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July 6, 2015

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

Re: Mountain Valley Pipeline, LLC
Docket No. PF15-3-000
Monthly Status Report – June 2015

Dear Ms. Bose:

Pursuant to Section 157.21(f) (6) of the Commission's rules and regulations, Mountain Valley Pipeline, LLC is submitting for filing in the captioned proceeding its Monthly Status Report for the Mountain Valley Pipeline Project covering the period through June 30, 2015. Note that the tables attached to the report provide information for activities during June, with some additional information for the month of May – previous reports should be consulted for activities conducted in prior months.

A copy of this filing is also being provided to Paul Friedman, OEP and to Lavinia DiSanto, Cardno. Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact the undersigned by telephone at (412) 395-5540 or by e-mail at pdiehl@eqt.com.

Respectfully submitted,

Mountain Valley Pipeline, LLC

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Paul W. Diehl", is written over a light grey circular stamp.

Paul W. Diehl

Enclosures

cc: Paul Friedman (w/enclosures)
Lavinia M. DiSanto, Cardno, Inc. (w/enclosures)

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I. Pipeline

a. Land and Civil Surveys

- i. 80% survey permissions obtained for proposed route
- ii. 42% survey permissions obtained for alternative routes
- iii. 84% centerline survey complete for proposed route
- iv. 16.2% ROW acquired by length
- v. 1 compressor station location purchase agreement signed
- vi. 90% access roads identified to date, 0% acquired
- vii. 90% ancillary sites identified to date, 0% acquired

b. Environmental

- i. Stream and Wetland field surveys –75% of the proposed route complete overall
- ii. Phase I Cultural surveys – 54% of the proposed route complete overall
- iii. Bats – 45% of the proposed route complete overall
 - Mist Net Surveys 50% complete
 - Portal Surveys 57% complete
 - Three suitable portals located to date that will require fall surveys
 - Habitat Assessment 57% complete
- iv. Mussels –0% complete
 - Due to weather and access issues, surveys will begin in July 2015
- v. Plants – 13% complete
- vi. Aquatics – 0% complete
 - Due to weather and access issues, surveys will begin in July 2015

c. Alternatives

- i. Permission to survey alternative routes is ongoing. Civil and environmental surveys have begun in areas where survey permission has been granted

d. Engineering

- i. Preliminary mainline valve site selection is complete and setting design is on-going
- ii. Preliminary hydrotest design complete
- iii. Preliminary PIG Launcher/Receiver design is complete
- iv. Preliminary pipe stringing list complete with class locations, high consequence areas, hydrotest requirements, and road/railroad crossings incorporated
- v. Preliminary material lists are complete

II. Compressor Stations

- a. **Bradshaw Station – Wetzell County, West Virginia, Harris Station - Braxton County, West Virginia, Stallworth Station - Fayette County, West Virginia, Swann Station - Montgomery County, Virginia (approximate mile post – 2.7, 77.9, 154.4, and 220.5, respectively)**

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- i. Land - Proposed sites have been identified and survey permission granted for Bradshaw, Harris, and Stallworth Stations. A location for Swann Station is still under review.
- ii. Environmental – Rare, threatened and endangered species surveys are ongoing.
- iii. Engineering – Preliminary Compressor Station design on-going
 - Preliminary Compressor Station plot plans and process flow diagrams are complete for Bradshaw, Harris, and Stallworth
 - Turbine/compression vendor firm quotes received and are being analyzed
 - Station suction separator vendor has been selected
 - Other long-lead equipment firm quotes received and are being analyzed:
 - Discharge separators
 - Fuel gas heaters
 - Gas coolers and office buildings are out for quote
 - Other long lead time material specifications being developed:
 - Compressor and Auxiliary Buildings
 - Vent Silencers
 - MCC, air compressors, and switch gear buildings
 - Preliminary Compressor station noise modeling study is complete for Bradshaw, Harris and Stallworth, including pre-construction surveys. Noise models will be updated as specific equipment is selected.
 - Preparation work for station geotechnical analyses is underway
 - Preliminary emissions evaluation for the sites has been completed to assist with turbine evaluation.
- iv. Construction – Bradshaw, Harris, and Stallworth Compressor Stations have been examined for constructability and found acceptable. Site design work is ongoing. Geotechnical analysis for Harris and Stallworth is scheduled for July.

