of parcels crossed | 16 | 14 | -2 |
| Number of residences within 25 and 50 feet of the edge of the construction ROW (and associated additional temporary workspace) | 0 / 0 | 0 / 0 | 0/0 |
| Number of waterbodies crossed | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Number of NWI wetlands crossed | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total NWI wetland crossing length (feet) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NWI wetlands within construction ROW (acres) b/ | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Agricultural land within construction ROW (acres) <u>c</u> / | 9.5 | 12.4 | 2.9 |
| Forested land within construction ROW (acres) | 10.9 | 10.5 | -0.4 |
| Length parallel or adjacent to existing ROW (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 |



| Table 10.5-6 | | | | | |
|--|--|--------------------|------------|--|--|
| Comparison of the | Comparison of the Preferred Route and FERC Alternative 3 | | | | |
| Feature | Preferred Route | FERC Alternative 3 | Difference | | |
| a/ Assuming 100-foot-wide construction ROW and | d 50-foot-wide permaner | nt ROW. | | | |
| b/ Assuming 75-foot-wide construction ROW. | | | | | |
| c/ Includes pasture/hay and cultivated crops. | | | | | |
| ROW = right-of-way. NWI = National Wetland Inver | ntory | | | | |
| Information Sources: | | | | | |
| GIS – Analysis based on Geodatabase layers and shapefiles. | | | | | |
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| ESRI - GIS Mapping - <u>http://www.esri.com/</u> | | | | | |

FERC Alternative 4 (MP 65.8 to MP 70.8)

The Project evaluated FERC Alternative 4 between MP 65.8 and MP 70.8 (see Figure 10.5-5, Appendix 10-A). At MP 65.6, FERC Alternative 4 extends in an easterly direction for approximately 3.8 miles and crosses agricultural and forested land. Within this segment, the alternative route crosses North Fonville Road, State Highway 49, and Johnson Road. It then turns in a south-southwest direction for approximately 5.8 miles and crosses agricultural and forested land, and several road / railroads including Mebane Rodgers Road/State Route 1921, Dewitt Drive, Bason Road/State Route 1927, U.S. Highway 70/E. Main Street, a railroad track, Stone Street Extension/State Route 1936, and Tollingwood Road. It rejoins the preferred route at MP 70.8.

As shown in Table 10.5-7, the primary advantages of FERC Alternative 4 are:

- affects fewer residences within 25 and 50 feet of workspace;
- collocates with existing rights-of-way for an additional 1.8 miles.

The primary disadvantages of FERC Alternative 4 are:

- greater length and land disturbance;
- affects three more parcels;
- crosses two more waterbodies and four more wetlands; and
- affects 0.5 more acre of wetlands 24 more acres of agricultural land, and 18.4 more acres of forested land.

Potential constructability concerns of FERC Alternative 4 are:

• none identified based on initial review.

Because the primary disadvantages outweigh the primary advantages, the Project eliminated this alternative from further consideration as its preferred pipeline route.

| | Table 10.5-7 | | |
|--|-----------------|--------------------|------------|
| Comparison of the Preferred Route and FERC Alternative 4 | | | |
| Feature | Preferred Route | FERC Alternative 4 | Difference |
| Total length (miles) | 5.0 | 9.4 | +4.4 |
| Construction right-of-way (acres) <u>a</u> / | 61.3 | 114 | +52.7 |
| Permanent right-of-way (acres) <u>a</u> / | 30.6 | 57.0 | +26.4 |
| Total number of parcels crossed | 63 | 60 | -3 |
| Number of residences within 25 and 50 feet of the edge of the construction ROW (and associated additional temporary workspace) | 1/2 | 0 / 0 | -1 / -2 |
| Number of waterbodies crossed | 12 | 14 | +2 |
| Number of NWI wetlands crossed | 1 | 5 | +4 |
| Total NWI wetland crossing length (feet) | 25 | 321 | +296 |
| NWI wetlands within construction ROW (acres) <u>b</u> / | 0.2 | 0.7 | +0.5 |
| Agricultural land within construction ROW (acres) <u>c</u> / | 12.4 | 36.3 | +23.9 |
| Forested land within construction ROW (acres) | 35 | 53.4 | +18.4 |
| Length parallel or adjacent to existing ROW (miles) | 0.2 | 2.0 | +1.8 |
| <u>a</u>/ Assuming 100-foot-wide construction ROW a <u>b</u>/ Assuming 75-foot-wide construction ROW. c/ Includes pasture/hay and cultivated crops. ROW = right-of-way. NWI = National Wetland Inv <u>Information Sources:</u> GIS – Analysis based on Geodatabase layers and | ventory | ent ROW. | |

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FERC Alternative 5 (MP 71.8 to MP 73.1)

The Project evaluated FERC Alternative 5 between MP 71.8 and MP 73.1 (see Figure 10.5-6, Appendix 10-A). At MP 71.8, FERC Alternative 5 extends in an east/southeast direction for approximately 0.6 mile and crosses agricultural and forested land and Jimmie Kerr Road. It then turns in a south-southwest direction for approximately 1.7 miles and crosses agricultural and forested land, Cherry Lane, Jimmie Kerr Road, and State Highway 54/E. Harden Street before rejoining the preferred route at MP 73.1.

As shown in Table 10.5-8, the primary advantage of FERC Alternative 5 is:

• affects fewer residences within 50 feet of workspace.

The primary disadvantages of FERC Alternative 5 are:

• greater length and land disturbance; and

• affects three more parcels and 8.7 additional acres of agricultural land.

Potential constructability concerns of FERC Alternative 5 are:

• none identified based on initial review.

Because the primary disadvantages outweigh the primary advantages, the Project eliminated this alternative from further consideration as its preferred pipeline route.

| | Table 10.5-8 | | |
|---|--|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| Comparison of the | Preferred Route and FER | C Alternative 5 | |
| Feature | Preferred Route | FERC Alternative 5 | Difference |
| Total length (miles) | 1.3 | 2.2 | +0.9 |
| Construction right-of-way (acres) a/ | 16.2 | 26.3 | +10.1 |
| Permanent right-of-way (acres) a/ | 8.1 | 13.1 | +5.0 |
| Total number of parcels crossed | 17 | 20 | +3 |
| Number of residences within 25 and 50 feet of the edge of the construction ROW (and associated additional temporary workspace) | 1 / 1 | 0 / 0 | -1/ -1 |
| Number of waterbodies crossed | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Number of NWI wetlands crossed | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total NWI wetland crossing length (feet) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NWI wetlands within construction ROW (acres) b/ | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Agricultural land within construction ROW (acres) <u>c</u> / | 3 | 11.7 | +8.7 |
| Forested land within construction ROW (acres) | 9.5 | 9.5 | 0 |
| Length parallel or adjacent to existing ROW (miles) | 0.1 | 0 | -0.1 |
| a/ Assuming 100-foot-wide construction ROW and 5 b/ Assuming 75-foot-wide construction ROW. c/ Includes pasture/hay and cultivated crops. ROW = right-of-way. NWI = National Wetland Inventor Information Sources: GIS – Analysis based on Geodatabase layers and sha NC Parcel Boundaries and Standard Fields - <u>http://da</u> NLCD – 2006 National Land Cover Data - <u>http://www.</u> NWI – National Wetlands Inventory - <u>http://www.fws.gu</u> USGS – U.S. Geological Survey - <u>http://www.usgs.go</u> NHD – National Hydrography Dataset - <u>http://nhd.usg</u> | pry apefiles. <u>ta.nconemap.gov/geoporta</u> <u>epa.gov/mrlc/nlcd-2006.ht</u> <u>jov/wetlands/</u> <u>v/</u> | al/catalog/search/resource/de | <u>tails.page</u> |
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FERC Alternative 6 (MP 58.2 to MP 62.0)

The Project evaluated FERC Alternative 6 between MP 58.2 and MP 62.0 (see Figure 10.5-7, Appendix 10-A). At MP 58.2, FERC Alternative 6 extends south and is collocated with a Duke Energy electric transmission easement for approximately 2.9 miles. It crosses agricultural and forested land, Burch Bridge Road and Iseley School Road. The alternative is collocated with an existing utility easement between Iseley School Road and Huffinese Drive (approximately 0.9 mile). It continues in an easterly direction and crosses agricultural and forested land before it rejoins the preferred route at MP 62.0.

As shown in Table 10.5-9, the primary advantages of FERC Alternative 6 are:

- affects 4.0 fewer acres of agricultural land; and
- collocates with existing rights-of-way for an additional 1.6 miles.

The primary disadvantages of FERC Alternative 6 are:

- greater length and land disturbance;
- affects seven more parcels;

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- affects more residences within 25 and 50 feet of workspace;
- crosses five more waterbodies and one more wetland; and
- affects 0.2 more acre of wetlands and 3.6 additional acres of forested land.

Potential constructability concerns of FERC Alternative 6 are:

• none identified based on initial review.

Because the primary disadvantages outweigh the primary advantages, the Project eliminated this alternative from further consideration as its preferred pipeline route.

| Table 10.5-9 | | | | |
|--|-----------------|--------------------|------------|--|
| Comparison of the Preferred Route and FERC Alternative 6 | | | | |
| Feature | Preferred Route | FERC Alternative 6 | Difference | |
| Total length (miles) | 3.7 | 4.4 | +0.7 | |
| Construction right-of-way (acres) <u>a/</u> | 45.6 | 53.3 | +7.7 | |
| Permanent right-of-way (acres) a/ | 22.7 | 26.6 | +3.9 | |
| Total number of parcels crossed | 21 | 28 | +7 | |
| Number of residences within 25 and 50 feet of the edge of the construction ROW (and associated additional temporary workspace) | 0 / 0 | 1 / 1 | +1 / +1 | |
| Number of waterbodies crossed | 5 | 10 | +5 | |
| Number of NWI wetlands crossed | 1 | 2 | +1 | |
| Total NWI wetland crossing length (feet) | 35 | 131 | +96 | |
| NWI wetlands within construction ROW (acres) <u>b</u> / | 0.1 | 0.3 | +0.2 | |
| Agricultural land within construction ROW (acres) <u>c</u> / | 21.8 | 17.8 | -4 | |
| Forested land within construction ROW (acres) | 21.3 | 24.9 | +3.6 | |
| Length parallel or adjacent to existing ROW (miles) | 0.9 | 2.5 | +1.6 | |

| Table 10.5-9 | | | |
|--|---------------------------|--------------------|------------|
| Comparison of t | he Preferred Route and F | FERC Alternative 6 | |
| Feature | Preferred Route | FERC Alternative 6 | Difference |
| a/ Assuming 100-foot-wide construction RO | N and 50-foot-wide perma | nent ROW. | |
| b/ Assuming 75-foot-wide construction ROW | Ι. | | |
| c/ Includes pasture/hay and cultivated crops | | | |
| ROW = right-of-way. NWI = National Wetland | Inventory | | |
| Information Sources: | | | |
| GIS – Analysis based on Geodatabase layers and shapefiles. | | | |
| NC Parcel Boundaries and Standard Fields - http://data.nconemap.gov/geoportal/catalog/search/resource/details.page | | | |
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| USGS – U.S. Geological Survey - http://www.usgs.gov/ | | | |
| NHD – National Hydrography Dataset - http://nhd.usgs.gov/ | | | |
| ESRI - GIS Mapping - <u>http://www.esri.com/</u> | | | |

10.5.4 Mystic Valley Reroute (Preferred Route)

Between MP 64.0 and MP 67.5 in Alamance County, North Carolina, the Project evaluated the Mystic Valley Reroute (preferred route) to avoid a U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Cripple Creek Mitigation Bank and address landowner concerns along its original route (filed under PF18-4-000 on August 20, 2018). The Mystic Valley Reroute deviates from the Project's original route at MP 64.0 and extends generally east, southeast, and south. From MP 64.0 to MP 65.8, it crosses open, agricultural, forest land; and Hidden Valley Trail/Road, Faucette Lane, and Deep Creek Church Road. At MP 65.8, the Mystic Valley Reroute intersects with the FERC Alternative 3 route described above and extends generally southeast. It crosses agricultural and forested land and North Fonville Road. It then turns in a more southerly direction and crosses agricultural and forested land, Sandy Cross Road, and an existing electric transmission easement before it rejoins the original route at MP 67.5 (see Figure 10.5-4).

As shown in Table 10.5-10, the primary advantages of the Mystic Valley Reroute (preferred route) are:

- crosses less agricultural land;
- addresses landowner concerns; and
- affects less forest land.

The primary disadvantages of the Mystic Valley Reroute (preferred route) are:

• greater length and land disturbance.

Potential constructability concerns of the Mystic Valley Reroute (preferred route) are:

• none identified based on initial review.

While the Mystic Valley Reroute (preferred route) results in similar environmental impacts as the original route, it avoids a U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Cripple Creek Mitigation Bank and addresses landowner concerns along its original route. Therefore, it was incorporated into the Project's preferred pipeline route.



| Table 10.5-10 | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|---|---------------------|
| Comparison of the Original Feature | Route and Mystic Va Original Route | Iley Reroute (Preferred Ro Mystic Valley Reroute (Preferred Route) | oute) Difference |
| General | | | |
| Total length (miles) <u>a</u> / | 2.99 | 3.49 | +0.5 |
| Length adjacent to existing ROW (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Land affected during construction (acres) <u>a</u> / | 36.4 | 42.5 | +6.1 |
| Land affected during operation (acres) <u>a</u> / | 18.1 | 21.2 | +3.1 |
| Land Use | | | |
| Populated areas within 1/2 mile (number) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| National Forest System lands crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| National Forest Wilderness crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| State lands crossed (forests, parks, wildlife management areas) (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Scenic Trail crossings (number) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Designated Natural and Scenic Rivers, Nationwide Rivers Inventory, significant fisheries, ponds/lakes (number) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NRHP designated or eligible historic districts crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Landowner parcels crossed (number) | 27 | 27 | 0 |
| Residences within 50 feet of construction work space (number) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Environmental Justice Areas (miles) | 1.1 | 1.1 | 0 |
| Resources | | | |
| Agricultural land crossed (miles) c/ | 19.1 | 19.2 | -0.1 |
| Open land crossed (miles) | 1.9 | 1.7 | +0.2 |
| Developed land crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Forested land crossed (miles) | 1.1 | 1.7 | -0.6 |
| Forested land affected during construction (acres) | 14 | 20.1 | -6.1 |
| Forested land affected during operation (acres) | 6.8 | 10 | -3.2 |
| Total Wetlands (NWI) crossed (feet) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| PEM NWI wetlands affected by construction (acres) <u>b</u> / | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| PEM NWI wetlands affected by operation (acres) <u>a</u> / | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| PSS NWI wetlands affected by construction (acres) <u>b</u> / | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| PSS NWI wetlands affected by operation (acres) <u>a</u> / | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| PFO NWI wetlands crossed (feet) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| PFO NWI wetlands affected by construction (acres) <u>b</u> / | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| | Table 10.5-10 | | | |
|---|---|--|--------------------|--|
| Comparison of the Original Route and Mystic Valley Reroute (Preferred Route) | | | | |
| Feature | Original Route | Mystic Valley Reroute (Preferred Route) | Difference | |
| PFO NWI wetlands affected by operation (acres) <u>a</u> / | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Perennial waterbody crossings (number) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Crossings of major waterbodies (>100 feet) (number) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Presence of critical habitat or federally endangered or threatened species (Yes/No). Number of species. | No / 0 | No / 0 | 0 | |
| Shallow bedrock crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Karst area crossed (miles) | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| c/ Includes pasture/hay and cultivated crops. Populated Areas = census designated places, cor ROW = right-of-way. NWI = National Wetland Invo PEM = Palustrine Emergent Wetland; PSS = Palu Information Sources: GIS – Analysis based on Geodatabase layers and Standard Fields - h VA Parcel Boundaries and Standard Fields - h NLCD – 2006 National Land Cover Data - http://www.arcgis.com/home/item.html?id=f1c NUCD – 2006 National Land Cover Data - http://WWI – National Wetlands Inventory - http://www.uSGS – U.S. Geological Survey - http://www.uSGA - https://data.fs.usda.gov/geodata/edw/c | entory. NRHP = National F Istrine Scrub-Shrub Wetla and shapefiles. ttp://data.nconemap.gov Iccaf1f42e40cbba791fea ://www.epa.gov/mrlc/nlco w.fws.gov/wetlands/ isgs.gov/ ihd.usgs.gov/ datasets.php | Register of Historic Places. nd; PFO = Palustrine Forested /geoportal/catalog/search/res ue2e23690 d-2006.html | ource/details.page | |
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10.6 ROUTE VARIATIONS

Route variations differ from route alternatives as they consist of alignment adjustments that enhance constructability, reduce impacts on localized features, sensitive resources, terrain, and/or provide appropriate space to allow for the safe operation and maintenance of the pipeline. They are typically shorter than route alternatives and may not always display a clear environmental advantage other than avoiding or reducing the impact to site-specific features or resources. After selection of the preferred route, the Project evaluated potential route variations using both desktop and field survey data to address construction constraints and to reduce impacts to landowners and sensitive environmental resources.

The FERC requested that the Project evaluate two route variations to minimize effects on the Robert Pollok-Hill View Farms at approximately MP 15.0 in Pittsylvania County, Virginia and residences between MP 40.2 and MP 41.0 in Rockingham County, North Carolina. These variations are described below.

