

Southern Access Extension Pipeline Project



Dear Stakeholder:

I'm writing to update you on the status of the Southern Access Extension (SAX) Pipeline Project. Much progress has been made since we sent the most recent newsletter last summer. At that time we were preparing to start construction. Due to a number of factors, however, construction was delayed.

Since then, Enbridge has hired a general contractor to oversee mainline construction. (More information about our contractor can be found on page 3.) And now we're preparing to start construction on the new pipeline early this summer.

Most recently, we have been engaged in the start of facility construction and pipeline pre-construction activities. In fact, you may have seen survey crews and workers on or near your property placing signs and survey markers,

as well as performing other tasks. Other pre-construction activities, including trucking pipe to storage yards, setting-up construction management trailers and delivering construction equipment, are ongoing. We've also designated three locations for contractor staging areas and equipment yards: South of Decatur; north of Bloomington; and in the Brownstown area.

Once mainline construction is underway, the SAX Pipeline Project will create hundreds of construction jobs in communities along the project route, drawing from both industry professionals and local workers. These crews will stay and spend locally, generating additional benefits for communities during construction.

I encourage you to visit Enbridge's website to learn more about our

construction plans. It's updated with construction-related materials designed to help you understand what to expect during construction.

Enbridge is excited to finally begin constructing the SAX Pipeline Project! We will keep communicating with you as construction proceeds and as we move toward an anticipated in-service date of late-2015. As always, please contact us with questions or comments.

Sincerely,

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Enbridge gives back

Through our charitable programs, particularly in the area of education, the whole community benefits. Recently, we supported students at Kaskaskia, Heartland, Lincoln Land, and Richland community colleges by sponsoring educational scholarships as part of our Industry Awareness Scholarship Program.



An Enbridge Industry Awareness Scholarship is presented to Dr. Charlotte Warren, President of Lincoln Land Community College (LLCC) and Wayne Rosenthal, former State Representative and current Director of the Illinois Department of Natural Resources and LLCC Trustee.

"As a member of the LLCC Board of Trustees, I know the impact that scholarships have on students who need financial support to achieve their educational goals."

Wayne Rosenthal

Former State Representative and current Director of the Illinois Department of Natural Resources and LLCC Trustee



Enbridge presents Industry Awareness Scholarships to Robert D. Widmer, President, Heartland Community College. The scholarships are supporting students with a career

focus in civil, electrical or petroleum engineering, computer science and information assurance and security. Also photo'd are Robert Russell, Mayor, city of Pontiac and Adam Dontz, CEO, Greater Livingston County Economic Development Council.



Joined by Sen. Kyle McCarter and Rep. John Cavaletto, an Enbridge Industry Awareness Scholarship is presented to Dr. Jim Underwood, President of Kaskaskia College in Centralia.

"Kaskaskia College is incredibly grateful for this scholarship opportunity presented by Enbridge. The mission of a community college is not only to train students in order to assist them in achieving employment success, but also to work hand in hand with neighboring businesses to ensure the economic success of the communities we serve. Enbridge has proven through these scholarship opportunities that they are committed to the success of the citizens of our district, as well as the college as a whole."

George Evans

Dean of Career and Technical Education, Kaskaskia College

We want to make our communities safer, healthier, smarter, greener and more inspiring.

At Enbridge, we believe a community belongs to everyone who lives there. We engage – as citizens and as corporations – because we want to make our communities safer, healthier, smarter, greener, and more inspiring. Through our grant program we have contributed to the following organizations in the project area:

Livingston County Environmental Association

Heartline & Hearthouse - Eureka

Salem4Youth - Flanagan

Clinton Community YMCA

Decatur Police Department

Community-based scholarships for local Community Colleges

Pana Community Hospital

Dwight Fire Protection

Livingston County Historical Society

Enbridge strives to be a good neighbor. We continue to deliver on our promise to make communities in which we operate better places to live.

Application for the Enbridge Community Investment Program

To submit an online application for an Enbridge corporate contribution, please follow these instructions:

- 1. Visit www.enbridge.com**
- 2. Click "About Enbridge" in the navigation menu**
- 3. Click "More about Community Investment"**
- 4. From the left menu, click "Apply for Funding"**

Please review the eligibility requirements carefully and be sure to submit as much detailed information as possible about your project or organization.

Working with Enbridge

The mainline contractor for the SAX Pipeline Project has been selected. Read more about U.S. Pipeline, Inc. below.

Meet our Contractor



Luke Kesner
Director of Project Controls

A third-generation pipeliner with more than 15 years of industry experience, Kesner began his pipeline career initially working as a Journeyman Apprentice in the summers while attending school. In that time he has garnered broad experience in pipeline and facility construction, modification, replacement, and integrity work.

U.S. Pipeline, Inc.
www.uspipeline.com

Construction by the Numbers



Volume of earth excavated:
1,100,000 Cubic Yards

This is enough volume to fill an NFL football stadium



Amount of steel used:
652,500 Tons

A quantity equal to 60 of the world's largest fully-loaded
Caterpillar 797F Dump Trucks

Enbridge in the community

Local testimonials from businesses located along the recently constructed Flanagan South Pipeline in Illinois.