III. Interconnect Facilities

- a. **Mobley Interconnect, Sherwood (MarkWest) Interconnect, WB (Columbia) Interconnect, and Transco Interconnect**
 - i. Land – Locations have been identified for Mobley, Sherwood, WB, and Transco Interconnections. Survey permission has been requested.
 - ii. Environmental – Stream and wetland, rare, threatened and endangered species, and cultural surveys are ongoing.
 - iii. Engineering – Preliminary Interconnect Station size and material sizing is on-going.
 - Equipment specs and quotes on-going.
 - Mobley site and footprint requirements identified. Preliminary plot plan, P&ID, and process flow diagrams are complete.
 - Sherwood site and footprint requirements identified. Preliminary plot plan, P&ID, and process flow diagrams are completed.

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- WB site and footprint requirements have been identified. Preliminary plot plans, P&ID, and process flow diagrams are complete. Tap request is being developed.
 - Transco site and footprint requirements have been identified. Preliminary plot plan, P&ID, and process flow diagrams are complete. Tap request is complete. A site visit is scheduled for July.
- iv. Construction - WB Interconnect site has been identified and examined for constructability and found to be acceptable. Construction continues to work with land to acquire a site for the Mobley Interconnect.

IV. Stakeholder Communications

- a. Government – See attached Table 1 (For June and additional May correspondence Only)
 - b. Non-Government Officials - See attached Table 1 (For June and additional May correspondence Only)
 - c. Environmental non-government organizations – See attached Table 2 (For June Only)
- V. In response to comments received during open houses, scoping meetings, and via the MVP project website/email, a series of four advertorials have been produced and scheduled for rotation in eleven different newspapers that serve the counties along the pipeline route. The advertorial topics and associated run schedule is as follows:
- a. Safety was published May 3, 2015 – May 19, 2015
 - b. Karst Topography was published May 20, 2015 – June 10, 2015
 - c. Ecological Resource Protection was published from June 10 – June 30, 2015
 - d. Property Rights will be published from June 30 – July 15, 2015

VI. Agency Communications

- a. Agency Meetings – See attached Table 3 (For June Only)
- b. Bi-weekly phone calls continue with FERC. Calls will be held every other Tuesday at 10:00 am.
- c. Scoping responses were submitted to FERC on June 30, 2015.

VII. Permitting Table

- a. See attached Table 4 (For June Only)

**Government and Non-Government
Stakeholder Communications
Table 1**

Stakeholder Affiliation	Name	Title/Position	Details and Comments
Federal			
U.S. Senate	Joe Manchin III	U.S. Senator	Informal conversation with Senator Manchin on June 10, 2015. In person meeting at District Office on June 12, 2015.
U.S. Senate	Tim Kaine	U.S. Senator	Conference call with staff on June 19, 2015.
U.S. Senate	Mark Warner	U.S. Senator	Phone conversation with Legislative Aide Ken Johnson on June 8, 2015. Conference call with staff on June 19, 2015.
U.S. Senate	Shelley Moore Capito	U.S. Senator	Lunch with Chief of Staff on June 9, 2015. Conference call with staff on June 19, 2015.
U.S. Congress	Evan Jenkins	U.S. Congressman	Meeting with Jenkins and Chief of Staff on June 9, 2015. Conference call with staff on June 19, 2015.
U.S. Congress	Alex Mooney	U.S. Congressman	Conference call with staff on June 19, 2015.
U.S. Congress	David McKinley	U.S. Congressman	Conference call with staff on June 19, 2015. Conversation with Congressman McKinley regarding Project on June 24, 2015.
U.S. Congress	Robert "Bob" Goodlatte	U.S. Congressman	Conference call with staff on June 19, 2015.
U.S. Congress	Robert Hurt	U.S. Congressman	Conference call with staff on June 19, 2015.
U.S. Congress	Morgan Griffith	U.S. Congressman	Conference call with staff on June 19, 2015.
West Virginia			
WV State Senate	Mike Romano	WV State Senator	Provided Project update on June 1, 2015.
WV State Senate	Jeffrey Kessler	WV State Senator	Conversation about taxes and financial impact on June 1, 2015.
West Virginia – Counties			
Greenbrier County EDC	Steve Weir	Executive Director	Project update call with director on June 11, 2015.
Nicholas County Commission	John Miller Yancy Short Ken Altizer	President Commissioner Commissioner	Spoke with Commissioner Altizer on June 1, 2015.
Virginia			
Office of the Governor, Commonwealth of Virginia	Paul Reagan	Chief of Staff	Meeting on June 25, 2015.
Virginia General Assembly	Delegate Joseph R. Yost	State Delegate, House District 12	Meeting on May 31, 2015. Meeting on June 1, 2015.
Virginia General Assembly	Delegate Gregory D. Habeeb	State Delegate, House District 8	Meeting on May 31, 2015.