10.6.1 Robert Pollock-Hill View Farms Variation

The Project evaluated the Robert Pollok-Hill View Farms Variation between MP 14.7 and MP 15.7 to reduce impact on the farm (see Figure 10.6-1). At MP 14.7, this variation extends west of the preferred route and continues in a southwest direction for approximately 1.0 mile. It parallels an existing utility easement, crosses mostly agricultural and open land, Whitmell School Road/County Road 750, and rejoins the preferred route at MP 15.7.

As shown in Table 10.6-1, the primary advantages of the Robert Pollok-Hill View Farms Variation are:

- collocates with existing rights-of-way for an additional 1.0 mile; and
- affects less agricultural land.

The primary disadvantages of the Robert Pollok-Hill View Farms Variation are:

• none identified based on initial review.

Potential constructability concerns of the Robert Pollok-Hill View Farms Variation are:

• none identified based on initial review.

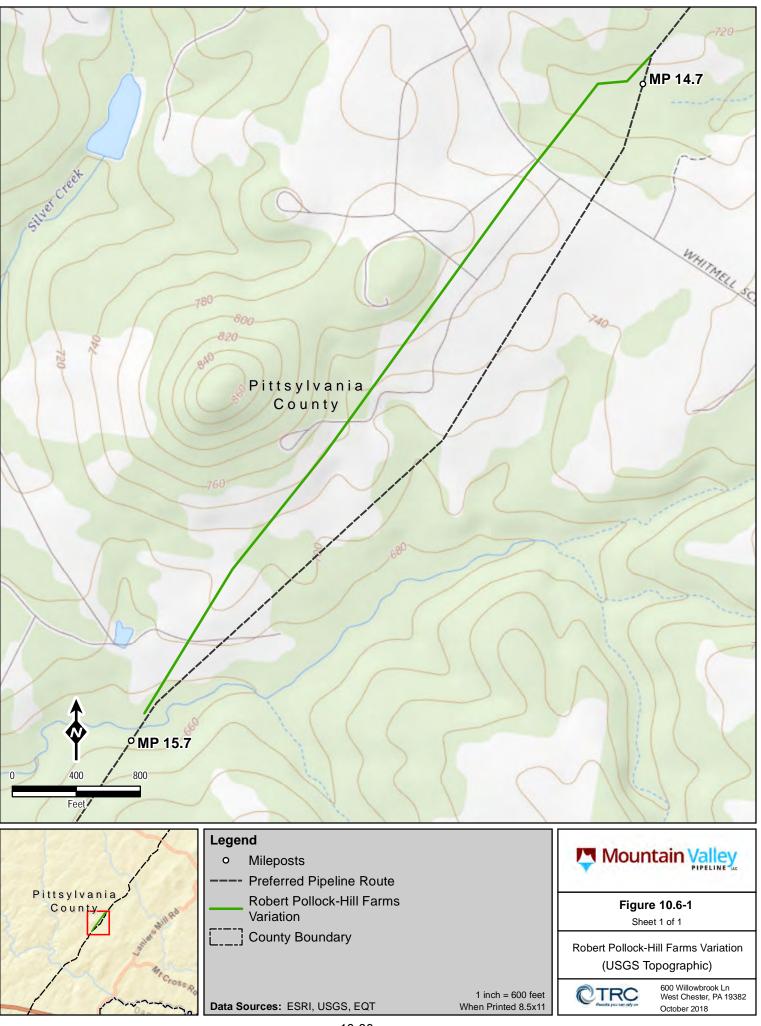
While the Project did not fully incorporate the Robert Pollok-Hill View Farms Variation as a result of the alternative analysis, approximately 1,300 feet of access road and approximately 0.3 acre of additional temporary workspace were removed between MP 14.7 and MP 15.7.

| Table 10.6-1 | | | |
|--|-----------------------|---|------------|
| Comparison of the Preferred R | oute and Robert Pollo | ok-Hill View Farms Variat | ion |
| Feature | Preferred Route | Robert Pollok-Hill View Farms Variation | Difference |
| Total length (miles) | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0 |
| Construction right-of-way (acres) a/ | 12.3 | 12.3 | 0 |
| Permanent right-of-way (acres) <u>a</u> / | 6.1 | 6.1 | 0 |
| Total number of parcels crossed | 6 | 6 | 0 |
| Number of residences within 25 and 50 feet of the edge of the construction ROW (and associated additional temporary workspace) | 0/0 | 0/0 | 0/0 |
| Number of waterbodies crossed | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Number of NWI wetlands crossed | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total NWI wetland crossing length (feet) | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NWI wetlands within construction ROW (acres) b/ | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Agricultural land within construction ROW (acres) \underline{c} | 9.4 | 8.6 | -0.8 |
| Forested land within construction ROW (acres) | 2.0 | 2.0 | 0 |
| Length parallel or adjacent to existing ROW (miles) | 0 | 1 | +1 |



Table 10.6-1

| Feature | Preferred Route | Robert Pollok-Hill View Farms Variation | Difference |
|---|-------------------------|---|-------------------|
| a/ Assuming 100-foot-wide construction ROW and | d 50-foot-wide permanen | nt ROW. | |
| b/ Assuming 75-foot-wide construction ROW. | | | |
| c/ Includes pasture/hay and cultivated crops. | | | |
| ROW = right-of-way. NWI = National Wetland Inver | ntory | | |
| Information Sources: | | | |
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| NHD – National Hydrography Dataset - http://nhd.u | <u>isgs.gov/</u> | | |
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Data Sources: ESRI, USGS, EQT

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10.6.2 MP 40.0 to MP 41.4 Variation

The Project evaluated a route variation between MP 40.0 and MP 41.4 to reduce the number of residences potentially affected by the Project (see Figure 10.6-2). At MP 40.0, this variation extends south-southwest for approximately 0.5 mile and crosses forested and open land and Narrow Gauge Road. It then turns east-southeast for approximately 1.1 miles and crosses mostly forested land before it rejoins the preferred route at MP 41.4.

As shown in Table 10.6-2, the primary advantages of the MP 40.0 and MP 41. 4 Variation are:

- affects two fewer parcels;
- affects fewer residences within 25 and 50 feet of workspace; and
- affects less forested land.

The primary disadvantages of the MP 40.0 and MP 41. 4 Variation are:

- greater length and associated land disturbance; and
- affects more wetlands and agricultural land.

Potential constructability concerns of the MP 40.0 and MP 41. 4 Variation are:

• none identified based on initial review.

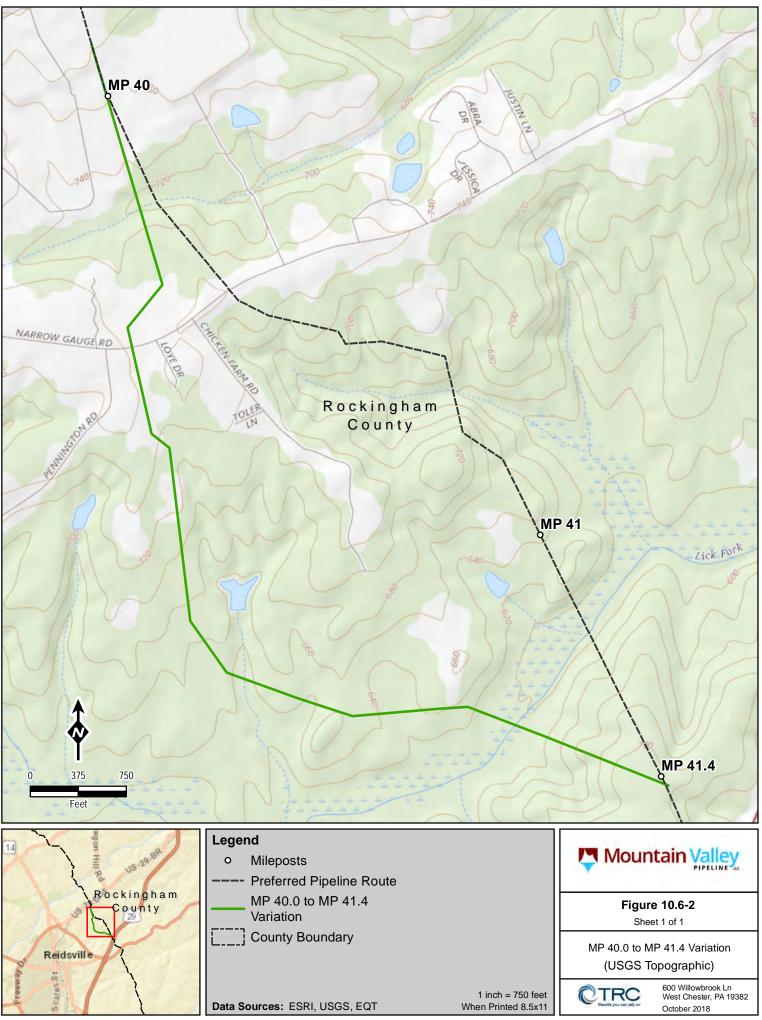
Because the primary disadvantages outweigh the primary advantages, the Project eliminated this variation from further consideration as its preferred pipeline route.

| | Table 10.6-2 | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------|---------------------------------|------------|--|--|--|--|
| Comparison of the Preferred Route and MP 40.0 to MP 41.4 Variation | | | | | | | |
| Feature | Preferred Route | MP 40.0 to MP 41.4 Variation | Difference | | | | |
| Total length (miles) | 1.4 | 1.6 | +0.2 | | | | |
| Construction right-of-way (acres) <u>a</u> / | 17.4 | 19.8 | +2.4 | | | | |
| Permanent right-of-way (acres) <u>a</u> / | 8.7 | 9.9 | +1.2 | | | | |
| Total number of parcels crossed | 10 | 8 | -2 | | | | |
| Number of residences within 25 and 50 feet of the edge of the construction ROW (and associated additional temporary workspace) | 1/1 | 0/0 | -1/-1 | | | | |
| Number of waterbodies crossed | 3 | 3 | 0 | | | | |
| Number of NWI wetlands crossed | 1 | 1 | 0 | | | | |
| Total NWI wetland crossing length (feet) | 243 | 303 | +60 | | | | |
| NWI wetlands within construction ROW (acres) b/ | 0.4 | 0.5 | +0.1 | | | | |
| Agricultural land within construction ROW (acres) <u>c</u> / | 1.0 | 2.2 | +1.2 | | | | |
| Forested land within construction ROW (acres) | 13.1 | 11.8 | -1.3 | | | | |
| Length parallel or adjacent to existing ROW (miles) | 0.5 | 0.2 | -0.3 | | | | |



Table 10.6-2

| Feature Preferred Route MP 40.0 to MP 41.4 Variation Diffe | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| a/ Assuming 100-foot-wide construction ROW and | 50-foot-wide permaner | nt ROW. | | | | | | |
| <u>b</u> / Assuming 75-foot-wide construction ROW. | | | | | | | | |
| c/ Includes pasture/hay and cultivated crops. | | | | | | | | |
| ROW = right-of-way. NWI = National Wetland Inven | tory | | | | | | | |
| Information Sources: | | | | | | | | |
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| ESRI - GIS Mapping - http://www.esri.com/ | | | | | | | | |



10.6.3 MP 69.5 to MP 69.7 Variation (Preferred Route)

The Project evaluated a route variation between MP 69.5 and MP 69.7 (preferred route) to avoid a significant part of the Town of Haw River's vision for revitalizing the downtown / Main Street core area that the original route crossed. The MP 69.5 to MP 69.7 Variation from the Project's original route at MP 69.5 and extends generally southeast and south. It crosses open, forest, and developed land and East Main Street, a railroad track, and driveway and rejoins the original route at MP 69.7 (see Figure 10.6-3).

As shown in Table 10.6-3, the primary advantages of the MP 69.5 to MP 69.7 Variation are:

- avoids the Town of Haw River town revitalization area;
- affects one less residence within 25 feet of workspace; and
- affects a town fire hall and small business.

The primary disadvantages of the MP 69.5 to MP 69.7 Variation are:

- greater length and associated land disturbance; and
- limited construction work area due to exposed sewage and water line.

Potential constructability concerns of the MP 69.5 to MP 69.7 Variation are:

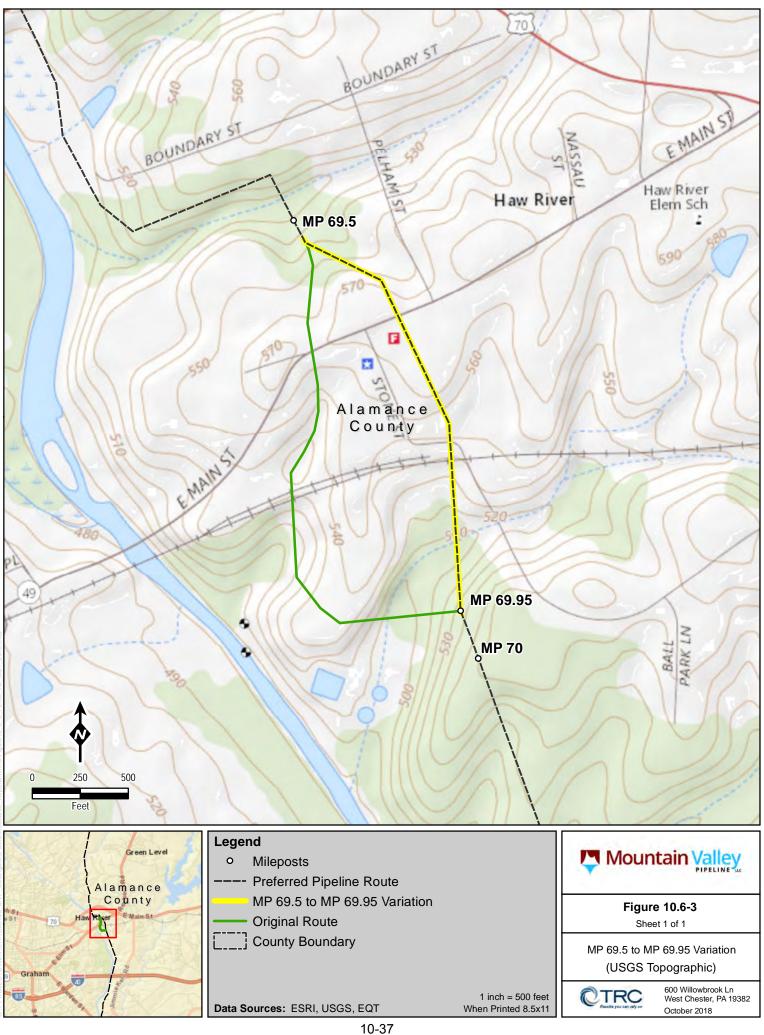
• foreign utility line crossing, limited work area at town fire hall and small business, and residence located east of North Main Street.

While the MP 69.5 to MP 69.7 Variation (preferred route) results in similar environmental impacts as the original route, it avoids the Town of Haw River's vision for revitalizing the downtown/Main Street core area and addresses town concerns along its original route. Therefore, it was incorporated into the Project's preferred pipeline route.

| Table 10.6-3 Comparison of the Original Route and MP 69.5 to MP 69.7 Variation (Preferred Route) | | | | | | | |
|--|-----|-----|------|--|--|--|--|
| | | | | | | | |
| Total length (miles) | 0.5 | 0.4 | +0.1 | | | | |
| Construction right-of-way (acres) <u>a</u> / | 6.5 | 5.4 | +1.1 | | | | |
| Permanent right-of-way (acres) <u>a</u> / | 3.2 | 2.6 | +0.6 | | | | |
| Total number of parcels crossed | 12 | 14 | -2 | | | | |
| Number of residences within 25 and 50 feet of the edge of the construction ROW (and associated additional temporary workspace) | 2/3 | 3/3 | -1/0 | | | | |
| Number of waterbodies crossed | 1 | 1 | 0 | | | | |
| Number of NWI wetlands crossed | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| Total NWI wetland crossing length (feet) | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| NWI wetlands within construction ROW (acres) b/ | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| Agricultural land within construction ROW (acres) <u>c/</u> | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| Forested land within construction ROW (acres) | 1.8 | 1.8 | 0 | | | | |



| Table 10.6-3 | | | | | | | | |
|--|---|----------------------------|-------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Comparison of the Original Route and MP 69.5 to MP 69.7 Variation (Preferred Route) | | | | | | | | |
| FeatureOriginal RouteMP 69.5 to MP 69.69VariationDifference(Preferred Route) | | | | | | | | |
| Length parallel or adjacent to existing ROW 0 0 0 | | | | | | | | |
| a/ Assuming 100-foot-wide construction ROW and b/ Assuming 75-foot-wide construction ROW. c/ Includes pasture/hay and cultivated crops. ROW = right-of-way. NWI = National Wetland Inverting Information Sources: GIS – Analysis based on Geodatabase layers and so NC Parcel Boundaries and Standard Fields - http://www.fws NLCD – 2006 National Land Cover Data - http://www.fws USGS – U.S. Geological Survey - http://www.fws USGS – U.S. Geological Survey - http://www.esri.com/ | htory hapefiles. data.nconemap.gov/gec w.epa.gov/mrlc/nlcd-20 s.gov/wetlands/ gov/ | portal/catalog/search/reso | urce/details.page | | | | | |



10.6.4 Route Variations Incorporated into the Project Pipeline

The Southgate Project has currently identified route variations during preliminary routing, stakeholder outreach efforts, and landowner and/or and agency requested route deviations. The Project has incorporated 191 of these route variations into the current preferred route to address landowner concerns, environmental resources, potential culturally sensitive areas, and constructability issues. These are shown in Table 10.6-4 in Appendix 10-B.

