BEFORE THE ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECT WASHINGTON, D.C.			
In re:)		
Goodnight Midstream Bakken, LLC) UIC Appea	al No. 19-01	
UIC Permit No. ND22349-11250)		

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ORDER GRANTING JOINT MOTION FOR STAY OF PROCEEDINGS

The Mandan, Hidatsa and Arikara Nation ("the Nation") has petitioned for review of an Underground Injection Control permit issued by U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 8, to Goodnight Midstream Bakken, LLC ("Permittee"). Shortly after submitting the petition, the Nation and the Permittee filed a joint motion requesting a 90-day stay of the appeal proceedings. The stay was requested so that the Nation and the Permittee could attempt to resolve the Nation's objections to the permit. The stay motion also requests this appeal proceeding be "enter[ed] into the Environmental Appeals Board's mediation process for sixty (60) days" if at the end of the initial 90-day period a resolution has not been reached but the parties wish to continue to negotiate. In a corrected Motion for Stay, the Nation and the Permittee indicate that Region 8 is not opposed to their request for a stay.

In the interest of conserving administrative resources and for good cause shown, the Environmental Appeals Board hereby **GRANTS** the motion and stays proceedings in this matter until Friday, June 28, 2019. The Nation, the Permittee, and Region 8 ("the parties") shall file joint status reports with the Board on Monday, April 29, 2019; Wednesday, May 29, 2019; and Monday, June 24, 2019. In each status report, the parties shall inform the Board of the

progress the parties have made. In addition, the parties' third report should include the parties' requested path forward in this matter, whether that be a request that the Board: (1) establish a briefing schedule; (2) continue the stay (providing a justification and length for the proposed continuation); (3) accept the matter into the Board's alternate dispute resolution program; or (4) take some other appropriate action (providing a basis for such action).

So ordered.

ENVIRONMENTAL APPEALS BOARD

Dated: March 28, 2019 By: Kathie A. Stein

Environmental Appeals Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing **Order Granting Joint Motion for Stay of Proceedings** in the matter of *Goodnight Midstream Bakken, LLC*, UIC Appeal No. 19-01, were sent to the following persons in the manner indicated:

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