Stakeholder Affiliation	Name	Title/Position	Details and Comments
Virginia General Assembly	Delegate Charles D. Poindexter	State Delegate, House District 9	Meeting on May 31, 2015. Meeting on June 1, 2015. Meeting with legislative aide on June 9, 2015. Phone conversation on June 10, 2015.
Virginia General Assembly	Delegate Leslie R. Adams	State Delegate, House District 16	Meeting on May 31, 2015. Meeting on June 9, 2015.
Virginia General Assembly	Delegate Daniel W. Marshall, III	State Delegate, House District 14	Meeting on May 31, 2015. Meeting on June 1, 2015. Meeting on June 19, 2015.
Virginia General Assembly	Senator John S. Edwards	State Senator, Senate District 21	Meeting on June 24, 2015.
Virginia General Assembly	Senator William M. Stanley, Jr.	State Senator, Senate District 20	Meeting on June 9, 2015. Meeting on June 14, 2015. Meeting on June 15, 2015.
Virginia General Assembly	Senator Frank M. Ruff, Jr.	State Senator, Senate District 15	Meeting on June 15, 2015.
Virginia General Assembly	Senator Mark D. Obenshain	State Senator, Senate District 26	Meeting on June 14, 2015. Meeting on June 15, 2015.
Virginia General Assembly	Senator Steve Newman	State Senator	Meeting on June 15, 2015.
Virginia - Counties			
Franklin County	Rick Huff	County Administrator	Phone conversation and email on June 17, 2015. Email on June 23, 2015. Phone conference on June 24, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure.
Franklin County	Bill Overton	Franklin County Sheriff	Phone conference on June 24, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure.
Franklin County	Tim Allen	Franklin County Commonwealth's Attorney	Phone conference on June 24, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure.
Franklin County	Don Smith	Public Works Director	Phone conference on June 24, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure.
Franklin County	Chris Whitlow	Deputy County Administrator	Phone conversation and email on June 16, 2015. Phone conversation and email on June 17, 2015. Email on June 23, 2015. Phone conference on June 24, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure.
Franklin County (City of Rocky Mount)	Bobby Moyer	Rocky Mount City Councilman	Phone conversation on June 18, 2015.

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Giles County	Chris McKlarney	County Administrator and Economic Development Director	Phone conversation on June 2, 2015. Email on June 4, 2015. Phone conference on June 10, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure. Email on June 23, 2015.
Giles County	Richard Chidester	County Attorney	Phone conference on June 10, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure.
Giles County	Morgan Millirons	Giles County Sheriff	Phone conference on June 10, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure.
Pittsylvania County	Clarence Monday	County Administrator	Phone conversation on June 1, 2015. Phone conference on June 8, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure. Email on June 23, 2015.
Pittsylvania County	Brenda Bowman	Board of Supervisors	Phone conversation on June 7, 2015.
Pittsylvania County	J. Vaden Hunt	County Attorney	Phone conference on June 8, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure.
Pittsylvania County	Bryan Haskins	Pittsylvania County Commonwealth's Attorney	Phone conference on June 8, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure.
Pittsylvania County	Mike Taylor	Pittsylvania County Sheriff	Phone conference on June 8, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure.
Pittsylvania County	Kate Berger	County Treasurer	Meeting on June 9, 2015.
Pittsylvania County	Vernon Moon	Pittsylvania County Industrial Development Authority	Meeting on June 9, 2015.
Roanoke County	Richard Caywood	Assistant County Administrator	Roanoke County Pipeline Advisory Committee Public Meeting on June 1, 2015. Phone conversation on June 3, 2015. Email on June 4, 2015. Phone conversation on June 17, 2015. Phone conference on June 18, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure. Email on June 24, 2015.
Roanoke County	Ruth Ellen Kuhnel	Deputy County Attorney	Roanoke County Pipeline Advisory Committee Public Meeting on June 1, 2015. Phone conference on June 18, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure.
Roanoke County	Paul Mahoney	County Attorney	Phone conference on June 18, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure.
Roanoke County	Howard Hall	Roanoke County Chief of Police	Phone conference on June 18, 2015 to discuss survey access procedure.
Western Virginia Water Authority	Gary Robertson	Executive Director	Roanoke County Pipeline Advisory Committee Public Meeting on June 1, 2015.
Roanoke Valley Resource Authority	Dan Miles	Chief Executive Officer	Roanoke County Pipeline Advisory Committee Public Meeting on June 1, 2015.