The Project continues to evaluate these variations and will continue to refine the route as necessary through the remainder of the field survey process. In addition, the Project will continue to coordinate with stakeholders with respect to developing route variations for site-specific concerns and will provide the FERC with a summary of alignment revisions in supplemental filings, as applicable.

10.7 ABOVEGROUND FACILITY ALTERNATIVES

10.7.1 Compressor Station Alternatives

The Project conducted a hydraulic analysis to determine the optimum horsepower and compression to provide the increased volumes of natural gas necessary to meet the purpose and need of the Project. As a result, the Project determined that two new compressor stations were necessary to meet the compression requirements for the increased delivery volume and delivery locations. The compressor station site selection-process used multiple factors including: engineering design and construction, pipeline design limitations, land/workspace requirements, site elevation, road access, interconnecting pipe, land availability, and environmental effects.

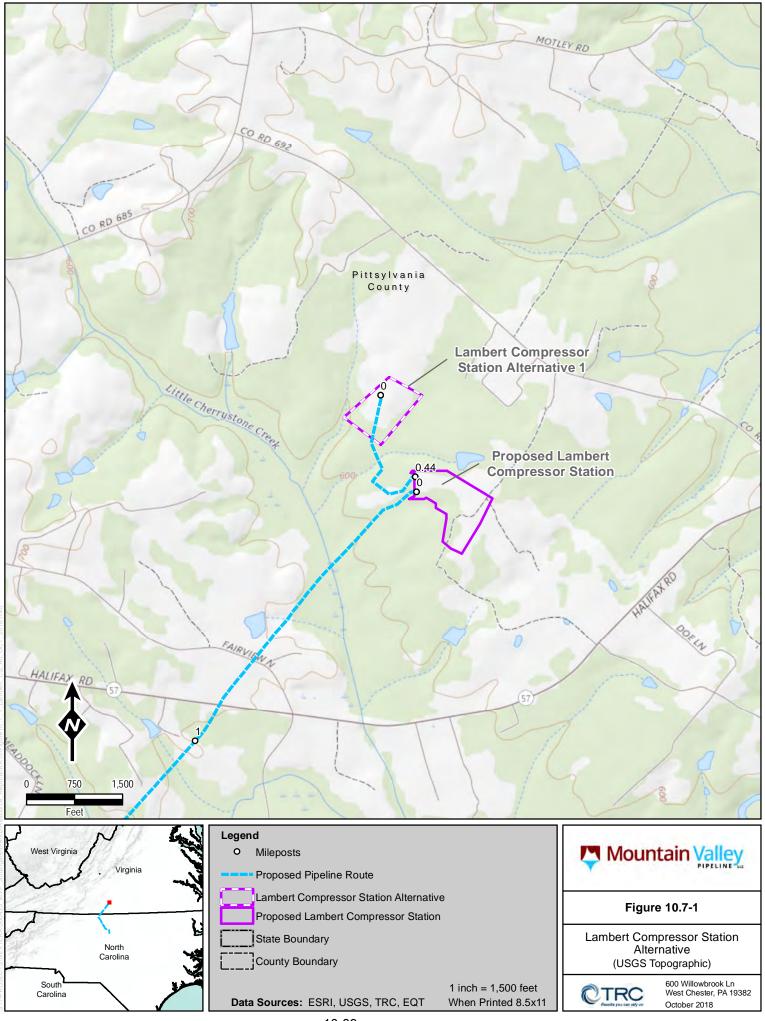
The Project evaluated alternative site for its proposed Lambert Compressor Station site, as described below.

10.7.1.1 Lambert Compressor Station Alternative

The Project considered one alternative site for the location of the Lambert Compressor Station in Pittsylvania County, Virginia. The proposed Lambert Compressor Station site is located at MP 0.0 of the pipeline route (see Figure 10.7-1). Land use at the proposed compressor station site consists of forested and agricultural land. Table 10.7-1 provides an analysis of the proposed Lambert Compressor Station site and the alternative site.

Lambert Compressor Station Alternative 1

The Lambert Compressor Station Alternative 1 site is located near MP 0.0 of the pipeline approximately 0.4 mile northwest of the proposed compressor station site (see Figure 10.7-1). The alternative site consists of forested land, is surrounded by forested land, and would require a new permanent access road from Transco Road/County Road 692 located approximately 0.4 mile to the northeast. An existing electric powerline is located approximately 0.6 mile to the northwest of the alternative site. Two residences are located approximately 0.3 and 0.4 mile northeast and northwest of the alternative site, respectively, and a third residence is located approximately 0.5 mile to the southwest. Transco's compressor facilities (Stations 165 and 166) are located approximately 0.2 mile to the east of the Lambert Compressor Station Alternative 1 site.



As shown in Table 10.7-1, the primary advantages of the Lambert Compressor Station Alternative 1 are:

- smaller site size and associated land disturbance;
- shorter pipeline length to reach the site; and
- shorter access road length to reach the site.

The primary disadvantages of the Lambert Compressor Station Alternative 1 are:

- unknown availability of land;
- more noise sensitive areas within 1.0 mile of the site.

Potential constructability concerns of the Lambert Compressor Station Alternative 1 are:

• future natural gas infrastructure associated with the Mountain Valley Pipeline to be placed within the site.

In addition, approximately 90 percent of the Lambert Compressor Station Alternative 1 site is vegetated with trees and shrubs while the proposed site consists of open land and is approximately 30 percent vegetated with trees and shrubs. The vegetation at both sites would provide a visual buffer. The nearest residence/noise sensitive areas are located approximately 1,300 and 3,300 feet from the alternative and proposed site, respectively. Activities at the alternative site could affect waterbodies and would require the removal of approximately 25,000 cubic yards of material (soil and rock) from the site. The proposed site will not affect waterbodies and would require the removal of approximately 16,500 cubic yards of material from the site. Because the Lambert Compressor Station Alternative 1 would be within 1.0 mile of more noise sensitive areas, be located in an area of future natural gas infrastructure, and does not offer an environmental or constructability advantage, the Project eliminated this alternative site from further consideration as its preferred compressor station site.

| Table 10.7-1 | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------|----------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Comparison of the Proposed Lambert Compressor Station Site and Alternative 1 | | | | | | | |
| Feature Proposed Lambert Compressor Station Alternation | | | | | | | |
| Land availability (Yes/No) | Yes | Unknown | | | | | |
| Total land to be acquired (estimated acres) | 127.5 | Unknown | | | | | |
| Construction workspace (acres) | 14.7 | 14.5 | | | | | |
| Operation workspace (acres) | 3.8 | 3.8 | | | | | |
| Length of pipeline required to reach the site (miles) | 0.4 | <0.1 | | | | | |
| Length of access road required to reach the site (miles) | 0.6 | 0.4 | | | | | |
| Existing land use (type) | Forested/Agriculture | Forested | | | | | |
| Construction/operation impact on prime farmland soils (acres) | 12.8 / 3.7 | 14.5 / Unknown | | | | | |
| Construction/operation impact on NWI wetlands (acres) | 0 / 0 | 0 / 0 | | | | | |
| Presence of critical habitat or federally endangered or threatened species (Yes/No) | No | No | | | | | |
| Presence of NRHP-eligible sites (Yes/No) | No | No | | | | | |

| Table 10.7-1 | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Comparison of the Proposed Lambert Compressor Station Site and Alternative 1 | | | | | | | | |
| Feature Proposed Lambert Compressor Station Alternative 1 | | | | | | | | |
| Number of NSAs within 1 mile of the site | 45 | 55 | | | | | | |
| Zoning | Unknown | Unknown | | | | | | |
| NWI = National Wetland Inventory; NRHP = National Re <u>Information Sources:</u> GIS – Analysis based on Geodatabase layers and shape NLCD – 2006 National Land Cover Data - <u>http://www.ep</u> NWI – National Wetlands Inventory - <u>http://www.fws.gov/</u> USGS – U.S. Geological Survey - <u>http://www.usgs.gov/</u> NHD – National Hydrography Dataset - <u>http://nhd.usgs.</u> ESRI - GIS Mapping - <u>http://www.esri.com/</u> | efiles. ha.gov/mrlc/nlcd-2006.html /wetlands/ | Noise Sensitive Areas; | | | | | | |

10.7.2 Electric Driven Compressor Units

The proposed Project compressor stations will include centrifugal turbines powered by natural gas with the natural gas obtained directly from the pipeline. While electric motor-driven compressors can power compressor stations in some instances, this is not feasible for the Project due to the lack of sufficient electricity required for each compressor station site.

To use electric driven compressor units, electric power at high voltage would need to be supplied by overhead transmission lines to a substation that would be located at each compressor station site. The compressor stations are not located near existing high voltage electric transmission lines. The substation would step down the voltage for electric driven compressor motors and other miscellaneous loads. Additionally, electric driven motors located at each compressor station could require a liquid cooled variable frequency drive, primarily to start the motor and then for speed control of the compressor. For these reasons, the use of electric driven compressor units is not a reasonable alternative for the proposed Project compressor stations.

10.7.3 Meter Station Alternatives

The proposed Lambert Interconnect, LN 3600 Interconnect, T-15 Dan River Interconnect, and T-21 Haw River Interconnect locations reflect customer and system requirements. There are no alternatives that would satisfy all of these requirements; therefore, no alternatives were considered.

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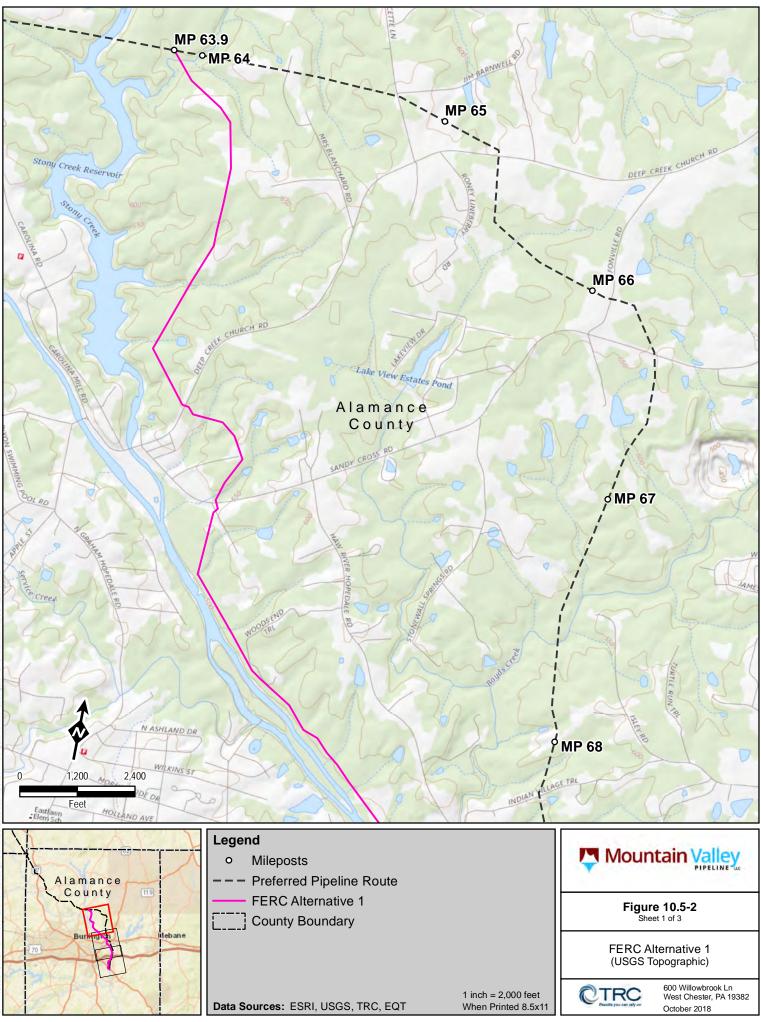
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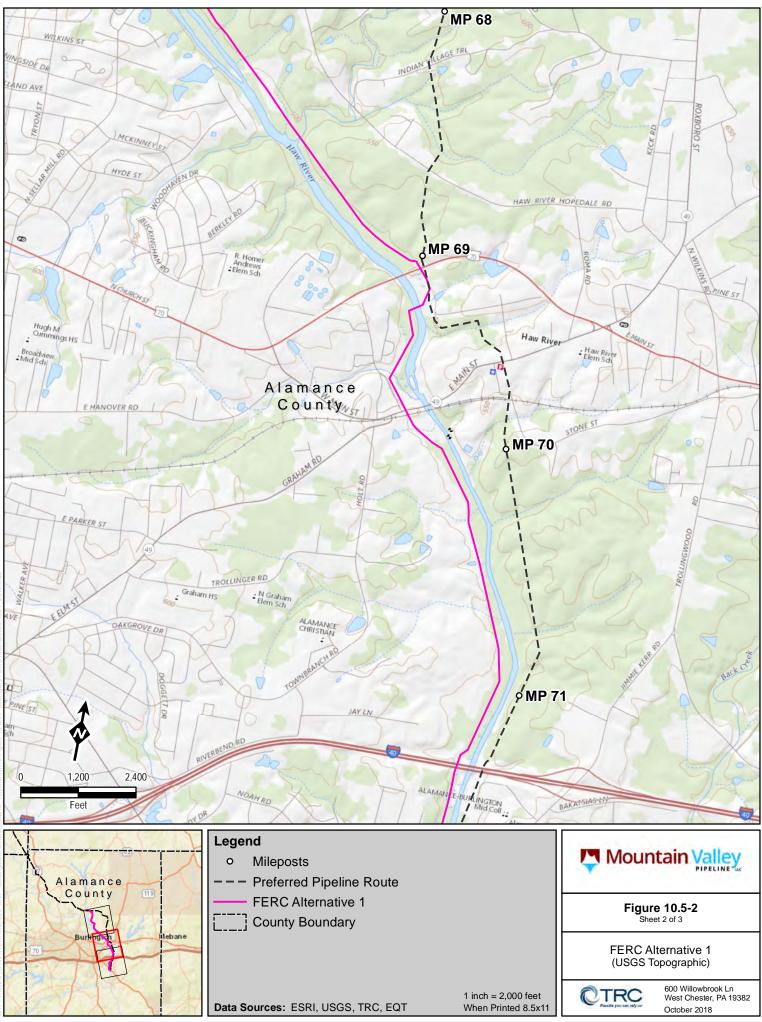
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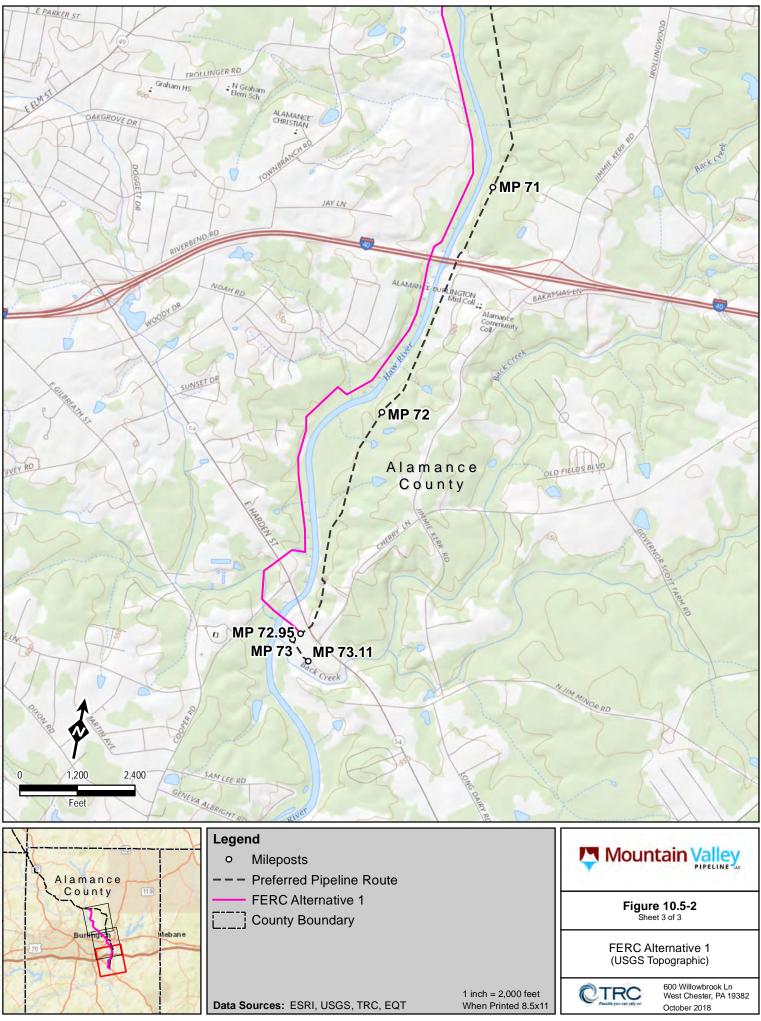
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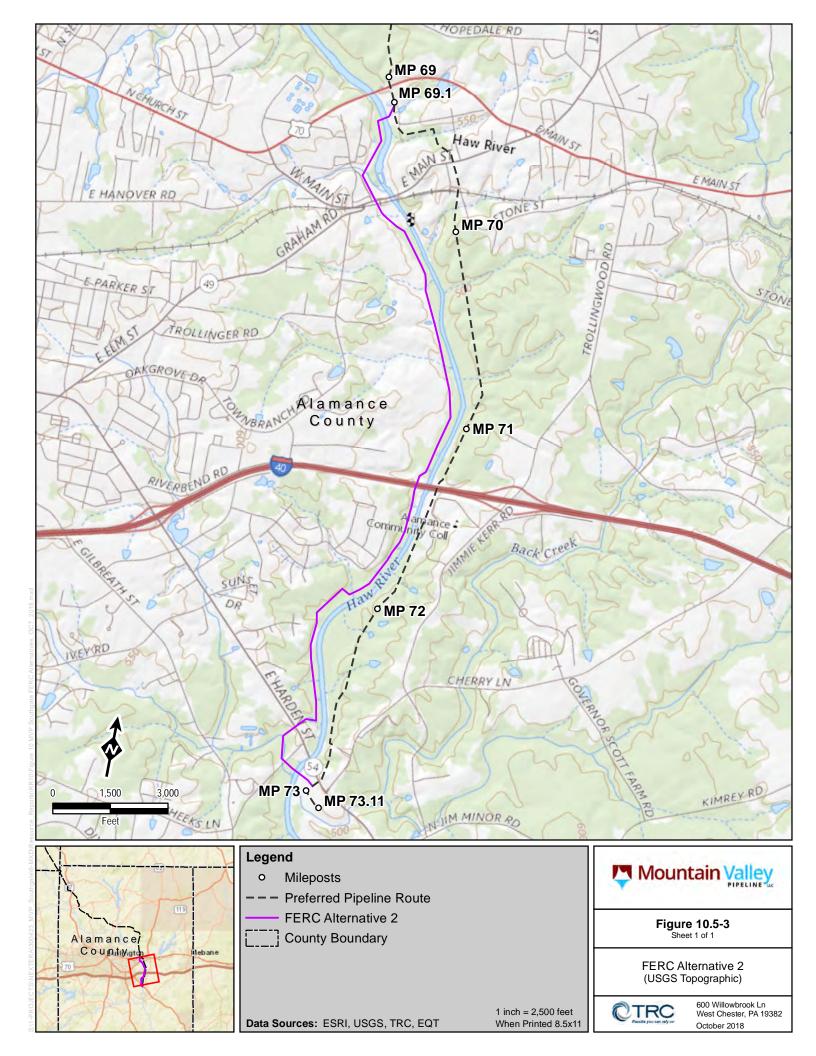
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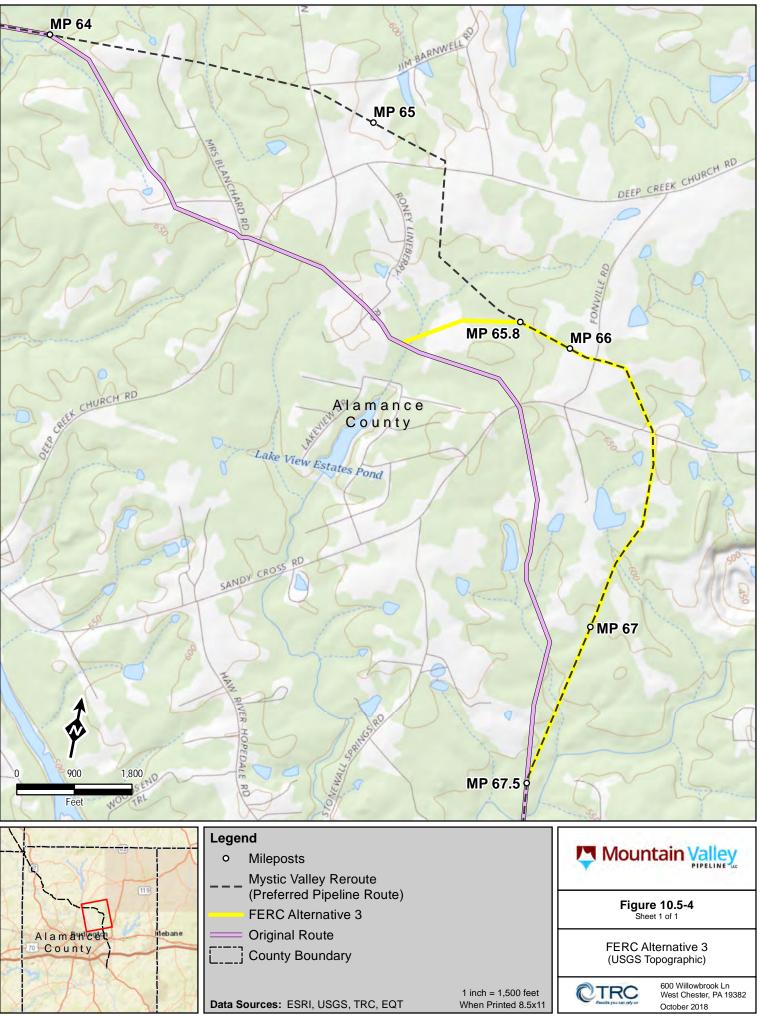
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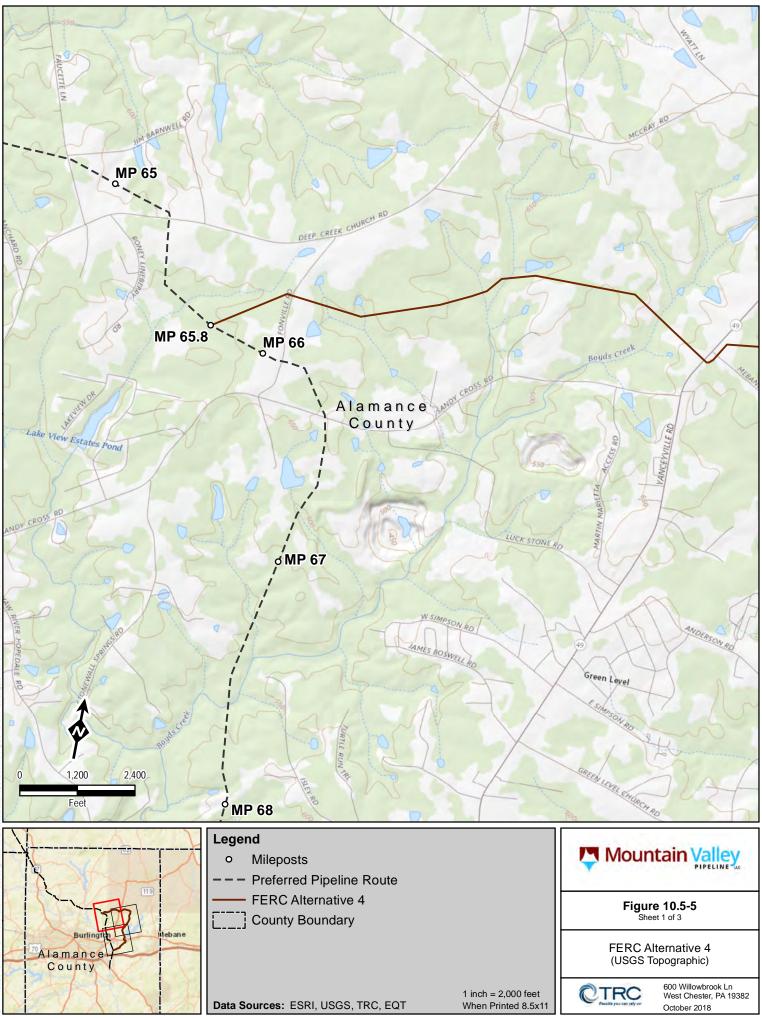


