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May 1, 2015

Kimberley Bose, Secretary Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street NE Washington, DC 20426

Re:

EQT-Mountain Valley Pipeline FERC Docket No. PF 15-3-000

Dear Secretary Bose:

At their meeting on April 27, 2015 the Board of Supervisors of Montgomery County, Virginia adopted a resolution (attached) requesting the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) to extend the deadline for receiving scoping comments as FERC prepares an environmental impact statement (EIS) for the Mountain Valley Pipeline (MVP) Project (Docket No. PF 15-3-000) by an additional 90 days from June 16, 2015 to September 16, 2015. This would allow for those landowners affected by either the recent proposed alternate routes or by the proposed location of a compressor station made by MVP in Montgomery County to provide scoping comments to FERC on issues to address in the EIS and allow FERC time to consider hosting additional scoping meetings along the proposed route.

Thank you for your consideration of the Board's concerns regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

F. Craig Meadows

County Administrator

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Attachment

cc: The Honorable Board of Supervisors

AT AN ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY, VIRGINIA HELD ON THE 27<sup>th</sup> DAY OF APRIL, 2015 AT 7:15 P.M. IN THE BOARD CHAMBERS, MONTGOMERY COUNTY GOVERNMENT CENTER, 755 ROANOKE STREET, CHRISTIANSBURG, VIRGINIA:

## R-FY-15-117 RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION (FERC) TO EXTEND THE DEADLINE FOR SCOPING COMMENTS AN ADDITIONAL NINETY (90) DAYS AND TO CONSIDER HOSTING ADDITIONAL SCOPING MEETINGS FOR PROPERTY OWNERS ALONG THE PROPOSED ROUTE

On a motion by Annette S. Perkins, seconded by Mary W. Biggs and carried unanimously,

BE IT RESOLVED, By the Board of Supervisors of the County of Montgomery, Virginia that the Board of Supervisors hereby respectfully requests that the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) extend the deadline for receiving scoping comments as FERC prepares an environmental impact statement (EIS) for the Mountain Valley Pipeline (MVP) Project (Docket No. PF 15-3-000) by an additional 90 days, from June 16, 2015 to September 16, 2015. The extension of time will allow for those landowners affected by either the recent proposed alternate routes or by the proposed location of a compressor station made by MVP in Montgomery County to provide scoping comments to FERC on issues to address in the EIS and allow FERC time to consider hosting additional scoping meetings along the proposed route.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, By the Board of Supervisors of the County of Montgomery, Virginia that the Board hereby directs the County Administrator to send this resolution along with a letter to FERC on behalf of the Board of Supervisors making the request for additional time.

The vote on the forgoing resolution was as follows:

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Matthew R. Gabriele

None

Christopher A. Tuck

Annette S. Perkins

Mary W. Biggs

M. Todd King

Gary D. Creed

William H. Brown