Stakeholder Affiliation	Name	Title/Position	Details and Comments
Montgomery County	Craig Meadows	County Administrator	Email on June 17, 2015.
Roanoke County Pipeline Advisory Committee	Advisory Committee Members & General Public	Committee Member	Roanoke County Pipeline Advisory Committee Public Meeting on June 1, 2015.
Roanoke Regional Chamber of Commerce	Joyce Waugh	President & CEO	Roanoke County Pipeline Advisory Committee Public Meeting on June 1, 2015.

**Environmental Non-Government Organizations
Stakeholder Communications
Table 2**

*** No updates to Communications with Environmental Non-Government Organizations for June 2015.*

**Agency Communications
Table 3**

Agency	Agency Contact	Correspondence Type	Date Submitted	Correspondence Received
Federal				
U.S. Forest Service (USFS)	JoBeth Brown Public Affairs Officer George Washington and Jefferson National Forests	Email	6/1/2015	MVP provided the draft Biological Evaluation for review and comment.
		Email	6/3/2015	MVP provided the MVP Plant Study Plan for review and comment.
	Mike Madden, Archeologist George Washington and Jefferson National Forests	Email	6/4/2015	Email from USFS, requesting that Carol Croy be included in the contact list for wildlife/biological concerns on George Washington and Jefferson National Forests.
	Jennifer Adams, USFS Project Coordinator	Phone call/Email	6/12/2015	MVP provided notification for Jefferson National Forest plant surveys. USFS confirmed receipt of notification.
	Jesse Overcash, Wildlife Biologist	Phone call/Email	6/15/2015 6/20/2015	Coordination of a meeting between MVP and USFS.
		Email	6/21/2015	MVP provided notification of mist netting on USFS property.
	Carol Croy, Wildlife Biologist	Email	6/22/2015	USFS response to mist netting notification.

Agency	Agency Contact	Correspondence Type	Date Submitted	Correspondence Received
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS), West Virginia	Troy Andersen, Supervisory Fish & Wildlife Biologist	Plan	6/2/2015	MVP submitted revised study plan for threatened and endangered bats.
	Kimberley Smith, Fish & Wildlife Biologist	Email	6/2/2015	MVP re-sent email from May 21, 2015 and provided download link for the draft Biological Evaluation.
	Sumalee Hoskin, Fish & Wildlife Biologist	Phone call	6/2/2015	T. Lennon requested document revisions which were provided via email.
	Sumalee Hoskin, Fish & Wildlife Biologist	Phone call	6/2/2015	T. Lennon asked a follow up question and provided guidance on eagles.
	Tiernan Lennon USFWS - Elkins Field Office	Email	6/3/2015	MVP provided the MVP Plant Study Plan for review and comment.
	Tiernan Lennon USFWS - Elkins Field Office	Letter	6/4/2015	USFWS reviewed the revised study plan submitted on June 2, 2015 and provided concurrence with proposed survey methods.
	Tiernan Lennon USFWS - Elkins Field Office	Email	6/17/2015	MVP provided capture information for three northern long-eared bats.
	Tiernan Lennon USFWS - Elkins Field Office	Email	6/22/2015	MVP provided capture information for 1 northern long-eared bat.
	Tiernan Lennon USFWS - Elkins Field Office	Email	6/23/2015	MVP provided capture information for 1 northern long-eared bat.
	Tiernan Lennon USFWS - Elkins Field Office	Email	6/29/2015	MVP provided capture information for 5 northern long-eared bats.
Tiernan Lennon USFWS - Elkins Field Office	Email	6/29/2015	USFWS provided comments on MVP plant survey study plan.	
USFWS, Virginia	John Schmidt, State Coordinator	Email	6/3/2015	MVP provided the MVP Plant Study Plan for review and comment.
	Liz Stout, Fish and Wildlife Biologist; GIS Technician	Email	6/17/2015	USFWS provided comments on the study plan entitled "Habitat assessment and surveys for rare plants along the MVP Project in VA and WV" and provided concurrence with the proposed study plan.

