



May 27, 2026

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

Attention: Ms. Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary

Re: El Paso Natural Gas Company, L.L.C.;
Docket No. CP24-520-000
Maricopa Lateral Expansion Project
Weekly Environmental Inspector Report No. 25

Commissioners:

El Paso Natural Gas Company, L.L.C. (“EPNG”) is hereby filing with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (“Commission”) in Docket No. CP24-520-000, its weekly construction status report related to EPNG’s Maricopa Lateral Expansion Project (“Project”).

Description of Proceeding

On September 17, 2024, EPNG filed a prior notice request, pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act (“NGA”) and Sections 157.205, 157.208 and 157.210 of the Commission’s Part 157 blanket certificate regulations, seeking authorization to construct, install and operate the new Haystack Compressor Station and appurtenances to be located in Yavapai County, Arizona.¹ The Project is designed to provide an additional 50,517 dekatherms per day of firm transportation service to Maricopa County, Arizona.

Submittal of Status Report

In compliance with Section 157.208(c)(10) of the NGA, EPNG is providing its Environmental Inspector Report No. 25.

¹ On October 1, 2024, the Commission issued a Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization initiating the 60-day comment period. Protests to the Project were timely filed and not withdrawn during the reconciliation period. On July 24, 2025, the Commission issued an Order Denying Protest and Authorizing Construction under EPNG’s blanket certificate. See *El Paso Natural Gas Company, L.L.C.*, 192 FERC ¶ 61,078 (2025).

Filing Information

EPNG 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,

EL PASO NATURAL GAS COMPANY, L.L.C.

By _____ /s/
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Enclosures

Cc: Ms. Sareh Poormahdi, OEP

Weekly Status Report No. 25		
Docket No. CP24-520-000		
Project Name:	Maricopa Lateral Expansion Project	
County/State:	Yavapai County, Arizona	Date: 5/27/2026
Reporting Period:	May 17, 2026 to May 23, 2026	
Environmental Inspector:	Bobby Kimball	
<p>1. SUMMARY OF CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY FOR INSPECTION PERIOD: During this period the contractor conducted the following activities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) continued pipe fabrication, x-raying, blasting and painting of piping; (ii) continued welding pipe at the new auxiliary building and the storage tanks; (iii) continued installing conduit, cable trays, and backfilling as necessary; (iv) trenched from the tie-in location to the discharge coalescer; (v) continued installing piping and motors to the storage tanks; and (vi) finished installing the railing along the access road culvert. <p>2. RELEVANT ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIVITIES: During this reporting period, the environmental inspector completed training for one (1) new personnel. Dust mitigation activities continued as needed.</p> <p>3. ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS/ISSUES AND CORRECTIVE ACTIONS TAKEN: No environmental problems or issues occurred during this reporting period.</p> <p>4. ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE ISSUES/RESOLUTIONS: No environmental compliance issues or resolutions occurred during this reporting period.</p> <p>5. ISSUES AND CONCERNS IDENTIFIED BY LANDOWNERS: No landowner issues or concerns were identified during this reporting period.</p> <p>6. WORK PLANNED FOR THE FOLLOWING REPORTING PERIOD: In the upcoming reporting period, the contractor plans to continue with pipe fabrication, x-raying of piping, bolting up piping, setting forms, running conduit, installation of wiring and cable trays, and trench backfilling as necessary. In addition, the contractor plans to install pipe at the new compressor building and inlet filter separator and in the new auxiliary building, as well as continue welding activities of pipe in the trench.</p>		

Maricopa Lateral Expansion Project Photo Documentation	
<p>Location: Haystack Compressor Station site. Direction of Photo: East Date; 5/18/26 Description: Blasting and coating at the tie-in location.</p>	
<p>Location: Haystack Compressor Station site. Direction of Photo: East Date: 5/21/26 Description: Pipe fabrication.</p>	

Location:
Haystack
Compressor
Station site.
**Direction
of Photo:**
North
Date: 5/19/26
Description:
Blasting and
coating of 2-
inch pipe to the
new auxiliary
building.



Location:
Haystack
Compressor
Station site.
**Direction
of Photo:**
North
Date: 5/18/26
Description:
Welding 2-inch
pipe to storage
tanks.



Location:
Haystack
Compressor
Station site.
**Direction of
Photo:**
East
Date: 5/19/26
Description
Pulling wires at
the new
compressor
station
building.



Location:
Haystack
Compressor
Station site.
**Direction of
Photo:**
North
Date:
5/21/2026
Description:
Running wires
on cable trays
at the new
compressor
station
building.



Location:
Haystack
Compressor
Station site.

**Direction of
Photo:**
North

Date:
5/22/26

Description:
Trenching from
the tie-in
location to the
discharge
coalescer.



Location:
Haystack
Compressor
Station site.

**Direction of
Photo:**
East

Date: 5/18/26

Description:
Installation of
piping and
motors to the
storage tanks.



Location:
Haystack
Compressor
Station site.
**Direction of
Photo:**
Southwest
Date: 5/18/26
Description
Railings
installed on the
access road
culvert.



