

May 16, 2019

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20426

Attention: Ms. Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary

Re: Colorado Interstate Gas Company, L.L.C.

Docket No. CP19-56-000

CIG High Plains Kiowa Lateral Expansion Project Weekly Environmental Inspector Report No. 4

#### Commissioners:

Colorado Interstate Gas Company, L.L.C. ("CIG") is hereby filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("Commission") in Docket No. CP19-56-000 its Weekly Environmental Inspector Report related to the CIG High Plains Kiowa Lateral Expansion Project.

# **Description of Proceeding**

On January 24, 2019, CIG filed a prior notice request to Sections 157.205(b), 157.208(b), and 157.210 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act for authorization to construct and operate two laterals and metering facilities located in Weld County, Colorado. The project is referred to as the "CIG High Plains Kiowa Lateral Expansion Project".

# **Submittal of Environmental Inspector Report**

In compliance with Section 157.208(c)(10) of the Natural Gas Act, CIG is providing Environmental Inspector Report No. 4 for the period of May 5, 2019 through May 11, 2019.

## Filing Information

CIG is e-Filing this letter and report with the Commission's Secretary in accordance with the Commission's Order No. 703, *Filing Via the Internet*, guidelines issued on November 15, 2007 in Docket No. RM07-16-000.

Respectfully submitted, COLORADO INTERSTATE GAS COMPANY, L.L.C.

By\_\_\_\_\_/s/ Francisco Tarin Director, Regulatory

Enclosure



CIG Weekly Environmental Inspector Report No. 4		
Docket No. CP19-56-000		
Project Name:	CIG High Plains Kiowa Lateral Expansion Project	
County/State:	Weld County, Colorado	<b>Date:</b> 5/16/2019
Reporting Period:	May 5, 2019 to May 11, 2019	
<b>Environmental Inspector:</b>	Ken Lupi	

### 1. Summary of Construction Activity for Inspection Period:

During this reporting period, the ditching and pipe stringing was completed on the High Five Lateral. The construction contractor began welding and lowering in pipe on the High Five Lateral. The cultural monitor was onsite for the open trench inspection. Topsoil was stripped in the agricultural area between MP 8.9-9. The construction contractor began vegetation clearing of the travel lane and placement of the mats at the wetland located at MP 8.9. Vegetation clearing was completed on access roads E and F. The construction contractor continued welding on the Prairie Hound Meter Station and began grading the High Five Meter Station.

#### 2. Relevant Environmental Activities:

During this reporting period, fourteen (14) people received environmental training. A total of sixty-six (66) people have received training on the CIG High Plains Kiowa Lateral Expansion Project.

The bird nest surveys were completed. No active nests were identified. Additional equipment was inspected to ensure it was dirt and weed free.

### 3. Environmental Problems/Issues and Corrective Actions Taken:

There were no environmental problems or issues identified during this reporting period.

## 4. Environmental Compliance Issues/Resolutions:

There were no environmental compliance issues identified during this reporting period.

#### 5. Issues and Concerns Identified by Landowners:

No landowner issues or concerns were identified during this reporting period.

#### 6. Work Planned for the Following Reporting Period:

It is anticipated during the next reporting period that the construction contractor will continue to lower in pipe on the High Five Lateral. On the Kiowa Lateral the construction contractor will start stringing and welding pipe. It is expected that welding will be completed on Prairie Hound Meter Station. The construction contractor will begin to prepare to hydrotest the Prairie Hound Meter Station piping. Concrete work and welding will begin on the High Five Meter Station.



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## Photos

Location: High Five Lateral
Direction of Photo: Northwest
Description: Contractor stripping
topsoil prior to excavating around

the waterline at STA 0.6



**Location:** High Five Lateral **Direction of Photo:** Northeast **Description:** Contractor placed excavated topsoil on the edge of the extra workspace at MP 0.25





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## Photos

**Location:** Kiowa Lateral **Direction of Photo:** East

**Description:** Contractor clearing vegetation from the travel lane in

the wetland at MP 8.9



Location: Access Roads E and F

**Direction of Photo:** East

**Description:** Contractor mowing

access roads E and F.





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# **Photos**

Location: Kiowa Lateral
Direction of Photo: West
Description: Topsoil stripped in
agricultural area between MP 8.9

and 9.



Location: Kiowa Lateral Direction of Photo: East

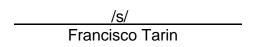
**Description:** Wetland signs and no refueling signs in place at MP 8.9.



# **Certificate of Service**

I hereby certify that I have this day caused a copy of the foregoing documents to be served upon each person designated on the official service list compiled by the Commission's Secretary in this proceeding in accordance with the requirements of Section 385.2010 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure.

Dated at Colorado Springs, Colorado as of this 16<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2019.



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