Agency	Agency Contact	Correspondence Type	Date Submitted	Correspondence Received
		Email	6/17/2015	MVP provided capture information for three northern long-ear bats.
USACE – Pittsburgh District	Joshua Shaffer - Senior Regulatory Specialist	Meeting	6/30/2015	MVP met with the USACE to give an overview of the Project and current status.
U.S. Department of Agricultural, National Organic Program, Standards Division	Tammie Wilburn, Agricultural Marketing Specialist	Phone call and email	6/9/2015	MVP contacted the USDA to learn more about the National Organic Program.
		Phone	6/18/2015	MVP followed up with the USDA and received additional information on the National Organic Program.
State – West Virginia				
West Virginia Department of Natural Resources (WVDNR)	Curtis I. Taylor, Wildlife Resources Section Chief	Email	6/3/2015	MVP provided the MVP Plant Study Plan for review and comment.
	Craig Stihler, Biologist	Email	6/4/2015	Email correspondence between PJ Harmon and MVP regarding MVP Plant Surveys.
	PJ Harmon, Biologist	Email	6/17/2015	MVP provided capture notification for northern-long eared bat. Response from WVDNR on June 18, 2015.
	Barbara Sargent	Email	6/18/2015	MVP Mussels Study Plan approved with conditions.
	Janet L. Clayton	Email	6/22/2015	MVP provided capture information for 1 northern long-eared bat.
	Joe T. Scarberry	Email	6/23/2015	MVP provided capture information for 1 northern long-eared bat.
			Email	6/29/2015
State – Virginia				
Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries (VDGIF)	Ernie Aschenbach Project Review Biologist	Email	6/3/2015	MVP provided the MVP Plant Study Plan, Loggerhead Strike Study Plan, and Fish Study Plan for review and comment.

Agency	Agency Contact	Correspondence Type	Date Submitted	Correspondence Received
	Brian Watson, Biologist/Malacologist	Email	6/5/2015	VDGIF responded with comments on Fish Study Plan and confirmed receipt of Loggerhead Strike Study Plan.
	Rick Reynolds, Region IV Biologist/Bat Biologist	Phone call	6/15/2015	MVP called M. Pinder regarding fish study plan comment. Received clarification that all streams in VA should have fish relocated at time of construction if streambed is de-watered (dry crossing).
	JD Kleopfer, Biologist/herpetologist	Email	6/17/2015	ESI provided northern long-eared bat capture notification.
	Mike Pinder, Non-game fish and mussels	Phone call	6/18/2015	R. Reynolds called MVP regarding captured northern long-eared bat. Further coordination on June 22, 2015 regarding capture.
		Email	6/29/2015	VDGIF responded with comments on Loggerhead Strike Study Plan.
		Virginia Department of Conservation and Recreation (VDCR)	Clyde Cristman, Director	Email
Email	6/10/2015			VDCR emailed MVP with updated project review and response to Plant Study Plan. MVP emailed VDCR with updated project contacts.
Letter	6/22/2015			MVP provided a response to VDCR's comments and questions on the Plant Study Plan.
Virginia Department of Historic Resources (VDHR), Division of Review and Compliance (SHPO)	Roger Kirchen, Richmond Director Mike Pulice, Western Regional Preservation Office Marc Holma, Richmond Architectural Historian	Phone call	6/4/2015	MVP contacted VDHR SHPO to gain clarity on the access issue regarding historic architecture resources.