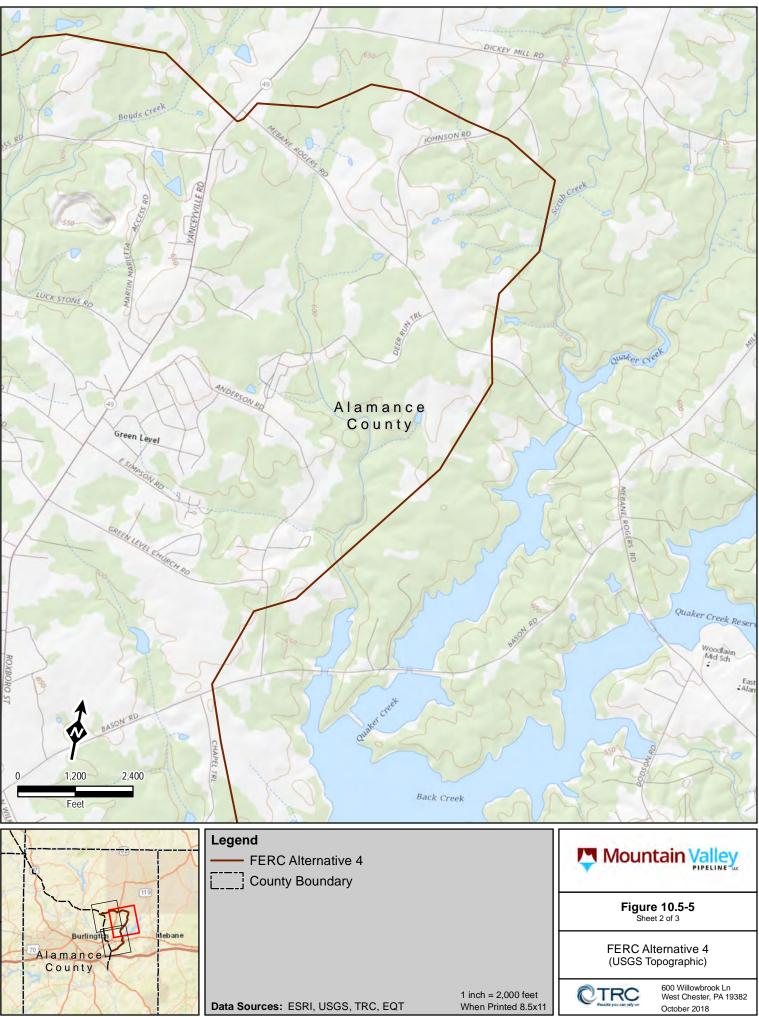


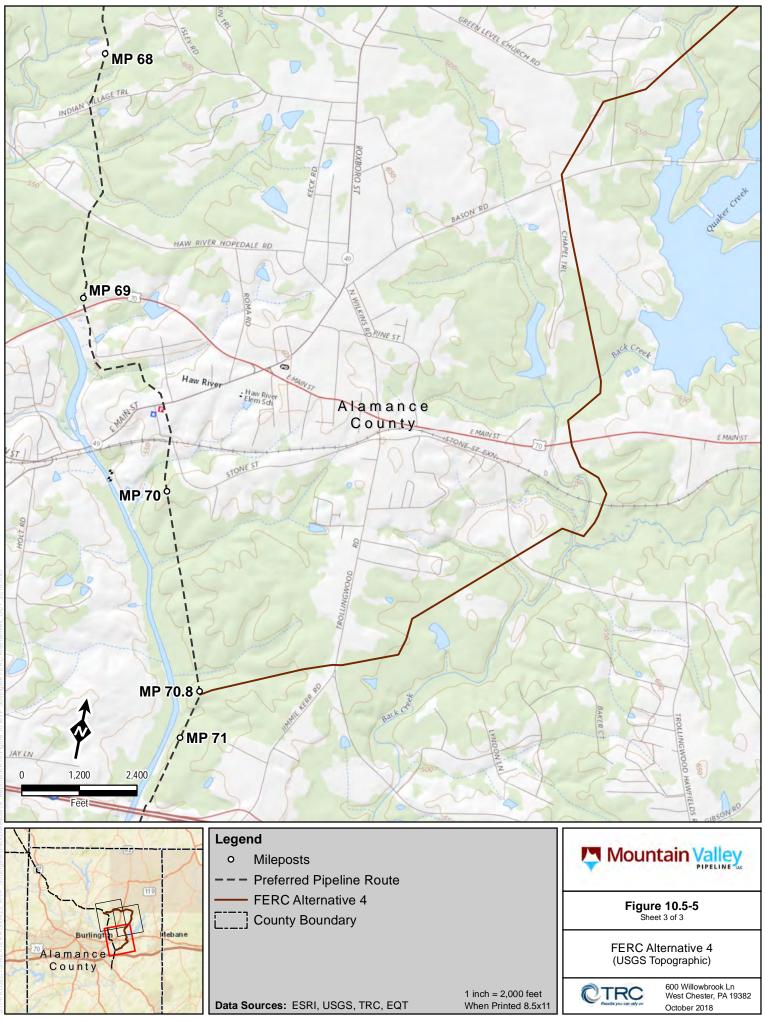


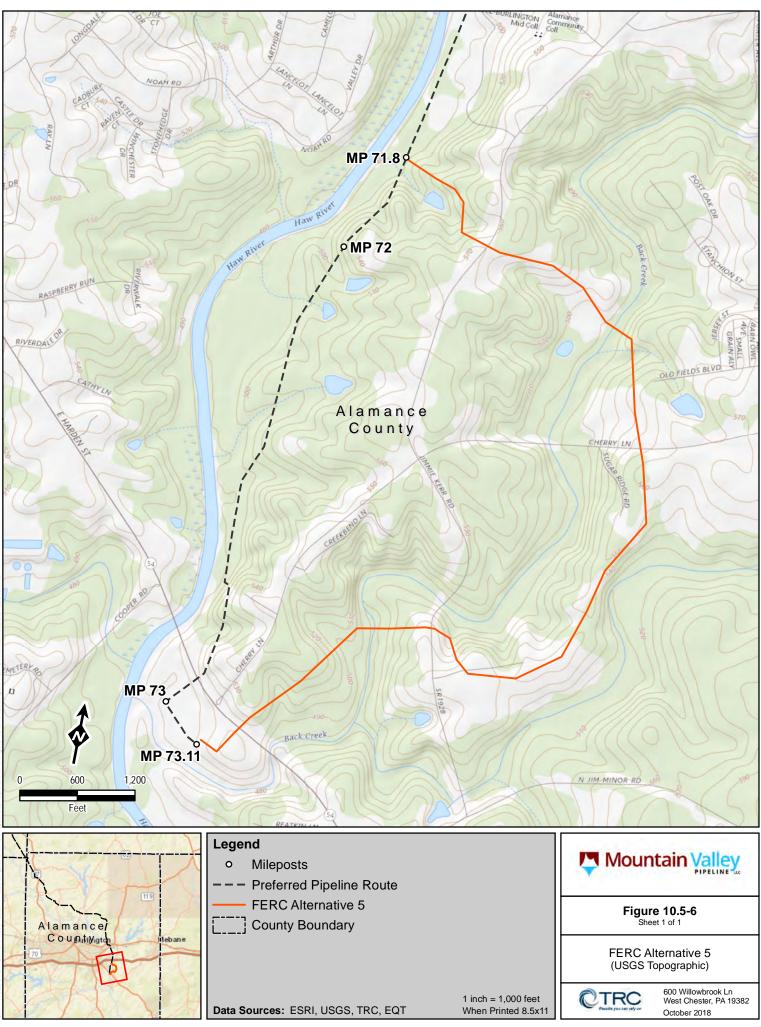


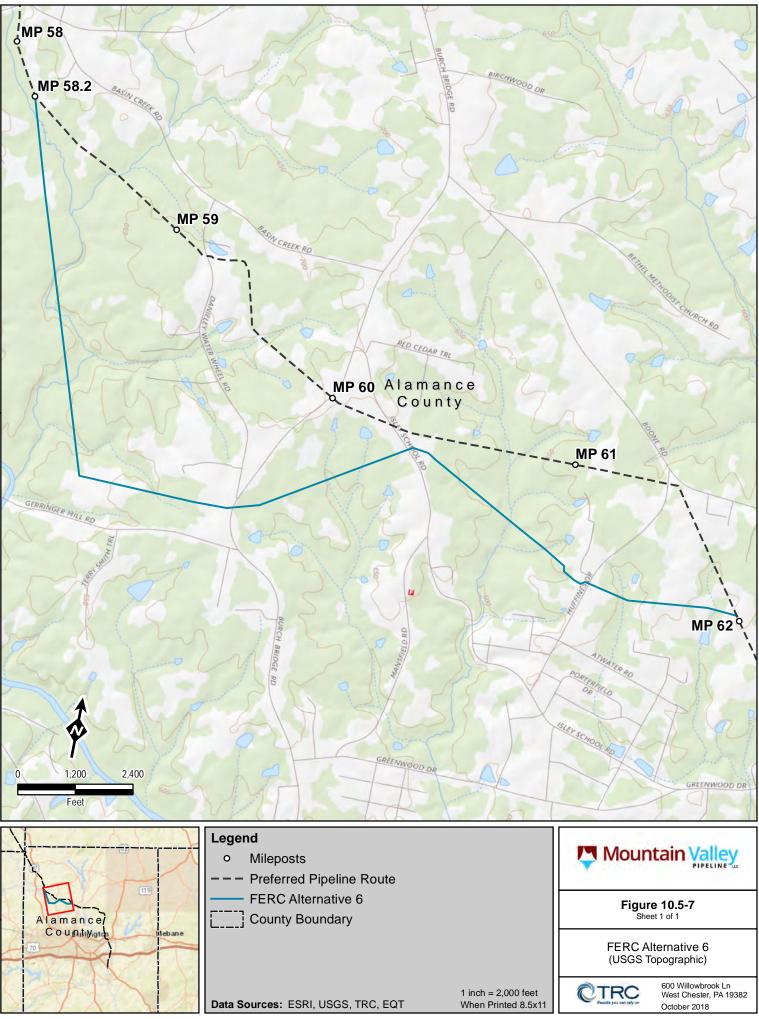


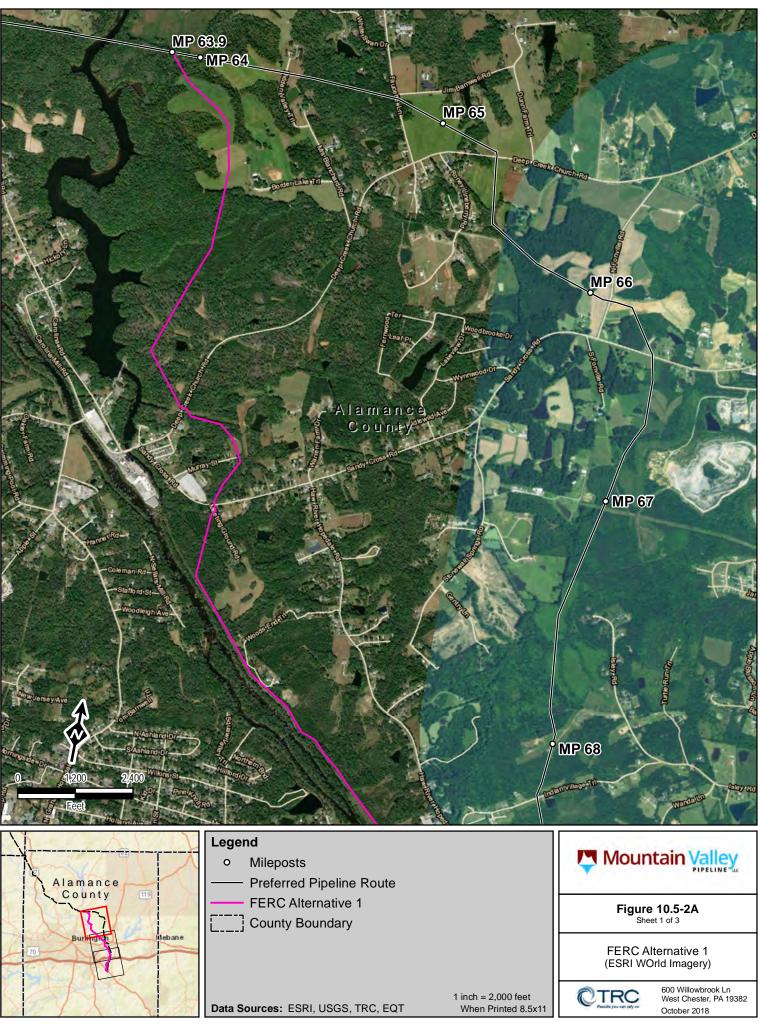


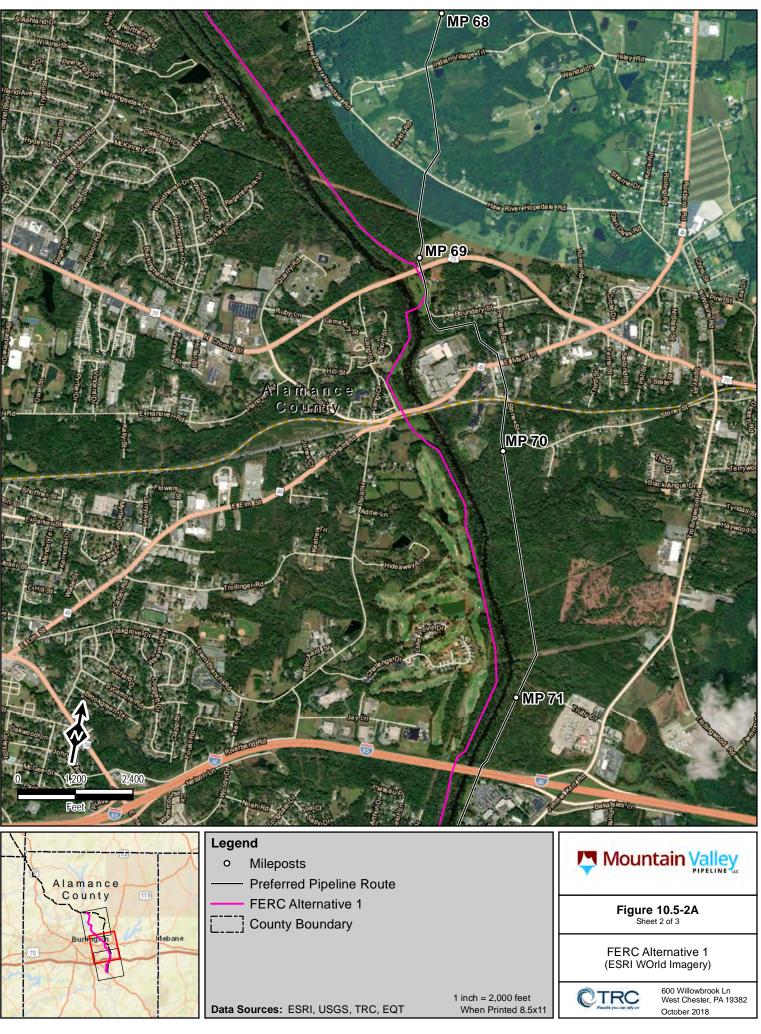


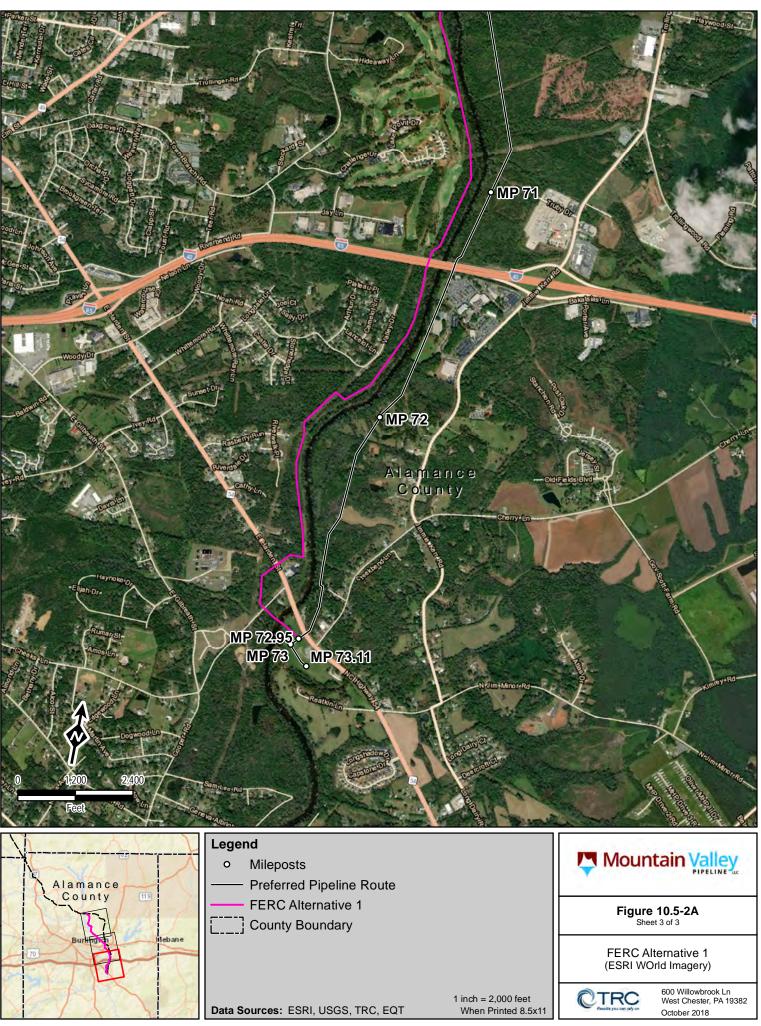


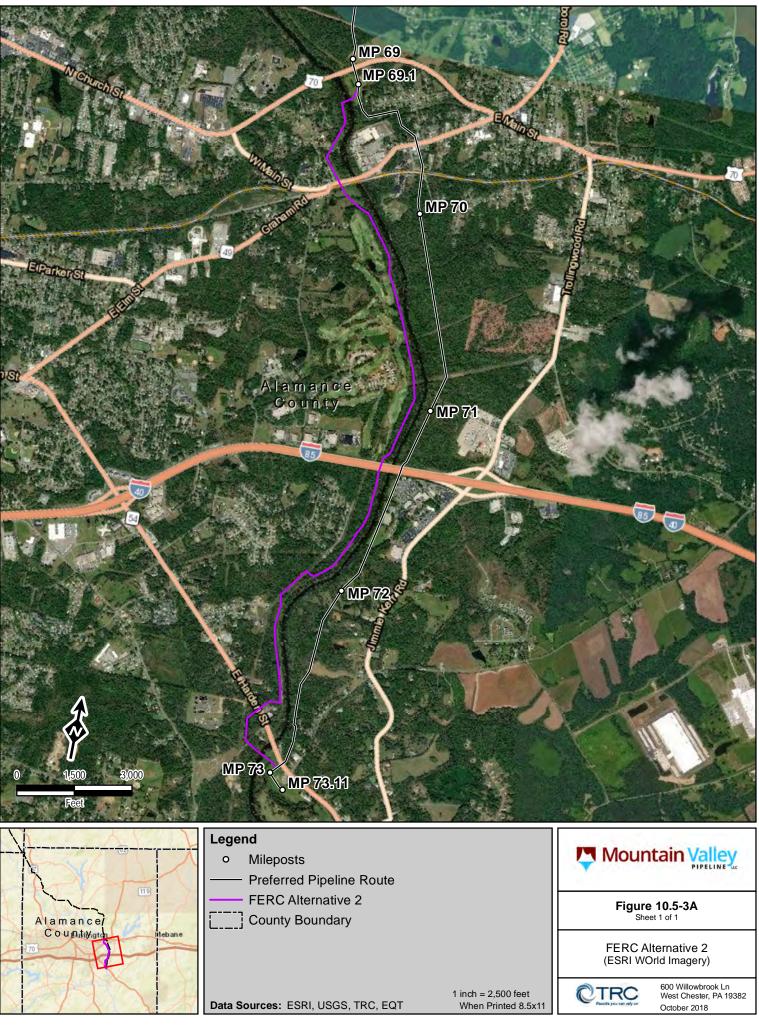


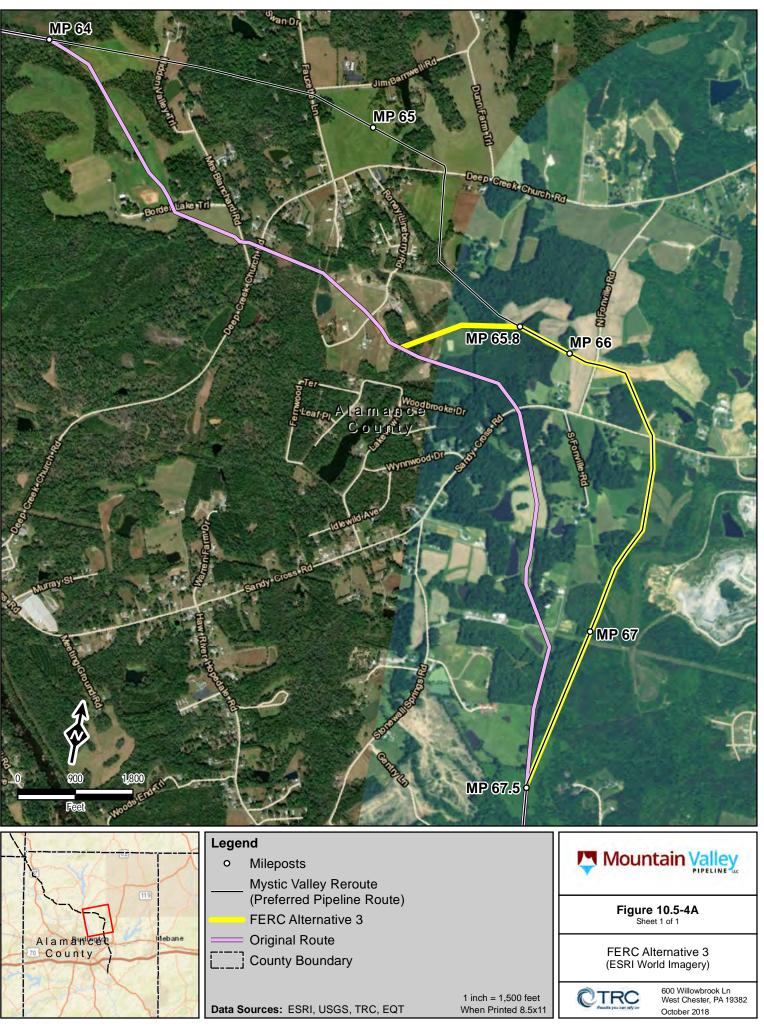


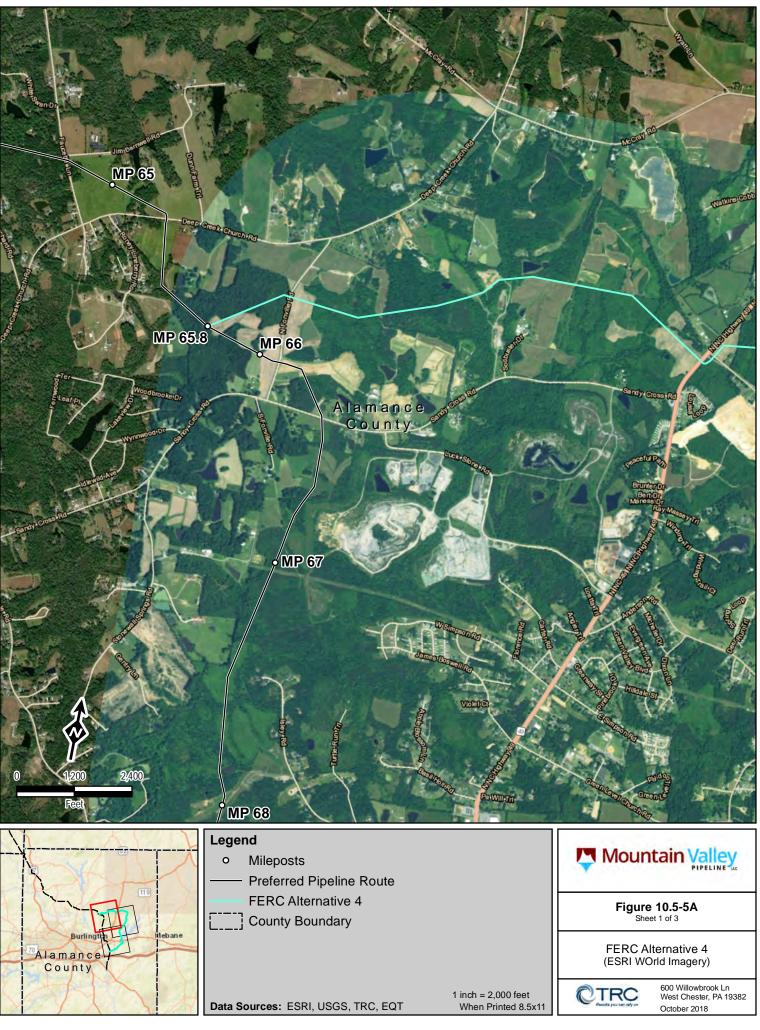


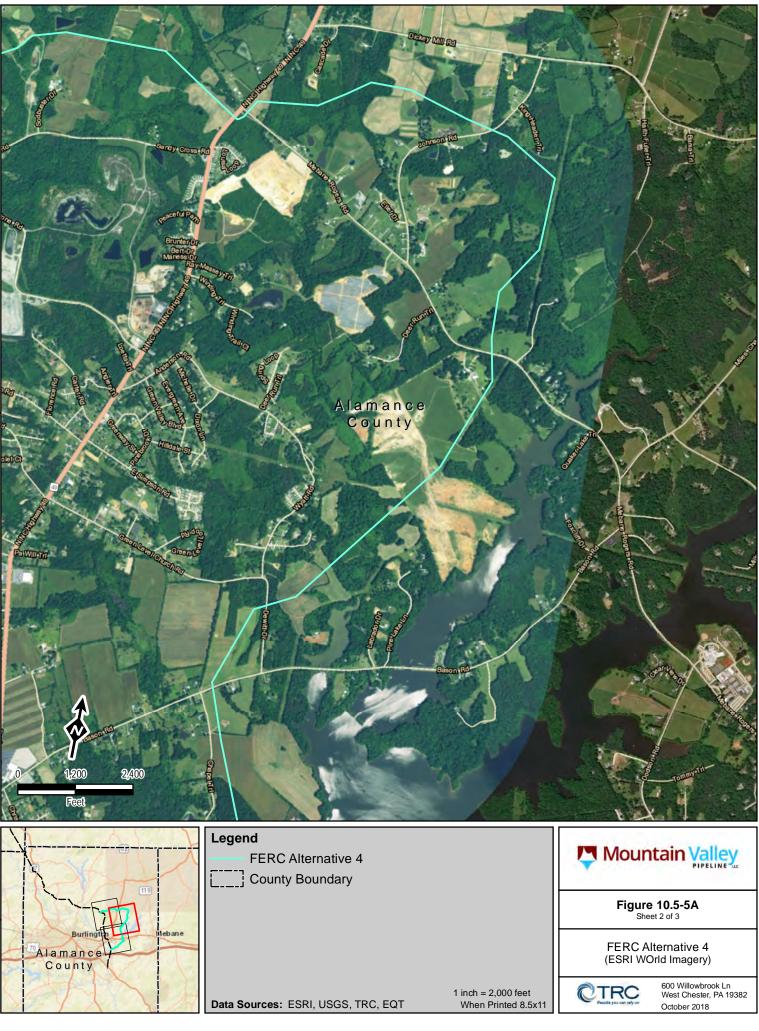


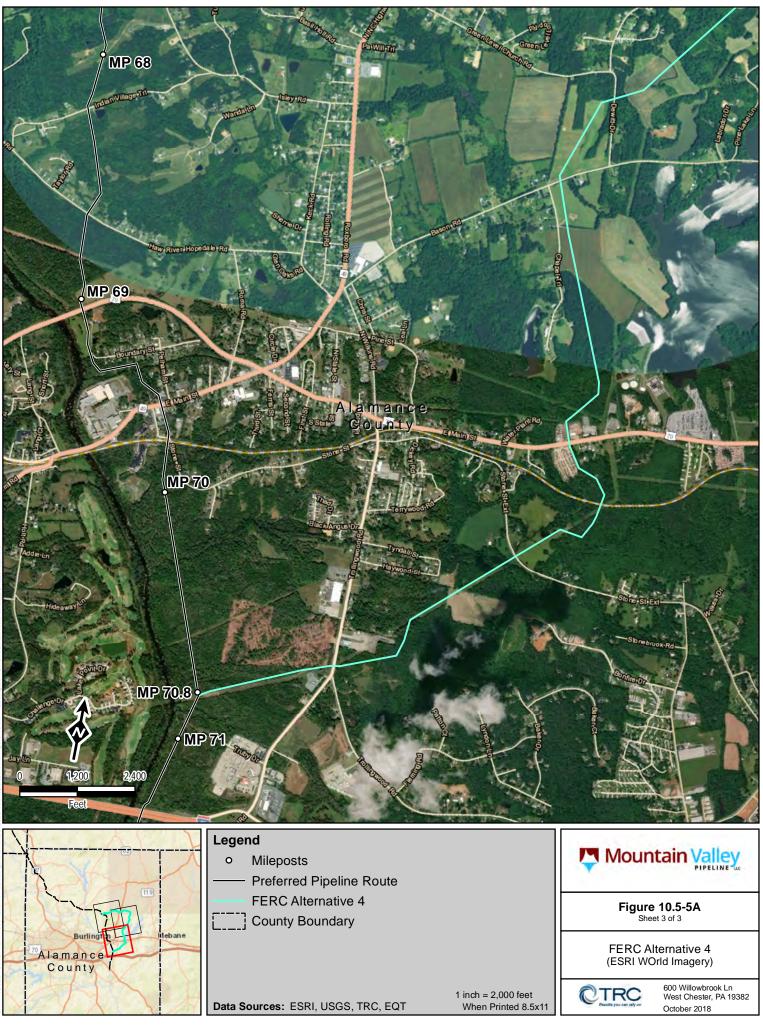


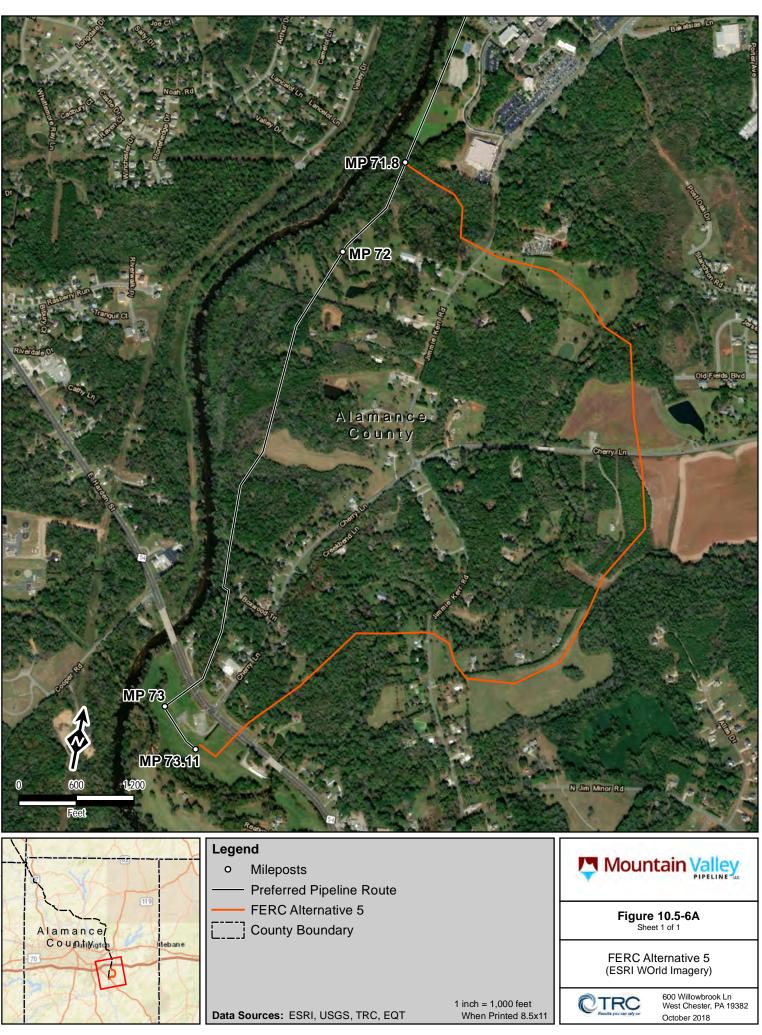


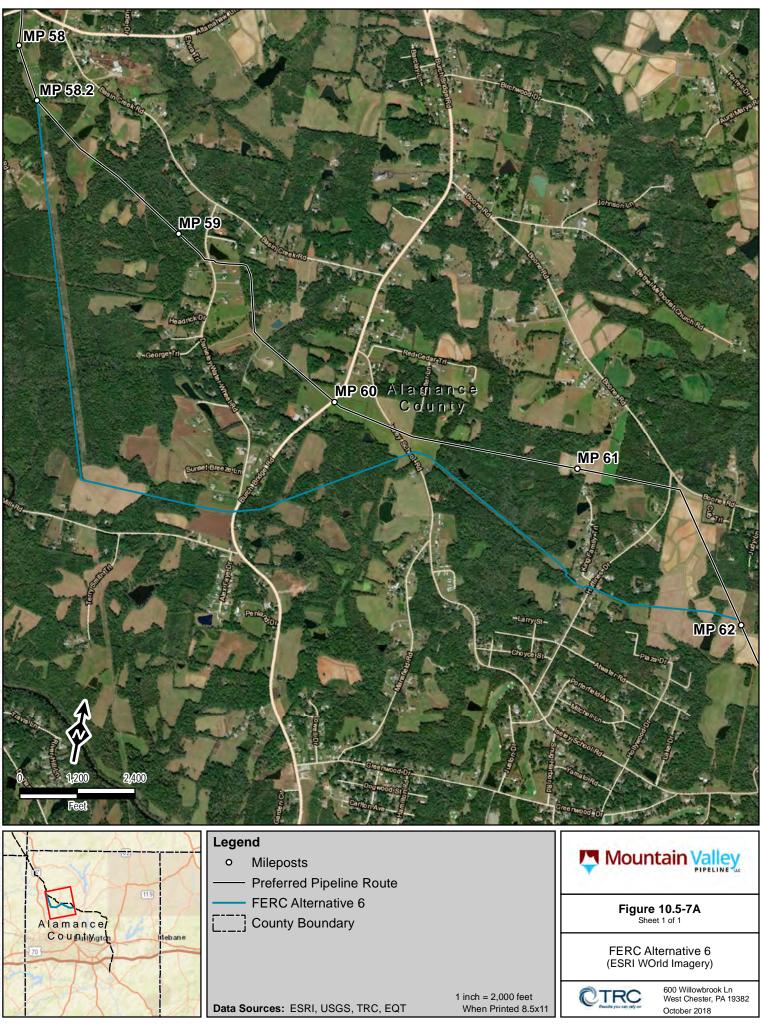














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Appendix 10-B

Route Variations Incorporated into the MVP Southgate Project Pipeline



| TABLE 10.6-4 | | | | | | | | |
|---|-----------------|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---|---|--|--|
| Route Variations Incorporated into the MVP Southgate Project Pipeline | | | | | | | | |
| Tract ID | Reroute No. | Approx. Begin MP | Approx. End MP | Length (miles) | Variation Description | Justification | | |
| VA-PI-001.000 VA-PI-002.000 | MVP-RA-228-1624 | 0 | 0 | 0.00 | H-605 Lambert Compressor Station Suction Line | H-605 Lambert Compressor Station Suction Line | | |
| VA-PI-002.000 | MVP-RA-228-1627 | 0 | 0 | 0.00 | Lambert Compressor Station Discharge Line | Lambert Compressor Station Discharge Line | | |
| VA-PI-008.000 VA-PI-009.000 | MVP-RA-143-1526 | 1 | 1.25 | 0.25 | Adjusted centerline ("CL") to be next to existing right-of-way ("ROW") | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | | |
| VA-PI-012.000 | MVP-RR-257-1422 | 2.25 | 2.25 | 0.00 | Adjusted the access road TA-PI-005 to end at a additional temporary workspace ("ATWS") that is outside of a wetland | Adjusted the access road TA-PI-005 to end at a ATWS that is outside of a wetland | | |
| VA-PI-014.000 | MVP-RA-143-1527 | 2.35 | 2.7 | 0.35 | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | | |
| VA-PI-022.000 VA-PI-023.000 | MVP-RR-257-1425 | 3.4 | 3.4 | 0.00 | Extended access road TA-PI-006 to a public road | Extended access road TA-PI-006 to a public road | | |
| VA-PI-022.000 VA-PI-023.000 | MVP-RR-228-1312 | 3.55 | 3.55 | 0.00 | Contoured this work box to fit stream/wetland angles | Adjusted the ATWS to contour to stream/wetland | | |
| VA-PI-029.000 VA-PI-030.000 VA-PI-031.000 VA-PI-032.000 | MVP-RA-143-1528 | 4.25 | 4.4 | 0.15 | Removed Point of Intersections ("PI's") | The removal of the PI's makes it better for a horizontal directional drill ("HDD") or a conventional bore | | |
| VA-PI-032.000 | MVP-RA-143-1529 | 4.6 | 4.9 | 0.30 | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | | |
| VA-PI-034.000 | MVP-RA-143-1530 | 5 | 5.1 | 0.10 | Minimized creek crossing and adjust PI away from creek crossing | Minimized creek crossing and adjust PI away from creek crossing | | |
