



November 9, 2016

Mr. John McDade
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**Subject: Mountain Valley Pipeline Project
FERC Docket No. CP16-10-000
ARPA Permit # BLRI 2016-02
Accession # SEAC-02830
Report of Phase I Archaeological Investigation in Blue Ridge Parkway
Roanoke and Franklin Counties, Virginia (revised November 2016)**

Dear Mr. McDade,

Mountain Valley Pipeline, LLC (MVP), a joint venture between affiliates of EQT Corporation and NextEra Energy, Inc., Con Edison Midstream Gas, LLC, WGL Holdings, Inc., Vega Energy Partners, Ltd., and RGC Midstream, LLC, proposes to construct and operate an approximately 301-mile, 42-inch diameter natural gas pipeline to allow producers and end-users a direct route to transport new gas supplies to meet the growing need for natural gas in the Mid-Atlantic and southeastern United States markets.

In compliance with Tetra Tech's ARPA Permit with NPS for work in Blue Ridge Parkway in conjunction with the Mountain Valley Pipeline Project (ARPA Permit No. BLRI 2016-02), please find Tetra Tech's report entitled:

*Phase I Archaeological Investigation in Blue Ridge Parkway,
Roanoke and Franklin Counties, Virginia, (revised November 2016)*

For your files, I have enclosed one paper copy and one CD with a digital file of the report. Also, in keeping with your past request, I enclose two paper copies of the report and an additional CD with a digital file of the report that you may use to send to Virginia Department of Historic Resources (State Historic Preservation Office).

Should you have questions or need additional information, please contact me by e-mail (sydne.marshall@tetrattech.com), or by telephone (973-630-8104). You may also contact James Marine

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by e-mail at james.marine@tetratech.com or by telephone (484-680-9997).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sydne B. Marshall". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal line extending to the left.

Sydne B. Marshall, Ph.D., RPA
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Attachment: Phase IB Archaeological Investigation Report

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