NEBRASKA EASEMENT ACTION TEAM

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Dear Landowner.

The **Nebraska Easement Action Team** is a nonprofit that helped organize landowners to stop the risky Keystone XL pipeline from using eminent domain. We worked closely with Bold Nebraska for the 10 years of that very long fight to protect our land and water.

We are now working with landowners to stop Navigator and Summit pipeline corporations from using eminent domain for their risky carbon pipelines.

If you received a letter, phone call, or knock on the door from a representative from Navigator or Summit pipeline corporation you should know **you DO NOT have to sign an easement**.

NEAT is hosting property rights meetings for you to learn more on how you can protect your land:

O'NEILL TUESDAY, FEB. 1, 12:00—1:30 p.m.

- → O'Neill Community Center, 501 S 4th St., O'Neill
- → Boxed lunches served.

VIRTUAL MEETING FEB. 2, 10:00-11:30 a.m

→ Join by phone: 1-312-626-6799 MEETING ID: 936-3982-1655

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→ Join online with Zoom (video or Internet audio): www.bit.ly/carbonpipelines PASS CODE: 046903

YORK THURSDAY, FEB. 3, 12:00-1:30 p.m.

- → Chances "R" Restaurant, 124 W 5th St., York
- → Buffett lunch served.

Please share the details of our upcoming landowner meetings with your neighbors who you think might have also been contacted for a carbon pipeline. If any impacted landowners have questions in the meantime, please contact me — I am a fellow landowner whose land was on the original Keystone XL route, and worked with the group of landowners who successfully defended against eminent domain.

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About the Risky Carbon Pipelines and Our Meetings:

The pipeline corporations—Summit Carbon Solutions and Navigator CO2 Ventures—are trying to cross our state with untested, unregulated and life-threatening large-diameter pipelines that would carry highly-pressurized carbon dioxide (CO2). Just like with Keystone XL, our state does not have the local zoning, state routing, or decommissioning laws needed to properly assess the risks and long-term threats from these pipelines.

NEAT (the Nebraska Easement Action Team) will host a series of upcoming meetings for impacted landowners and communities on these proposed carbon pipeline routes.

Attorney Brian Jorde with Omaha's Domina Law Group will be present to give a presentation on landowners' rights with respect to eminent domain, and speak to the advantages of forming a legal "co-op" with other landowners who oppose their land being taken by eminent domain for these projects.

Pipeline expert Paul Blackburn will also give an overview of this unproven "carbon capture" technology, and the unsound economics and safety and health risks from these proposed carbon pipelines.

When a carbon pipeline explodes, it could suffocate or intoxicate anyone in the area. Just like what happened in a town called Satartia, Mississippi. Anyone outside including equipment operators, first responders, and livestock would be at particular risk.

These carbon pipeline proposals are a tax scam, where greedy outsiders want to use our land to pipe this pollution across several Midwest states and through our rural communities. Their ultimate goal is to play on the "carbon credit" market in California along with getting billions in federal tax handouts, while pretending they are actually solving the climate crisis. Yet again, hardworking farmers and ranchers are being asked to sacrifice their land and risk their livelihoods for a bunch of rich people's latest idea on how to make a bunch of money, as they pretend to clean up Big Oil's mess using federal tax dollars.

NEAT stands with farmers and ranchers against the use of eminent domain for private gain for these proposed carbon pipelines. The very people who feed our state, nation, and the world must have secure property rights and should not be forced to sacrifice their land, liberties and lives for this private tax scheme.

Bold Nebraska has a great website up with resources and links about the risks of these pipelines: BoldNebraska.org.

At our meetings, we will have printed materials and more information on legal resources. If you are attending the virtual meeting, we can send information to you in the mail and over email.

We look forward to seeing you at one of our meetings.

Standing with you,

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You can email us questions at: info@boldnebraska.org.

You may also reach out directly to attorney Brian Jorde at Domina Law Group:

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