| VA-PI-034.000 VA-PI-034.000.RR VA-PI-035.000 | MVP-RA-183-0855 | 5 | 5.3 | 0.30 | Adjusted CL to avoid being in stream for approximately 600 feet. | Adjusted CL to avoid being in stream for approximately 600 feet. | | |
| VA-PI-034.000 | MVP-RA-221-1831 | 5 | 5 | 0.00 | Trimmed ATWS to 30' x 100' to avoid sensitive resource area | Trimmed ATWS to 30' x 100' to avoid sensitive resource area as much as possible | | |
| VA-PI-034.000 | MVP-RA-221-1835 | 5 | 5 | 0.00 | Removed. Reduce / avoid impact on sensitive resource area | Access road not needed | | |
| VA-PI-034.000 VA-PI-034.100.AR | MVP-RA-253-1423 | 5.1 | 5.1 | 0.00 | Modified access road layout | Adjusted access road to follow the existing road | | |
| VA-PI-035.000 | MVP-RA-218-1715 | 5.3 | 5.3 | 0.00 | Access road removed | Access road not needed | | |



| TABLE 10.6-4 | | | | | | | | |
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| Route Variations Incorporated into the MVP Southgate Project Pipeline | | | | | | | | |
| Tract ID | Reroute No. | Approx. Begin MP | Approx. End MP | Length (miles) | Variation Description | Justification | | |
| VA-PI-035.000 VA-PI-036.000 | MVP-RA-253-1606 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 0.00 | Removed TA-PI-044 | Access road not needed | | |
| VA-PI-035.100.AR VA-PI-036.000 VA-PI-037.000 | MVP-RR-270-1240 | 5.9 | 5.9 | 0.00 | Extend access road to a public road | Extend access road to a public road | | |
| VA-PI-037.000 | MVP-RA-153-1208 | 6.3 | 6.5 | 0.20 | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | | |
| VA-PI-041.000 | MVP-RA-153-1215 | 7.2 | 7.3 | 0.10 | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | | |
| VA-PI-041.000 VA-PI-042.000 VA-PI-044.000 | MVP-RA-228-1315 | 7.2 | 7.5 | 0.30 | Straighten out and follow existing pipelines | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | | |
| VA-PI-043.000 | MVP-RA-218-1732 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 0.00 | Removed TA-PI-020 | Access road not needed | | |
| VA-PI-053.000 | MVP-RR-183-0902 | 9.6 | 9.6 | 0.00 | Adjusted access road to avoid cemetery | Adjust access road to avoid cemetery | | |
| VA-PI-053.000 | MVP-RA-254-1528 | 9.6 | 9.6 | 0.00 | Modified access road layout | Adjusted access road to follow the existing road | | |
| VA-PI-053.000 | MVP-RR-183-0859 | 9.65 | 10 | 0.35 | Adjusted centerline to avoid large cemetery | Adjusted CL to avoid large cemetery | | |
| VA-PI-075.000 VA-PI-075.001.ASC VA-PI-076.000 | MVP-RR-221-1024 | 11 | 11.5 | 0.50 | Alternate route to avoid sensitive resource area | Adjusted the route to avoid potential sensitive resource area | | |
| VA-PI-077.000 | MVP-RR-255-1641 | 11.65 | 11.9 | 0.25 | Adjusted centerline to avoid cemetery | Adjusted CL to avoid cemetery | | |
| VA-PI-079.000 | MVP-RA-218-2017 | 12.2 | 12.2 | 0.00 | Removed access road | Access road not needed | | |