Agency	Agency Contact	Correspondence Type	Date Submitted	Correspondence Received
Virginia Outdoors Foundation (VOF)	Martha Little, Deputy Director of Stewardship	Email	6/9/2015 6/10/2015	MVP and VOF exchanged emails to finalize meeting details.
	Michael Hallock-Solomon, GIS/IT Specialist	Email	6/11/2015	MVP requested the deed instrument for a VOF property crossed by the currently proposed MVP route, and VOF provided it in return.
	David Morton, IT/GIS Manager	Meeting	6/16/2015	Meeting with MVP and VOF at VOF's Richmond office to discuss the MVP project status, VOF background, proposed VOF property crossings, siting considerations, ROW restoration, and VOF permitting processes.
	Harry Hibbitts, Assistant Director of Stewardship			
	Kerry Hutcherson, Staff Counsel, Stewardship Division	Email	6/18/2015	MVP thanked VOF for hosting the meeting.
		Email	6/26/2015	VOF thanked MVP for the meeting and provided comments on the draft resource reports.
Virginia Marine Resources Commission, Habitat Management Division	Beth Howell, Senior Environmental Engineer Justine Woodward, Fisheries Management	Phone call	6/18/2015	Phone call to discuss permitting requirements for Virginia Marine Resources Commission.

**Permit Approvals
Table 4**

Permits/ Approvals/ Consultation	Administering Agency	Agency Contact	Status/Comments
Federal			
Right-of-way through USFS lands SF-299 Form Permit for Archaeological Investigations	U.S. Forest Service (USFS)	JoBeth Brown Public Affairs Officer George Washington and Jefferson National Forests Mike Madden, Archeologist George Washington and Jefferson National Forests Jennifer Adams, USFS Project Coordinator Jesse Overcash, Wildlife Biologist Carol Croy, Wildlife Biologist	MVP provided the draft Biological Evaluation for review and comment on June 1, 2015. MVP provided the MVP Plant Study Plan for review and comment on June 3, 2015. USFS request that Carol Croy be included in the contact list for wildlife/biological concerns on George Washington and Jefferson National Forests. MVP provided notification for Jefferson National Forest plant surveys on June 12, 2015. USFS confirmed receipt of notification. MVP and USFS coordinated on June 15 and June 20, 2015 to schedule a meeting. MVP provided notification on June 21, 2015 of mist netting on USFS property. USFS confirmed notification on June 22, 2015.

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<p>Consultation under Section 7 of ESA for potential impacts on federally protected species</p> <p>Consultation regarding impacts on fish, wildlife, and migratory birds</p>	<p>U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS), West Virginia</p>	<p>Troy Andersen, Supervisory Fish & Wildlife Biologist</p> <p>Kimberley Smith, Fish & Wildlife Biologist</p> <p>Sumalee Hoskin, Fish & Wildlife Biologist</p> <p>Tiernan Lennon USFWS - Elkins Field Office</p>	<p>MVP submitted revised study plan for threatened and endangered bats on June 2, 2015. USFWS reviewed the revised study plan and provided concurrence with proposed survey methods on June 4, 2015.</p> <p>MVP re-sent email from May 21, 2015 on June 2, 2015 and provided download link for the draft Biological Evaluation. Document revisions were made as requested. T. Lennon provided guidance on eagles.</p> <p>MVP provided the MVP Plant Study Plan for review and comment on June 3, 2015.</p> <p>USFWS provided comments on MVP plant survey study plan on June 29, 2015.</p> <p>MVP provided capture information for northern long-ear bats on June 17, 22, 23, and 29, 2015.</p>
<p>Consultation under Section 7 of ESA for potential impacts on federally protected species</p> <p>Consultation regarding impacts on fish, wildlife, and migratory birds</p>	<p>USFWS, Virginia</p>	<p>John Schmidt, State Coordinator</p> <p>Liz Stout, Fish and Wildlife Biologist; GIS Technician</p>	<p>MVP provided the MVP Plant Study Plan for review and comment on June 3, 2015.</p> <p>USFWS provided comments on June 17, 2015 on the study plan entitled "Habitat assessment and surveys for rare plants along the MVP Project in VA and WV" and provided concurrence with the proposed study plan.</p> <p>MVP provided capture information for three northern long-ear bats on June 17, 2015.</p>

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Consultation for potential impacts to certified organic farms	U.S. Department of Agricultural, National Organic Program, Standards Division	Tammie Wilburn, Agricultural Marketing Specialist	MVP contacted the National Organic Program on June 18, 2015 to discuss potential impacts to certified organic farms.