"In November 2013, we easily raised our sales \$300,000 because of construction on the Flanagan South pipeline. That was the highest grossing sales for Farm King in the 55 years we've been open."

Robert Huber
Farm King Supply Store, Macomb, IL



"We've been very thankful for the business the pipeline has brought our way for the past year. Many of the pipeliners have been like friends and family to us."

Dianna Eifert
Co-owner, Deb and Di's Restaurant, Rushville, IL

"The pipeline brought a lot of revenue to our business over the course of several months. They've been great to deal with; we love having pipeliners here."

Ronalyn Pelayo
Manager, Hampton Inn, Macomb, IL

Construction FAQs

The following are frequently asked questions we hear from landowners and others on pipeline projects. We hope you find the information helpful. If there are any questions we have not answered here, please contact your Land Services agent, or use the contact information in this newsletter to reach the SAX project team. The project website also has a video entitled “Typical Stages of Pipeline Construction” that provides a helpful visual description of what to expect during construction.

How will I be notified when construction is about to begin on my property? A land agent will try to contact you at least 24 hours before construction begins on your property.

How long will crews be on my property? Construction on any one parcel typically lasts six to eight weeks. This duration may not be consecutive and will depend on a number of factors. Weather is one of the factors that can require longer durations for post-construction restoration activities.

Will there be noise/dust debris during construction? Yes, there will be occasional noise and dust from machinery. The crews will work Monday – Saturday, mostly during daylight hours. Because the amount of dust is greater in dry conditions, crews will water construction travel lanes and gravel roads to minimize dust in areas near homes.

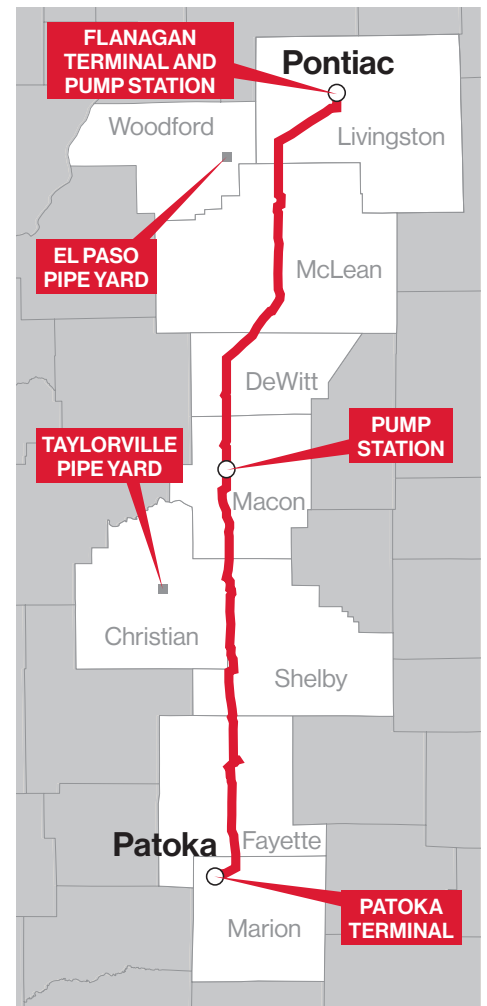
Will my land be restored to its original condition? Enbridge’s goal following construction is to restore the land as close to its pre-construction condition as feasible and follow the agreements entered into with the landowners and regulatory agencies. To permit pipeline surveillance and maintenance, the permanent right-of-way must be kept clear of trees.

Still have questions? You can reach the project team via email at southernaccessextension@enbridge.com or by calling **855-714-8373**.

Some areas are unique and may require special restoration methods. In farmed areas with drain tile, Enbridge will have a plan to restore the drain tile system to its pre-construction function. An Enbridge right-of-way representative will contact you to confirm that the restoration was completed and/or that you were compensated according to your agreement with Enbridge.

Will I be compensated for crop or timber damages? Enbridge will compensate landowners for damage to crops along the right-of-way. Compensation is determined by inspecting the type of crop, area of the right-of-way affected, yield and value based on current market value of the crop. Landowners will be compensated for crop losses using a formula that assumes 100 percent loss during the year of construction and a gradual improvement of yields over a specified period of time. Compensation for timber will be based upon the market and the type of timber.

What happens after construction is complete? After the pipeline is tested, Enbridge begins transporting petroleum. We have a comprehensive pipeline integrity management program that includes regular inspection and preventive maintenance on our pipelines. To allow for regular patrol and maintenance access, the right-of-way will be kept clear of structures, trees and brush. Enbridge will also send periodic mailings to those who live and work along the pipeline route regarding 811, the national “call before you dig” telephone number and the 24-hour Enbridge emergency number 800-858-5253.



Everybody Goes Home Safe!

Please use caution when driving near areas of pipeline construction. Watch for flaggers, construction caution signs, and slow traffic. For your safety and the safety of others, please do not enter our work areas. We appreciate your cooperation and patience.