| VA-PI-082.000 | MVP-RA-219-1725 | 12.4 | 12.4 | 0.00 | Reduced ATWS to property lines to avoid cemetery | Reduced ATWS to property lines to avoid cemetery | | |
| VA-PI-082.000 | MVP-RA-219-1839 | 12.6 | 12.6 | 0.00 | Removed access road | Access road not needed | | |
| VA-PI-082.000 | MVP-RA-219-1846 | 12.65 | 12.65 | 0.00 | Removed access road | Access road not needed | | |
| VA-PI-084.000 | MVP-RA-153-1249 | 12.8 | 13.1 | 0.30 | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | | |



| TABLE 10.6-4 | | | | | | | |
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| Route Variations Incorporated into the MVP Southgate Project Pipeline | | | | | | | |
| Tract ID | Reroute No. | Approx. Begin MP | Approx. End MP | Length (miles) | Variation Description | Justification | |
| VA-PI-092.200.AR | MVP-RR-219-0800 | 14.15 | 14.15 | 0.00 | The landowner requested that the access road not to go past their house and barn but from the gates at the road along the property line | Adjusted the access road at the land owners request | |
| VA-PI-092.200.AR | MVP-RA-254-1542 | 14.15 | 14.15 | 0.00 | Removed section of access road | Adjusted access road to not go near land owners house | |
| VA-PI-094.000 | MVP-RA-153-1254 | 14.2 | 14.4 | 0.20 | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | |
| VA-PI-094.000 VA-PI-095.000 VA-PI-096.000 | MVP-RA-153-1257 | 14.7 | 14.85 | 0.15 | Adjusted CL to reduce the number of PIs. | Adjusted CL to reduce the number of PIs. | |
| VA-PI-096.000, VA-PI- 099.000 | MVP-RA-218-2043 | 14.8 | 15.2 | 0.40 | Adjusted to route to the west based on the property evidence gathered and run the line north to a point of intersection with original route. Avoid VA-PI-097.000.ABU. | Adjusted to route to the west, run the line north to a point of intersection with original route. Avoid VA-PI-097.000.ABU. | |
| VA-PI-100.000 VA-PI-099.000 VA-PI-101.000 | MVP-RA-153-1303 | 15.2 | 15.45 | 0.25 | Adjusted CL to reduce the number of PIs in this location. | Adjusted CL to reduce the number of PIs in this location. | |
| VA-PI-099.000 | MVP-RR-218-2047 | 15.2 | 15.2 | 0.00 | Landowner does not want the access road going by his house. | Adjusted access road to not go near land owners house | |
| VA-PI-099.000 VA-PI-099.100.AR | MVP-RA-253-1127 | 15.4 | 15.4 | 0.00 | Remove section of TA-PI-037 | Adjusted the route of the access road to not go past the land owners house | |
| VA-PI-102.000.ABU VA-PI-103.000 | MVP-RA-179-1227 | 15.7 | 15.85 | 0.15 | Adjusted CL to be next to existing pipeline ROW. According to the LDAR info the slope is ~14.9% (8.2 deg) | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | |
| VA-PI-103.000 VA-PI-104.000.ABU VA-PI-106.000 | MVP-RA-199-1127 | 15.9 | 16.05 | 0.15 | Avoided sensitive resource area. | Adjusted route to avoid sensitive resource area | |
| VA-PI-106.000 | MVP-RA-253-1124 | 16.1 | 16.1 | 0.00 | Removed TA-PI-040 | Access road not needed | |



