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Ms. Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street NE
Washington, DC 20426


Re: Mountain Valley Pipeline, LLC
Docket No. CP16-10-000
Weekly Status Report Nos. 8 and 9

Dear Ms. Bose:

On October 13, 2017, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission issued an order granting a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Mountain Valley Pipeline, LLC (“Mountain Valley”) for the Mountain Valley Pipeline Project in the above-identified docket. On October 31, 2017, Mountain Valley submitted its Implementation Plan for the Project. In compliance with Environmental Condition Nos. 8 and 14, Mountain Valley submits its status report for the prior calendar week.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (412) 553-5786 or meggerding@eqt.com. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,
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by and through its operator,
EQM Gathering OPCO, LLC

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Attachments

cc: All Parties
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FEDERAL AUTHORIZATIONS

See updates to Attachment IP-9 shown in **red**. Mountain Valley has received and submitted documentation for all applicable authorizations required under federal law for the Project.

CONSTRUCTION STATUS

Construction has not commenced. Once construction commences, the status for the individual project components will be presented.

WORK PLANNED FOR NEXT REPORTING PERIOD

No work planned.

SCHEDULE CHANGES

Once construction commences, Mountain Valley will include any required schedule changes for waterbody crossings or work in other environmentally sensitive areas.

ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

None. Construction has not commenced.

LANDOWNER RESOLUTIONS

None. Construction has not commenced.

**Attachment IP-9
(Updated January 3, 2018 (updates in red))**

**Table Listing Status of Major Environmental Certificates, Permits,
and Approvals Required Under Federal Law for MVP**

Administering Agency	Certificate/Permit/Approval	Submittal Date	Authorization Status
Federal			
FERC	Certificate under Section 7 of the NGA	October 23, 2015 application filed with the FERC	Certificate issued October 13, 2017
BLM	Right-of-Way (ROW) Grant for COE and USDA Forest Service lands and flowage easement	February 2017	Complete. ROW Grant issued December 28, 2017.
USDA Forest Service, Jefferson National Forest	Consideration of the Right-of-Way Grant and Temporary Use Permit under Section 28 of the Mineral Leasing Act	February 2017	Complete. ROW Grant and Temporary Use Permit issued December 28, 2017 (see BLM permits).
	Record of Decision (ROD) for Forest Plan Amendments under the National Forest Management Act	N/A	Final ROD signed December 1, 2017
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (COE) Huntington District	Section 404 of CWA & Section 10 of RHA permits	February 21-24, 2016; updated February 17, 2017	Complete. NWP 12 verification received December 22, 2017.
COE Pittsburgh District	Section 404 of CWA & Section 10 of RHA permits	February 21-24, 2016; updated February 17, 2017 with Final Preconstruction Notification under Nationwide Permit (NWP) 12.	Complete. NWP 12 verification received December 19, 2017.
COE Norfolk District	Section 404 of CWA & Section 10 of RHA permits	February 21-24, 2016; May 17, 2017; final submission September 11, 2017	Complete. NWP 12 verification received December 26, 2017.
USDOJ – NPS ANST Office Blue Ridge Parkway Office	Right-of-way Permit to cross the Blue Ridge Parkway under the Energy Policy Act of 2005; 36 CFR 14; 16 USC5; 16 USC 79;	November 10, 2016	Complete. Right-of-Way Permit signed December 28, 2017. Special Use Permit for Construction signed December 20, 2017.
U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS)	Section 7 Consultation	July 10, 2017 (FERC)	FWS transmitted Biological Opinion to FERC on November 21, 2017.
State of West Virginia			
West Virginia Division of Culture and History	Section 106 NHPA Consultations and comments on cultural resource investigations	Various reports submitted throughout 2015, 2016, and 2017; ongoing	Programmatic Agreement executed December 15, 2017. Awaiting SHPO concurrences on outstanding documents.
West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection (WVDEP), Division of Air Quality	CAA permit for air emissions for the Bradshaw, Harris, and Stallworth Compressor Stations	Application filed October 21, 2015	Approved March 4, 2016, March 13, 2016, and April 11, 2016

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WVDEP, Division of Water and Waste Management	Section 401 CWA Water Quality Certification	Application filed February 25, 2016; updated December 23, 2016, updated February 2017	Waiver received November 1, 2017 (see Accession Nos. 20171101-5088 and 20171101-5089)
	Section 402 CWA NPDES Permit – Construction Stormwater General Permit for Oil and Gas Related Construction Activities	Application filed February 23, 2016; updated December 1, 2016 and January 18, 2017	Approved July 14, 2017; suspended September 8, 2017 to allow public comment; suspension lifted November 1, 2017.
	Section 402 CWA NPDES Hydrostatic Test Discharge Permit	Application filed August 3, 2017	Approved September 12 and 13, 2017
	Natural Streams Preservation Act	Application filed January 27, 2017	Approved July 21, 2017
State of Virginia			
Virginia Department of Environmental Quality (VDEQ) – Water Division	Section 401 CWA – Water Quality Certification / Virginia Water Protection Permit	February 21-24, 2016; May 17, 2017; final submission September 11, 2017	Complete. Supplemental conditions issued December 8, 2017 (Certification No. 17-001)
	Virginia Erosion and Sediment Control Program / Virginia Stormwater Management Program – Project-Specific Standards and Specifications	February 11, 2016; June 27, 2016; March 15, 2017; final submission April 17, 2017.	Approved June 20, 2017
	Virginia Erosion and Sediment Control Program / Virginia Stormwater Management Program – by mileage breakdown	MP's 182.7-204.5: June 19, 2017 MP's 204.5-235.6: September 21, 2017 MP's 235.6-264.2: September 21, 2017 MP's 264.2-203.5: 11 September 11, 2017	Pending (but see footnote 1 below)
	Section 402 CWA NPDES Hydrostatic Test Discharge Permit (General Permit VAG83)	Consultation Initiated on March 22, 2016	Per consultation with VADEQ, no permit required.
Virginia Department of Historic Resources	Section 106 NHPA Consultations and comments on cultural resource investigations	Various reports submitted throughout 2015, 2016, and 2017; ongoing	Programmatic Agreement executed December 15, 2017. Awaiting SHPO concurrences on outstanding documents.

¹ These approvals are not required under federal law but are included in this table for tracking purposes.