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VECTOR Pipeline

DATE 8-18-00

CHICAGO TO ST. CLAIR EXT.

To: Hunter Shively

From: Doyle BAUGHMAN

Sheehan Pipeline CONST. Spread I

CONTACT AT The Sheehan Spread I office. Mr. Leo

ZIMERMAN (Head of The Vector Inspection Coordinating STAFF).

Their office estimate a 47% Completion of the project AT This date. They Are Moving very well ⁱⁿ All segments of the Construction group. They Are Still working extra hours To CATCH UP Caused by earlier RAIN delays.

Their projected Completion of Spread I is OCT 27, 00.

Welded Pipeline Contractors

Spread I

8-16-00 CONTACT: Spread I office Mgr.

The percentage Figures were TAKEN from Their Right of Way MAP IN The office, AND Are Current.

Cleaning of ROW. 100% Complete

Grade is 75% Complete

Ditching 68% Complete

Welding 65% Complete

Backfill 55% Complete

Hydro Testing 35% Complete

Tie IN Welding 32% Completed

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Final Cleanup of ROW 25% Complete

Road Boring Appears To be About 60% Completed.

Directional Drilling; will depend on the difficulty of any section left to drill, but they are progressing well at this time on both welded spreads.

The Total Welded Spread I Project is about 58% completed on 8-16-00.

Welded Spread II, 8-16-00

The Twenty Five Mile Skip That is in the Courts has been partially cleared to begin work on. Several more of the Tracts are to go before the Judge next week and things look good for those Tracts to be settled then.

Rain continues to be a problem for here. There are many wetland areas to cross. They had a 3-4 inch rain Tuesday of this week and couldn't work for one day. It is rainy today again & no one is able to work.

The pipe gang could weld out late next week if rain stops. When they are welded out they will be broken up into several smaller groups to do tie ins of test segments, valve settings, & wetland areas that have been moved (next area).

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Around by The MAIN Line Pipe GANG.
MOST of The WET LAND AREAS ARE MOVED
Around by The MAIN Line Pipe GANG To
ELIMINATE UNNECESSARY TRACKING THROUGH THE
WET AREAS.

I SPOKE TO THE SPREAD SUPERINTENDENT
MR. JUNE THORTON REGARDING HIS SPREAD COMPLETION
DATE. HE IS CONFIDENT THEY WILL BE MECHANICALLY
COMPLETE BY OCT 21.

CONCLUSION BASED ON DATA GATHERED FROM THE THREE
SPREADS WORKING THE PROJECT, A NOV. 1
COMPLETION DATE IS VIABLE.

Doyle R. Buchanan