| TABLE 10.6-4 | | | | | | | | |
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| Tract ID | Reroute No. | Approx. Begin MP | Approx. End MP | Length (miles) | Variation Description | Justification | | |
| VA-PI-115.000 VA-PI-118.000 | MVP-RA-219-1808 | 16.8 | 17.2 | 0.40 | At 16.9, propose to cross the creek at a more perpendicular angle. | Adjusted the route to reduce the amount of environmental impact | | |
| VA-PI-118.000 | MVP-RA-253-1035 | 17.4 | 17.4 | 0.00 | Removed TA-PI-044 | Access road not needed | | |
| VA-PI-120.000 VA-PI-121.000 VA-PI-122.000.ABU VA-PI-123.000 VA-PI-124.000 | MVP-RA-163-1213 | 18 | 18.4 | 0.40 | Adjusted CL to be next to the existing pipeline ROW. There is an old farm house and barn next to the existing pipeline ROW, potential karst area. | Adjusted CL to be next to the existing pipeline ROW. There is an old farm house and barn next to the existing pipeline ROW, potential karst area. | | |
| VA-PI-121.000 | MVP-RA-197-1303 | 18 | 18 | 0.00 | Adjusted CL of access road TA-PI-046 to avoid sensitive resource area | Adjusted CL of access road TA-PI-046 to avoid sensitive resource area | | |
| VA-PI-121.000 VA-PI-122.000.ABU VA-PI-123.000 VA-PI-124.000 | MVP-RA-239-1745 | 18.2 | 18.35 | 0.15 | Adjusted CL to avoid A frame electric poles | Adjusted CL to avoid A frame electric poles | | |
| VA-PI-124.000 | MVP-RA-239-1750 | 18.3 | 18.3 | 0.00 | MLV3 | MLV3 | | |
| VA-PI-150.000 | MVP-RA-228-1319 | 19.8 | 19.9 | 0.10 | Crossed the existing lines square | Crossed the existing lines square | | |
| VA-PI-150.000 VA-PI-151.000 VA-PI-152.000 VA-PI-155.000 VA-PI-156.000 | MVP-RA-153-1458 | 19.9 | 20.3 | 0.40 | This will reduce the number of Pi's needed and this route will miss the structure. | This will reduce the number of Pi's needed and this route will miss the structure. | | |



| TABLE 10.6-4 Route Variations Incorporated into the MVP Southgate Project Pipeline | | | | | | | | | | |
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| VA-PI-150.000 VA-PI-151.000 VA-PI-152.000 VA-PI-153.000.ABU VA-PI-154.000.ABU VA-PI-160.000 | MVP-RR-218-2110 | 19.9 | 20.4 | 0.50 | Preferred by the landowner. He had no issues with us co-locating but stressed that he did not want us to go through the center of his pasture. There is ~75' between the Williams line and the garage on tract VA-PI-153.000.ABU | Adjusted the route at the land owners request | | | | |
| VA-PI-160.000 | MVP-RR-257-1433 | 20.45 | 20.45 | 0.00 | Adjusted access road TA-PI-052 to avoid sensitive resource area | Adjusted access road to avoid sensitive resource area | | | | |
| VA-PI-160.000 VA-PI-161.000 VA-PI-162.000 VA-PI-163.000 | MVP-RA-155-1441 | 20.5 | 21.2 | 0.70 | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | | | | |
| VA-PI-164.100.AR VA-PI-164.000.ABU | MVP-RA-218-1737 | 21.2 | 21.2 | 0.00 | Removed TA-PI-054 | Access road not needed | | | | |
| VA-PI-163.000 VA-PI-165.000 | MVP-RA-155-1446 | 21.35 | 21.65 | 0.30 | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | | | | |
| VA-PI-171.000 VA-PI-172.000 VA-PI-173.000 | MVP-RA-155-1449 | 22.15 | 22.75 | 0.60 | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | | | | |
| VA-PI-173.000 | MVP-RA-249-1429 | 22.35 | 22.35 | 0.00 | Removed ATWS 1172 | ATWS not needed | | | | |
| VA-PI-173.000 | MVP-RA-249-1444 | 22.35 | 22.35 | 0.00 | Removed TA-PI-056 | Access road not needed | | | | |
| VA-PI-173.000 | MVP-RA-249-1437 | 22.45 | 22.45 | 0.00 | ATWS 1174 Removed | ATWS not needed | | | | |
| VA-PI-173.000 | MVP-RA-249-1447 | 22.45 | 22.45 | 0.00 | TA-PI-057 Removed | Access road not needed | | | | |
| VA-PI-166.100.AR VA-PI-166.200.AR | MVP-RA-249-1450 | 22.6 | 22.6 | 0.00 | TA-PI-058 Removed | Access road not needed | | | | |



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| Tract ID | Reroute No. | Approx. Begin MP | Approx. End MP | Length (miles) | Variation Description | Justification | | | |
| VA-PI-173.000 VA-PI-173.100.AR | | | | | | | | | |
| VA-PI-173.000 | MVP-RA-249-1454 | 22.7 | 22.7 | 0.00 | TA-PI-060 Removed | Access road not needed | | | |
| VA-PI-174.000 VA-PI-175.000 | MVP-RA-177-1447 | 23.1 | 23.7 | 0.60 | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | | | |
| VA-PI-178.000 | MVP-RA-177-1449 | 24.4 | 24.7 | 0.30 | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | | | |
| NC-RO-002.000 | MVP-RA-157-1313 | 26.25 | 26.45 | 0.20 | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | Adjusted CL to be next to existing ROW | | | |
| NC-RO-005.000 NC-RO-006.000 | MVP-RR-269-1541 | 27 | 28.3 | 1.30 | Adjusted CL to avoid sensitive resource area and for LN3600 | Adjusted CL to avoid sensitive resource area and for LN3600 | | | |
| NC-RO-005.000 NC-RO-006.000 | MVP-RR-270-1244 | 27.4 | 27.4 | 0.00 | Added access road | Added access road | | | |
| NC-RO-006.000 NC-RO-006.001.CS2 | MVP-RR-257-1435 | 28.1 | 28.1 | 0.00 | Extended access road PA-RO-000 to public road | Extended access road PA-RO-000 to public road | | | |
| NC-RO-006.000 | MVP-RA-153-1309 | 28.3 | 28.3 | 0.00 | Moved the ATWS to stay out of large wetland | The previous location of this ATWS was in a large wetland. This location had no wetlands | | | |
| NC-RO-007.000 | MVP-RA-159-1655 | 29.3 | 29.65 | 0.35 | There is side hill construction in this area, adjust CL to be on top of the hill | There is side hill construction in this area, adjust CL to be on top of the hill | | | |
| NC-RO-011.000 NC-RO-012.000.WBC NC-RO-013.000 NC-RO-014.000 NC-RO-015.000 NC-RO-016.000 NC-RO-018.000.ABU NC-RO-019.000 | MVP-RR-269-1549 | 29.9 | 30.55 | 0.65 | Adjusted CL for HDD profile and T15 location | Adjusted CL for HDD profile and T15 location | | | |



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| Tract ID | Reroute No. | Approx. Begin MP | Approx. End MP | Length (miles) | Variation Description | Justification | | | |
| NC-RO-011.000 | MVP-RR-270-1247 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 0.00 | Added ATWS for equipment and mats | Added ATWS for equipment and mats | | | |
| NC-RO-011.000 | MVP-RR-270-1248 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 0.00 | Added ATWS for HDD area | Added ATWS for HDD area | | | |
| NC-RO-011.000 | MVP-RR-270-1250 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 0.00 | Added ATWS for truck turning | Added ATWS for truck turning | | | |
| NC-RO-011.000 | MVP-RR-270-1251 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 0.00 | Adjusted where the access road route | Adjusted where the access road route to HDD location | | | |
| NC-RO-014.000 | MVP-RR-228-1322 | 30.3 | 30.3 | 0.00 | ATWS for Hydro test | ATWS for Hydro test | | | |
| NC-RO-022.000 NC-RO-025.000 | MVP-RR-257-1438 | 30.75 | 31.15 | 0.40 | Adjusted route to avoid red tract and 2 large stream crossings | Adjusted route to avoid red tract and 2 large stream crossings | | | |
| NC-RO-025.000 NC-RO-027.000 NC-RO-029.000 | MVP-RA-159-1700 | 31.2 | 31.4 | 0.20 | Adjusted CL to reduce the amount of stream impact and to avoid side hill construction | Adjusted CL to reduce the amount of stream impact and to avoid side hill construction | | | |
| NC-RO-025.900.AR NC-RO-025.850.ABU NC-RO-025.800.ABU NC-RO-025.700.AR NC-RO-025.650.ABU NC-RO-025.600.AR NC-RO-025.00.AR NC-RO-025.400.AR NC-RO-025.300.AR NC-RO-025.200.AR NC-RO-025.100.AR NC-RO-025.100.ABU NC-RO-025.000 | MVP-RA-219-1902 | 31.2 | 31.2 | 0.00 | Removed access road TA-RO-083 | Access road not needed | | | |
| NC-RO-029.000 NC-RO-030.000 | MVP-RA-179-1146 | 31.4 | 31.6 | 0.20 | Adjusted CL to stay away from sensitive resource area and bring the PI closer to the top of the hill | Adjusedt CL to stay away from sensitive resource area and bring the PI closer to the top of the hill | | | |



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| Route Variations Incorporated into the MVP Southgate Project Pipeline | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tract ID | Reroute No. | Approx. Begin MP | Approx. End MP | Length (miles) | Variation Description | Justification | | | | |
| NC-RO-033.000 NC-RO-034.000 | MVP-RA-159-1706 | 31.6 | 31.9 | 0.30 | Adjusted CL to avoid side hill and multiple ravines | Adjusted CL to avoid side hill and multiple ravines | | | | |
| NC-RO-035.000 NC-RO-037.000 | MVP-RA-159-1717 | 32 | 32.15 | 0.15 | Adjusted CL to avoid side hill construction | Adjusted CL to avoid side hill construction | | | | |
| NC-RO-038.000 | MVP-RR-257-1441 | 32.35 | 32.55 | 0.20 | Adjusted route to co-locate with existing pipeline | Adjusted route to co-locate with existing pipeline | | | | |
| NC-RO-047.000 NC-RO-048.000 NC-RO-050.000 NC-RO-051.000 NC-RO-052.000 NC-RO-053.000 NC-RO-054.000 NC-RO-055.000 NC-RO-056.000 NC-RO-057.000 | MVP-RA-162-1521 | 34.2 | 35.35 | 1.15 | Adjusted CL to avoid side hill construction, baptism area around MP 34.6 and sensitive resource area around MP 34.9 | Adjusted CL to avoid side hill construction, baptism area around MP 34.6 and sensitive resource area around MP 34.9 | | | | |
| NC-RO-054.000 NC-RO-056.000 NC-RO-057.000 | MVP-RR-193-1030 | 34.95 | 35.35 | 0.40 | Adjusted CL to avoid multiple stream crossings and side hill construction | Adjusted CL to avoid multiple stream crossings and side hill construction | | | | |
| NC-RO-058.000 NC-RO-060.000 NC-RO-061.000 | MVP-RA-162-1535 | 35.9 | 36.35 | 0.45 | Adjusted CL to avoid side hill construction and to stay off "NO" tract | Adjusted CL to avoid side hill construction and to stay off "NO" tract | | | | |
| NC-RO-060.000 NC-RO-061.000 | MVP-RA-228-1520 | 36 | 36 | 0.00 | Removed ATWS 1304 because it is in a ravine. | ATWS not usable | | | | |
| NC-RO-060.000 | MVP-RA-242-1543 | 36 | 36 | 0.00 | Trimmed the work space out of the corner to stay off red tract | Trimmed the work space out of the corner to stay off red tract | | | | |
| NC-RO-077.000 NC-RO-081.000 NC-RO-080.000 | MVP-RR-242-1509 | 37.6 | 37.85 | 0.25 | Adjusted route to avoid red tract | Adjusted route to avoid red tract | | | | |



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| Tract ID | Reroute No. | Approx. Begin MP | Approx. End MP | Length (miles) | Variation Description | Justification | | | | |
| NC-RO-084.000 NC-RO-085.000 NC-RO-086.000 NC-RO-087.000 NC-RO-088.000 NC-RO-089.000 NC-RO-090.000 | MVP-RA-143-1533 | 38 | 38.8 | 0.80 | Avoided Side Hill Construction | Avoided Side Hill Construction | | | | |
| NC-RO-085.000 | MVP-RA-230-1251 | 38.1 | 38.1 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1328 to 240' x 90' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | | |
| NC-RO-091.000 | MVP-RA-230-1254 | 38.85 | 38.85 | 0.00 | Change ATWS 1337 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | | |
| NC-RO-091.000 NC-RO-092.000 NC-RO-094.000 | MVP-RA-162-1541 | 39 | 39.35 | 0.35 | Adjusted CL to avoid side hill construction | Adjusted CL to avoid side hill construction | | | | |
| NC-RO-092.000 NC-RO-094.000 NC-RO-095.000 | MVP-RR-193-1501 | 39.2 | 39.6 | 0.40 | Adjusted CL to bring the CL up the hill a little bit more and to get the WS out of the wetland/pond area | Adjusted CL to bring the CL up the hill a little bit more and to get the WS out of the wetland/pond area | | | | |
| NC-RO-100.000 NC-RO-101.000 | MVP-RA-163-1116 | 40 | 40.2 | 0.20 | Adjusted CL to stay away from washout ditch | Adjusted CL to stay away from washout ditch | | | | |
| NC-RO-101.000 | MVP-RA-230-1302 | 40.15 | 40.15 | 0.00 | Change ATWS 1350 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | | |
| NC-RO-101.000 | MVP-RA-230-1305 | 40.2 | 40.2 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1352 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | | |
| NC-RO-106.000 | MVP-RA-230-1308 | 40.5 | 40.5 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1355 to 90' Wide to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | | |
| NC-RO-108.000 | MVP-RA-230-1311 | 40.6 | 40.6 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1357 to 90' Wide to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | | |
| NC-RO-109.000 | MVP-RA-153-1317 | 40.7 | 40.9 | 0.20 | Adjusted CL to avoid side hill construction | Adjusted CL to avoid side hill construction | | | | |



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| NC-RO-111.000 | MVP-RR-270-1253 | 41.4 | 41.4 | 0.00 | Extended access road to public road | Extended access road to public road | | | |
| NC-RO-111.000 NC-RO-111.000.RC NC-RO-112.000 | MVP-RA-193-1511 | 41.45 | 41.8 | 0.35 | Adjusted CL to straighten out the route and reduce the number of PIs needed | Adjusted CL to straighten out the route and reduce the number of PIs needed | | | |
| NC-RO-111.000 NC-RO-112.000 | MVP-RR-249-1522 | 41.55 | 41.75 | 0.20 | Adjusted CL to be able to bore Hwy 29 | Adjusted CL to be able to bore Hwy 29 | | | |
| NC-RO-112.000 | MVP-RA-153-1320 | 41.6 | 41.8 | 0.20 | Straighten out this road crossing to follow the power lines. | Straighten out this road crossing to follow the power lines. | | | |
| NC-RO-111.000 NC-RO-112.000 | MVP-RR-249-1517 | 41.65 | 41.65 | 0.00 | ATWS for bore | ATWS for bore | | | |
| NC-RO-112.000 | MVP-RA-157-1325 | 41.9 | 42.2 | 0.30 | Adjusted CL to stay away from small cemetery. | Adjusted CL to stay away from small cemetery. | | | |
| NC-RO-112.200 NC-RO-112.300 NC-RO-112.400 NC-RO-117.000 | MVP-RR-162-1547 | 42.3 | 43 | 0.70 | Adjusted CL to avoid AT&T tower | Adjusted CL to avoid AT&T tower | | | |
| NC-RO-117.000 NC-RO-118.000.ABU NC-RO-122.000 | MVP-RR-177-1515 | 42.5 | 43.4 | 0.90 | Adjusted CL to stay away from large cemetery | Adjusted CL to stay away from large cemetery | | | |
| NC-RO-122.000 | MVP-RA-230-1313 | 43.4 | 43.4 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1391 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-RO-122.100 | MVP-RA-230-1315 | 43.45 | 43.45 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1392 to 75' x 260' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-RO-133.200 | MVP-RA-230-1317 | 43.8 | 43.8 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1396 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-RO-133.000 | MVP-RA-230-1320 | 44.1 | 44.1 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1403 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |



