

Public Notice

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Pittsburgh District

In Reply Refer to Notice No. below US Army Corps of Engineers, Pittsburgh District 1000 Liberty Avenue Pittsburgh, PA 15222-4186

Closing Date: December 18, 2020

Application No. 2020-393 Date: November 18, 2020

Notice No. 20-39

1. <u>TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN</u>: The Buelso54 Pipeline project application has been submitted for a Department of the Army Permit under the provisions of Section 404 of the Clean Water Act.

2. <u>APPLICANT</u>: EUREKA MIDSTREAM, LLC

2200 ENERGY DRIVE CANONSBURG, PA 15317

- 3. <u>LOCATION</u>: The project is located on Alum Run off of Beautiful Ridge Road, Clarington, Salem Township, Monroe County, Clarington, Ohio (39.730172/80.913371).
- 4. <u>PURPOSE AND DESCRIPTION OF WORK</u>: The Project proposes to install a 1.09-mile, 12-inch diameter steel natural gas pipeline to connect the existing Schindler Well Pad to the proposed Cleveland Valve Yard. This Project includes access roads and temporary workspace associated with installation of the pipeline. Eureka Midstream has obtained a permanent Right-Of-Way (ROW) easement of one hundred feet (100) for the pipeline. Pipeline construction will involve temporary impacts to 50 linear feet of one named stream: Alum Run.
- 5. <u>WATER QUALITY CERTIFICATION</u>: For any potential work in Waters of the United States a permit will not be granted until Water Quality Certification is received or waived from:

Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA) Section 401 Coordinator PO Box 1049 Columbus, Ohio 43266-0149 Telephone Number: 614-644-2001

6. <u>IMPACT ON NATURAL RESOURCES</u>: The District Engineer has consulted the most recently available information and has determined that the project may affect, but is not likely to adversely affect endangered species or threatened species, or result in destruction or adverse modification of habitat of such species which has been determined to be critical. This Public Notice serves as a request to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service for any additional information they may have on whether any listed or proposed to be listed endangered or threatened species may be present in the area which would be affected by the activity, pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Endangered Species Act of 1972 (as amended). If the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service concurs with the may affect, not likely to adversely affect determination please respond with written

concurrence.

- 7. <u>IMPACT ON CULTURAL RESOURCES</u>: The National Register of Historic Places has been consulted, and it has been determined that there are no properties currently listed on the register which are in the vicinity of the proposed work. The project, as proposed, will have no adverse effect on Historic or Cultural properties. If we are made aware, as a result of comments received in response to this notice, or by other means, of specific archeological, scientific, prehistorical, or historical sites or structures which might be affected by the proposed work, the District Engineer will immediately take the appropriate action necessary pursuant to the National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 Public Law 89-665 as amended (including Public Law 96-515).
- 8. <u>PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT</u>: Issuance of a public notice regarding proposed mitigation banks is required pursuant to the "Compensatory Mitigation for Losses of Aquatic Resources; Final Rule," (Rule) as published in the April 10, 2008, Federal Register, Vol. 73, No. 70, Pages 19594-19705 (33 CFR Parts 332). The United States (U.S.) Army Corps of Engineers' (Corps) is soliciting comments from the public, Federal, state, and local agencies and officials, Indian Tribes and other interested parties in order to consider and evaluate this proposed mitigation bank.
- 9. EVALUATION: Interested parties are invited to state any objections they may have to the proposed work. The decision whether to issue a permit will be based on an evaluation of the probable impact including cumulative impacts of the proposed activity on the public interest. That decision will reflect the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The benefit which reasonably may be expected to accrue from the proposals must be balanced against its reasonably foreseeable detriments. All factors which may be relevant to the proposal will be considered including the cumulative effects thereof; among those are conservation, economics, aesthetics, general environmental concerns, wetlands, historic properties, fish and wildlife values, flood hazards, flood plain values, land use, navigation, shoreline erosion and accretion, recreation, water supply and conservation, water quality, energy needs, safety, food and fiber production, mineral needs, considerations of property ownership and, in general, the needs and welfare of the people. Any comments received will be considered by the Corps of Engineers to determine whether to issue, modify, condition or deny approval for this proposal. To make this decision, comments are used to assess impacts on endangered species, historic properties, water quality, general environmental effects, and the other public interest factors listed above.
- 10. <u>RESPONSES</u>: Written statements concerning the proposed activity should be received in this office on or before the closing date of this Public Notice in order to become a part of the record and to be considered in the final determination. Any objections which are received during this period may be forwarded to the applicant for possible resolution before the determination is made whether to approve or deny the request. All responses to this notice should be directed to the Regulatory Division, attn Matthew Gilbert at the below address, by telephoning (412) 395-7189, or by e-mail at matthew.c.gilbert@usace.army.mil.

Please refer to CELRP-OP-F 2020-393 in all responses.

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FOR THE DISTRICT ENGINEER:

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