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and

**DOMINION ENERGY TRANSMISSION, INC.
SUPPLY HEADER PROJECT**

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APPENDIX J

Agency Correspondence for the Supply Header Project

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Supplemental Summary of Public Agency Correspondence for the Supple Header Project

Agency/Contact Name(s)	Date of Correspondence	Format	Description
FEDERAL AGENCIES			
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service			
Liz Stout	5/26/17	Letter	Transmittal of bat species habitat assessment.

Dominion Energy Services, Inc.
5000 Dominion Boulevard,
Glen Allen, VA 23060



May 26, 2017

BY EMAIL

Ms. Liz Stout
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
West Virginia Ecological Services Field Office
Elkins, WV 26241

**Re: Dominion Energy Transmission, Inc., Supply Header Project
Submittal of West Virginia Segment Protected Bat Species Habitat Assessment
Report Spring 2017**

Dear Ms. Stout:

Dominion Energy Transmission, Inc. is pleased to provide the attached Supply Header Project (SHP) West Virginia Segment Protected Bat Species Habitat Assessment Report. The report describes survey methodologies and results of surveys conducted to identify potential habitat for the federally endangered Indiana bat (*Myotis sodalis*) and federally threatened northern long-eared bat (*Myotis septentrionalis*) within the SHP Project area in West Virginia.

Habitat assessment surveys were performed within and adjacent to current SHP Project area in West Virginia, which was filed on July 18, 2016. Assessments included potential roost tree mapping surveys and both desktop and field surveys for potential hibernacula within 1 kilometer of Project areas, which were conducted as described in the approved 2016 Protected Bat Species Year 2 Presence/Probable Absence Survey and Bat Hibernacula Survey Study Plan.

The results of bat habitat surveys completed prior to September 30, 2016 were previously provided on November 12, 2015 and October 17, 2016. This report summarizes results presented in previous reports and describes additional survey efforts undertaken between October 1, 2016 and April 30, 2017.

Dominion Energy Transmission, Inc. is requesting your review and concurrence of the attached report, which describes the results of the bat habitat surveys to date on the SHP Project in West Virginia.

Project and Company Background

Dominion Energy Transmission, Inc. is proposing to construct and operate approximately 37.5 miles of pipeline loop and modify existing compression facilities in Pennsylvania and West

Virginia. This project, referred to as the Supply Header Project (SHP), will enable Dominion Energy Transmission, Inc. to provide firm transportation service to various customers, including Atlantic Coast Pipeline, LLC, which is proposing to construct the Atlantic Coast Pipeline. For more information about the SHP, visit the company's website at <https://www.dominionenergy.com/supplyheader>. The SHP will be regulated by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) under Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act. The SHP is subject to review by FERC under the National Environmental Policy Act and Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act, as well as other environmental and natural resource laws.

We look forward to continuing to work with you on the SHP. Please contact Richard B. Gangle at (804) 273-2814 or Richard.B.Gangle@dominionenergy.com, if there are questions regarding this report. Please direct written responses to:

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Sincerely,



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Cc: Cliff Brown, West Virginia Division of Natural Resources
Craig Stihler, West Virginia Division of Natural Resources
Richard B. Gangle, Dominion Energy

Attachments:

West Virginia Segment Protected Bat Species Habitat Assessment Report Spring 2017