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State – Virginia			
Consultation regarding potential impacts to state-managed lands	Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries (VDGIF)	<p>Ernie Aschenbach Project Review</p> <p>Brian Watson, Aquatic Resources Biologist/Malacologist</p> <p>Rick Reynolds, Region IV Biologist/Bat Biologist</p> <p>JD Kleopfer, Biologist/herpetologist</p>	<p>MVP provided the MVP Plant Study Plan, Loggerhead Strike Study Plan, and Fish Study Plan for review and comment on June 3, 2015.</p> <p>VDGIF responded on June 5, 2015 with comments on Fish Study Plan and confirmed receipt of Loggerhead Strike Study Plan.</p> <p>MVP called M. Pinder on June 15, 2015 regarding fish study plan comment. Received clarification that all streams in VA should have fish relocated at time of construction if streambed is de-watered (dry crossing).</p> <p>MVP provided northern long-eared bat capture notification on June 17, 2015. VDGIF confirmed receipt of notification and further coordination on June 22, 2015.</p> <p>VDGIF provided comments on the Loggerhead Strike Study Plan.</p>
Consultation and clearance regarding potential impacts on pre-historic and historic resources eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places	Virginia Department of Historic Resources (VDHR), Division of Review and Compliance (SHPO)	<p>Roger Kirchen</p> <p>Mike Pulice, Western Regional Preservation Office</p>	MVP contact VDHR SHPO on June 4, 2015 to gain clarity on the access issue regarding historic architecture resources.

Permits/ Approvals/ Consultation	Administering Agency	Agency Contact	Status/Comments
Consultation on potential impacts to wildlife species and habitat	Virginia Department of Conservation and Recreation (VDCR)	Clyde Cristman, Director	<p>MVP provided the Plant Study Plan for review and comment on June 3, 2015.</p> <p>VDCR provided an updated project review and response to the Plant Study Plan on June 10, 2015. MVP provided VDCR with updated contact list.</p> <p>MVP provided a response to VDCR's comments and questions on the Plant Study Plan on June 22, 2015.</p>
Consultation	Virginia Outdoors Foundation	<p>Martha Little, Deputy Director of Stewardship</p> <p>Michael Hallock-Solomon, GIS/IT Specialist</p> <p>David Morton, IT/GIS Manager</p> <p>Harry Hibbitts, Assistant Director of Stewardship</p> <p>Kerry Hutcherson, Staff Counsel, Stewardship Division</p>	<p>Emails were exchanged on June 9 and 10, 2015 to finalize the meeting details between VOF and MVP.</p> <p>MVP requested a deed instrument for one property on June 11, 2015, which VOF in turn provided.</p> <p>Meeting with MVP and VOF on June 16, 2015 at VOF's Richmond office to discuss the MVP project status, VOF background, proposed VOF property crossings, siting considerations, ROW restoration, and VOF permitting processes. In particular, the VOF explained the considerations and process for Conversion or Diversion of Open-Space Land Applications. Thank you emails were exchanged on June 18 and 26, 2015 for the meeting.</p> <p>Email received on June 26, 2015, providing comments on draft resource reports.</p>

Permits/ Approvals/ Consultation	Administering Agency	Agency Contact	Status/Comments
Consultation	Virginia Marine Resources Commission, Habitat Management Division	Beth Howell, Senior Environmental Engineer Justine Woodward, Fisheries Management	Phone call on June 18, 2015 to discuss permitting requirements for Virginia Marine Resources Commission.
State – West Virginia			
Consultation Stream Activity Permit for construction in or across a stream	West Virginia Department of Natural Resources (WVDNR)	Curtis I. Taylor, Wildlife Resources Section Chief Craig Stihler, Biologist PJ Harmon, Biologist Barbara Sargent Janet L. Clayton Joe T. Scarberry	MVP provided the MVP Plant Study Plan for review and comment on June 3, 2015. A follow-up email was sent from PJ Harmon on June 4, 2015. WVDNR approved the Mussel Study Plan with conditions on June 18, 2015. MVP provided capture notification for northern long-eared bats on June 17, 22, 23 and 29, 2015.

Document Content(s)

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