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| Tract ID | Reroute No. | Approx. Begin MP | Approx. End MP | Length (miles) | Variation Description | Justification | | | | |
| NC-RO-138.000 | MVP-RA-230-1322 | 44.8 | 44.8 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1408 to 60' x 220' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | | |
| NC-RO-140.000 NC-RO-142.000 | MVP-RA-153-1324 | 45.45 | 45.75 | 0.30 | CL adjustment to route around pasture. | CL adjustment to route around pasture. | | | | |
| NC-RO-148.505.AR NC-RO-148.510.AR | MVP-RR-254-1405 | 46.75 | 46.75 | 0.00 | Adjusted TA-RO-129 CL to MDS CL points of existing road and change the start of the access road off Frank Rd to follow existing gravel path | Adjusted access road to follow the existing road | | | | |
| NC-RO-149.000 | MVP-RA-230-1324 | 47.05 | 47.05 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1429 to 90' x 230' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | | |
| NC-RO-153.000 | MVP-RA-153-1329 | 47.3 | 47.5 | 0.20 | Straighten out to reduce the number of PIs | Straighten out to reduce the number of PIs | | | | |
| NC-RO-154.000 | MVP-RR-257-1443 | 47.3 | 47.3 | 0.00 | Extended access road TA-RO-130 to public road | Extended access road TA-RO-130 to public road | | | | |
| NC-RO-154.000 | MVP-RA-153-1333 | 47.6 | 47.7 | 0.10 | Straighten out to reduce the number of PIs | Straighten out to reduce the number of PIs | | | | |
| NC-RO-154.000 | MVP-RA-230-1327 | 47.6 | 47.6 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1437 to 90' Wide to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | | |
| NC-RO-156.000 | MVP-RA-153-1338 | 48 | 48.1 | 0.10 | Straighten out to reduce the number of PIs | Straighten out to reduce the number of PIs | | | | |
| NC-RO-156.000 | MVP-RA-193-1529 | 48 | 48.1 | 0.10 | Adjusted CL to keep CL on top of hill | Adjusted CL to keep CL on top of hill | | | | |
| NC-RO-162.000 | MVP-RA-230-1329 | 48.7 | 48.7 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1449 to 90' Wide to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | | |
| NC-RO-165.000 | MVP-RA-253-1620 | 49.2 | 49.2 | 0.00 | Adjusted TA-RO-135 CL to MDS CL points of existing road and round turns | Adjusted access road to follow the existing road | | | | |



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| Tract ID | Reroute No. | Approx. Begin MP | Approx. End MP | Length (miles) | Variation Description | Justification | | | |
| NC-RO-171.000 NC-RO-171.100.AR | MVP-RA-242-1439 | 49.8 | 49.8 | 0.00 | Removed access road TA-RO-138, runs through land owner's car port and past house. The access road is approx. 855' and the nearest road crossing is approx. 1330'. | Access road not needed | | | |
| NC-RO-170.000 NC-RO-171.100.AR | MVP-RR-257-1446 | 49.8 | 49.8 | 0.00 | Adjusted access road TA-RO-138 to avoid going under car port | Adjusted access road TA-RO-138 to avoid going under car port | | | |
| NC-RO-181.000 | MVP-RA-253-1624 | 51.4 | 51.4 | 0.00 | Adjusted TA-RO-140 CL to MDS CL points of existing road and round turns | Adjusted access road to follow the existing road | | | |
| NC-RO-181.000 | MVP-RA-253-1626 | 51.6 | 51.6 | 0.00 | Adjusted TA-RO-141 CL to MDS CL points of existing road and round turns | Adjusted access road to follow the existing road | | | |
| NC-RO-183.000 | MVP-RA-253-1628 | 51.7 | 51.7 | 0.00 | Adjusted TA-RO-142 CL to MDS CL points of existing road and round turns | Adjusted access road to follow the existing road | | | |
| NC-RO-186.000 | MVP-RA-230-1331 | 52.55 | 52.55 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1477 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-RO-186.000 | MVP-RA-230-1333 | 52.6 | 52.6 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1478 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-000.005 | MVP-RA-230-1335 | 52.6 | 52.6 | 0.00 | Change ATWS 1479 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-RO-186.000 | MVP-RR-257-1448 | 52.6 | 52.6 | 0.00 | Changed access road TA-TO-146 to go from public road to TWS | Changed access road TA-TO-146 to go from public road to TWS | | | |
| NC-AL-000.065 | MVP-RA-250-1321 | 53.5 | 53.5 | 0.00 | Trimmed this section of TA-AL-152 | Trimmed this section of TA-AL-152 | | | |
| NC-AL-008.000 NC-AL-009.000 | MVP-RR-165-1051 | 54.85 | 55.1 | 0.25 | Adjusted CL to avoid pond / swamp area | Adjusted CL to avoid pond / swamp area | | | |
| NC-AL-015.000 NC-AL-016.000 | MVP-RA-206-1431 | 55.3 | 55.3 | 0.00 | Removed - There is enough ATWS at the PI (ATWS 1509) that this ATWS is not needed. | ATWS not needed | | | |



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| NC-AL-017.000.ABU NC-AL-018.000 | | | | | | | | | |
| NC-AL-010.000 NC-AL-018.000 | MVP-RA-230-1340 | 55.3 | 55.3 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1509 to 75' x 230' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-018.000 NC-AL-019.000 NC-AL-021.000 NC-AL-022.000 NC-AL-023.000 NC-AL-024.000 NC-AL-025.000 NC-AL-025.100.AR NC-AL-027.000 | MVP-RA-153-1347 | 55.5 | 56.35 | 0.85 | Adjusted CL to reduce the number of PIs and to reduce the amount of tree clearing needed | Adjusted CL to reduce the number of PIs and to reduce the amount of tree clearing needed | | | |
| NC-AL-018.000 | MVP-RR-270-1255 | 55.6 | 55.6 | 0.00 | Adjusted access road to be on existing path | Adjusted access road to be on existing path | | | |
| NC-AL-028.000 | MVP-RA-153-1356 | 56.4 | 56.4 | 0.00 | Moved ATWS to the road crossing because the ATWS at MP 56.7 is on top of a pond | Moved ATWS to the road crossing because the ATWS at MP 56.7 is on top of a pond | | | |
| NC-AL-028.000 NC-AL-033.000 | MVP-RR-257-1513 | 56.8 | 56.8 | 0.00 | Added access road | Added access road | | | |
| NC-AL-035.000.ABU NC-AL-036.000 | MVP-RA-242-1409 | 56.9 | 56.9 | 0.00 | Removed access road TA-AL-160 runs on top of land owner's septic and in between their crop fields. The access road is approx. 2000' and the nearest road crossing is approx. 2740'. | Access road not needed | | | |
| NC-AL-033.000 | MVP-RR-257-1515 | 56.9 | 56.9 | 0.00 | Added access road | Added access road | | | |
| NC-AL-042.000 NC-AL-043.000 | MVP-RA-186-1423 | 57.35 | 57.75 | 0.40 | LiDAR suggests that the PI is in the pond. This adjustment is to avoid the pond | LiDAR suggests that the PI is in the pond. This adjustment is to avoid the pond | | | |
| NC-AL-043.000 | MVP-RR-257-1517 | 57.75 | 57.75 | 0.00 | Extended access road TA-AL-161 to public road | Extended access road TA-AL-161 to public road | | | |



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| Tract ID | Reroute No. | Approx. Begin MP | Approx. End MP | Length (miles) | Variation Description | Justification | | | |
| NC-AL-051.000 | MVP-RA-231-0828 | 58.6 | 58.6 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1543 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-054.000 NC-AL-058.000 | MVP-RA-228-1324 | 59.1 | 59.2 | 0.10 | Extended PIs out of the road ROW | Extended PIs out of the road ROW | | | |
| NC-AL-075.000 | MVP-RA-231-0832 | 60.7 | 60.7 | 0.00 | Change ATWS 1559 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjust ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-076.100.AR NC-AL-076.200.AR NC-AL-076.400.AR NC-AL-076.500.AR NC-AL-076.000 NC-AL-074.450.AR NC-AL-076.000 NC-AL-074.100.AR NC-AL-074.000 | MVP-RA-172-0945 | 60.8 | 60.8 | 0.00 | The landowner walked with the civil crew to show them where he wants the access road to be. | The landowner walked with the civil crew to show them where he wants the access road to be. | | | |
| NC-AL-076.100.AR NC-AL-076.000 NC-AL-074.450.AR NC-AL-074.000 | MVP-RA-153-1402 | 60.9 | 60.9 | 0.00 | This property owner has an existing access road to the backfield that has been logged and cleared. | The existing access could be squared up to Boone Road for better turning and the current route has a few tight turns in it that could be straightened out to reduce the number of turns for large trucks. | | | |
| NC-AL-103.000 NC-AL-104.000 NC-AL-106.000 NC-AL-128.000 NC-AL-134.000 NC-AL-135.000 MVF-NC-AL-001.000 MVF-NC-AL-002.000 MVF-NC-AL-003.000 MVF-NC-AL-004.000 MVF-NC-AL-005.000 MVF-NC-AL-005.000 MVF-NC-AL-006.000 MVF-NC-AL-007.000 MVF-NC-AL-010.000 MVF-NC-AL-010.000 MVF-NC-AL-010.000 | MVP-RR-240-1812 | 61 | 67.5 | 6.50 | Mystic Valley Farm re-route | Mystic Valley Farm re-route | | | |



| TABLE 10.6-4 Route Variations Incorporated into the MVP Southgate Project Pipeline | | | | | | | | | |
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| MVF-NC-AL-012.000.ABU MVF-NC-AL-013.000 MVF-NC-AL-016.000 MVF-NC-AL-017.000 NC-AL-120.000 NC-AL-119.000 FA34-AL-001.000 FA3-AL-002.000 FA3-AL-0000 FA3-AL-006.000 FA3-AL-006.000 FA3-AL-007.000 FA3-AL-009.000 FA3-AL-009.000 FA3-AL-010.000 | | | | | | | | | |
| NC-AL-085.000 NC-AL-086.000 | MVP-RR-165-0832 | 62.25 | 62.5 | 0.25 | The land owner mentioned that in the field of tract NC-AL-085.000 they would like to put a sub-division in the future | The land owner mentioned that in the field of tract NC-AL-085.000 they would like to put a sub-division in the future | | | |
| NC-AL-086.000 | MVP-RA-231-0841 | 62.65 | 62.65 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1573 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-089.000 NC-AL-088.000.ABU | MVP-RA-231-0844 | 62.8 | 62.8 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1575 to 90' x 330 to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-093.000 | MVP-RA-231-0846 | 63 | 63 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1577 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-096.000 NC-AL-097.000 NC-AL-098.000 | MVP-RA-143-1534 | 63.1 | 63.5 | 0.40 | Extended PI out of creek | Extended PI out of creek | | | |
| NC-AL-101.000.ABU NC-AL-102.000.ABU | MVP-RA-231-0848 | 63.45 | 63.45 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1582 to 90' x 230' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-102.000.ABU | MVP-RA-231-0852 | 63.5 | 63.5 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1583 to 90' x 330' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |



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| NC-AL-103.000 | MVP-RR-206-1421 | 63.7 | 63.7 | 0.00 | This is an alternate access to TA-AL-172 and TA-AL-173 access roads. | The land owner requested that the access road be on the west side of the property instead of going around their house | | | |
| NC-AL-103.000 NC-AL-103.100.AR | MVP-RA-250-1017 | 63.7 | 63.7 | 0.00 | Trimmed TA-AL-172 to remove the section behind the house | Trimmed TA-AL-172 to remove the section behind the house | | | |
| NC-AL-103.000 | MVP-RA-250-1019 | 64 | 64 | 0.00 | Removed TA-AL-173 | Access road not needed | | | |
| NC-AL-119.000 NC-AL-120.000 | MVP-RA-247-1539 | 65.6 | 65.6 | 0.00 | Mystic Valley Farm Access road 1 | Mystic Valley Farm Access road 1 | | | |
| NC-AL-120.000 | MVP-RA-231-0855 | 65.8 | 65.8 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1605 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-121.000.ABU NC-AL-122.000 | MVP-RA-231-0858 | 65.9 | 65.9 | 0.00 | Change ATWS 1607 to 90' Wide to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-128.000 | MVP-RA-247-1557 | 66.75 | 66.75 | 0.00 | Mystic Valley Farm Access road 4 | Mystic Valley Farm Access road 4 | | | |
| NC-AL-132.100.AR NC-AL-133.000 NC-AL-128.000 NC-AL-133.000 | MVP-RA-247-1551 | 67.25 | 67.25 | 0.00 | Mystic Valley Farm Access road 2 | Mystic Valley Farm Access road 2 | | | |
| NC-AL-138.000 NC-AL-139.000 NC-AL-140.000 NC-AL-141.000 NC-AL-142.000 | MVP-RR-186-1407 | 67.9 | 68.2 | 0.30 | The LiDAR information suggests that the end of the pond is in the perm. ROW. This adjustment is to stay away from the pond | Adjust route to avoid pond | | | |
| NC-AL-143.000 | MVP-RA-231-0901 | 68.3 | 68.3 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1629 to 90' Wide to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-143.000 | MVP-RR-270-1257 | 68.3 | 68.3 | 0.00 | Added perm. access road because Indian Village Trail is a private road | Added perm. access road because Indian Village Trail is a private road | | | |



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| Route Variations Incorporated into the MVP Southgate Project Pipeline | | | | | | | | | |
| Tract ID | Reroute No. | Approx. Begin MP | Approx. End MP | Length (miles) | Variation Description | Justification | | | |
| NC-AL-143.000 | MVP-RA-231-0903 | 68.35 | 68.35 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1631 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-143.000 | MVP-RA-231-0907 | 68.4 | 68.4 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1632 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-143.000 | MVP-RA-231-0928 | 68.45 | 68.45 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1634 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-148.000 | MVP-RA-231-0930 | 68.7 | 68.7 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1639 to 90' x 165' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-148.000 | MVP-RA-231-0933 | 68.8 | 68.8 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1641 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-148.000 | MVP-RA-231-0937 | 68.85 | 68.85 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1643 to 90' x 140' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-148.000 NC-AL-149.000 | MVP-RA-231-0939 | 68.95 | 68.95 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1646 to 85' x 220' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-149.000 NC-AL-150.000 NC-AL-151.000 | MVP-RA-228-1327 | 69 | 69.1 | 0.10 | Straighten out and move PI out of road ROW | Straighten out and move PI out of road ROW | | | |
| NC-AL-169.000.ABU NC-AL-170.000.ABU NC-AL-176.000.ABU NC-AL-179.000.ABU NC-AL-180.000.ABU NC-AL-181.000.ABU NC-AL-183.000 NC-AL-184.000 | MVP-RR-221-0832 | 69.5 | 69.9 | 0.40 | Less impact for this route. Shorter distance, less fittings, less pipe, lessen foreign utility impact, less overhead utility relocation. | Less impact for this route. Shorter distance, less fittings, less pipe, lessen foreign utility impact, less overhead utility relocation. | | | |
| NC-AL-182.000 NC-AL-182.100.ABU NC-AL-184.000 | MVP-RA-156-1740 | 69.8 | 69.95 | 0.15 | Adjusted CL to avoid abandoned building and to stay away from steep hill side | Adjusted CL to avoid abandoned building and to stay away from steep hill side | | | |
| NC-AL-184.000 | MVP-RA-231-0941 | 69.9 | 69.9 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1659 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |



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| Route Variations Incorporated into the MVP Southgate Project Pipeline | | | | | | | | | |
| Tract ID | Reroute No. | Approx. Begin MP | Approx. End MP | Length (miles) | Variation Description | Justification | | | |
| NC-AL-186.000 NC-AL-188.000 | MVP-RA-219-1820 | 70.35 | 70.7 | 0.35 | Proposed a couple minor shifts of centerline to account for side-hill terrain | Adjusted the line due to slight side hill | | | |
| NC-AL-191.000 | MVP-RA-231-0943 | 70.9 | 70.9 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1670 to 90' wide to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-191.000 | MVP-RA-231-0945 | 71 | 71 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1672 to 90' Wide to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-191.000 | MVP-RA-231-0947 | 71.05 | 71.05 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1675 to 90' x 110' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-191.000 | MVP-RA-231-0948 | 71.3 | 71.3 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1676 to 80' x 280' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-192.000 | MVP-RR-270-1300 | 71.55 | 71.55 | 0.00 | Extended access road to a public road | Extended access road to a public road | | | |
| NC-AL-192.000 NC-AL-193.000 | MVP-RA-231-0950 | 71.8 | 71.8 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1680 to 90' x 230' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-193.000 NC-AL-194.000 | MVP-RA-231-0952 | 71.9 | 71.9 | 0.00 | Changed ATWS 1681 to 90' x 260' to fit inside survey corridor | Adjusted ATWS to fit inside of survey corridor | | | |
| NC-AL-199.000 NC-AL-200.000 NC-AL-201.000 | MVP-RA-198-1549 | 72.4 | 72.7 | 0.30 | According to the LiDAR info, there is side hill construction in this area (~32.5%, ~18 deg.) Adjust the CL to avoid the side hill construction | According to the LiDAR info, there is side hill construction in this area (~32.5%, ~18 deg.) Adjust the CL to avoid the side hill construction | | | |
| NC-AL-210.000 | MVP-RR-270-1302 | 73.1 | 73.1 | 0.00 | Add edperm. access road for T21 | Added perm. access road for T21 | | | |
| NC-AL-210.000 | MVP-RR-270-1303 | 73.1 | 73.1 | 0.00 | Changed location of T21 Site | Changed location of T21 Site | | | |