

**BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD  
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
WASHINGTON, D.C.**

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In re:	)	
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Goodnight Midstream Bakken, LLC	)	UIC Appeal No. 19-01
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Permit No. ND22349-11250	)	
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**JOINT STATUS REPORT**

Pursuant to the March 28, 2019 Order Granting Stay (the “Stay Order”), the Three Affiliated Tribes of North Dakota (the “Tribe”), Goodnight Midstream Bakken, LLC (“Goodnight”), and the Environmental Protection Agency Region 8 (the “EPA”)(collectively the “Parties”) submit the following Joint Status Update. The Parties have begun the informal negotiation process and believe that the remaining sixty (60) days will prove fruitful.

The settlement progress is proceeding and the first in-person meeting between the Tribe and Goodnight will occur on May 17, 2019. The Tribe and Goodnight have requested that the EPA not attend this meeting so that the parties can build rapport and develop a tentative agreement. Goodnight and the Tribe expect to continue to have one-on-one meetings during the stay period. The EPA consents to being separate from the side discussions between the Tribe and Goodnight

while they work towards a tentative agreement. However, because the EPA is a necessary party to this case, the EPA must be included in the discussions prior to the parties reaching final agreement.

The Parties expect to reach settlement by the end of the stay period. Continued negotiations, both in person and electronically, are necessary over the next sixty (60) days to bring this matter to a close. The Parties, pursuant to the Stay Order, will submit another status report on May 29, 2019.

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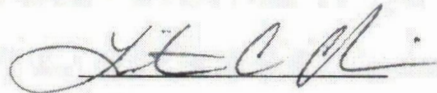
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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing Joint Status Update in the matter of Goodnight Midstream Bakken, LLC, Permit No. ND22349-11250, were served by United States First Class Mail, and electronic mail, with the Clerk of the Environmental Appeals Board this 29th day of April 2019. Copies of the foregoing were also served via United States First Class Mail, and electronic mail, on the following persons:

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