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Subject: Congaree River Project Update - QTR 2 2019

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Mr. Cassidy,

The attached document serves to provide an update (Second Quarter, 2019) of significant activities/milestones to SCDHEC and stakeholders as to the progress of Dominion Energy's permitting efforts of the stakeholder-developed Modified Removal Action (MRA).

As always, please do not hesitate to reach out to me if you have any questions, or if any item in the attached document requires clarification.

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CONGAREE RIVER PROJECT

COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA

QUARTERLY REPORT – SECOND QUARTER 2019

SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITIES/MILESTONES

<u>Date</u> April 2, 2019	Milestone/Event SCE&G met with representatives from the City of Columbia to discuss the City's plans to improve the existing storm sewer system in the utility corridor on the landside of the project area and the proposed southern access route.
April 2, 2019	SCE&G provided the first Quarterly Report for 2019 to SCDHEC and the Stakeholders.
April 2, 2019	SCDHEC conducted a public meeting to discuss the Stakeholder-developed MRA Plan.
April 11, 2019	SCDHEC provided a summary of the feedback that they had received regarding the Congaree River Public Meeting held on April2, 2019 to DESC.
April 12, 2019	SCE&G provided a status update and a copy of the first Quarterly Report to the USACE.
April 15, 2019	SCE&G notified SCDHEC that the surface water sampling event planned for the week of April $15^{\rm th}$ had to be postponed due to high water and safety concerns.
April 15, 2019	SCANA/SCE&G became Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc. (DESC)
April 16, 2019	DESC provided the Hydraulic Backwater Analysis / 100-Year No-Rise Certification for the stakeholder-developed MRA cofferdam footprint to the USACE. A link to the computer-generated calculations and results was included in the email. An update on additional, on-going, engineering studies associated with the cofferdam approach was also provided.
April 30, 2019	DESC provided an update on the schedule for the field work related to the Surface Water sampling event (May 3^{rd} , 2019) to SCDHEC.
April 30, 2019	DESC completed a routine river inspection and outfall inspection.
May 3, 2019	DESC collected nine (9) Surface Water Samples from the Congaree River and other approved locations, per the approved Work Plan.
May 16, 2019	DESC notified the USACE that DESC was going to contact the local Floodplain Coordinators and inform Floodplain Coordinators about the impending "No-Rise / No-Impact Certification" information submitted to the USACE on April 16, 2019. DESC also inquired as to the specific individual contact information. Lastly, DESC



	inquired about the status of a contemplated conference call to discuss the April 16, 2019 submittal with the USACE.
May 16, 2019	DESC completed the routine river inspection.
May 17, 2019	USACE provided a link to a Directory of Local National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) Administrators based on the May 16 th request. The USACE also provided an initial comment that the pictures in the Memo are difficult to see and requested that DESC provide better, or clearer figures.
June 3, 2019	DESC provided notification to the appropriate Floodplain coordinators for Lexington and Richland Counties, the City of Columbia and South Carolina Department of Natural Resources (SCDNR). The notification provided a status update on the Congaree River Project and alerted the recipients of the impending "No-Rise Certification" (April 16, 2019 submittal) currently under review by the USACE.
June 6, 2019	DESC completed the routine river inspection.
June 12, 2019	Heather Brown, Floodplain Manager for Richland County, provided an acknowledgement that she had received the notification from DESC sent on June $3^{\rm rd}$, 2019.
June 13, 2019	DESC provided an update to the USACE consisting of the names of the four (4) Floodplain Managers notified on June 3 rd , 2019. Also included in this email were four (4) "improved" figures from the April 16 th , 2019 submittal. Additionally, DESC suggested that it would be extremely helpful to schedule a conference call to discuss the April submittal.
June 26, 2019	DESC submitted the Fourth Semi-Annual Surface Water Assessment Report to SCDHEC.

Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc.

Congaree River Site Columbia, South Carolina

Projected Schedule - Revised 07-01-19 Second Quarter - 2019

	Item	Description
	1	Backwater Analysis / No-Rise Certification
	2	DHEC Public Meeting - Present Stakeholder-Developed MRA
	3	USACE - Backwater / No Rise Analysis Review
	4	Rock filled Cofferdam vs. Cellular Sheetpile Evaluation
Cofferdam		
"Riverside" Design/Permit	5	Local Floodplain Review/Approvals
Associated	6	Develop Lower Flow Sensitivity Study
Work	7	USACE - Lower Flow Sensitivity Study Review
	8	Berm Height Evaluation/Cofferdam Design
	9	Cofferdam Leakage Estimates/Stability Analysis

Targeted Completion Date	<u>Notes</u>
3/31/2019	
4/2/2019	
7/30/2019	04/16/19 - Submitted, awaiting initial conference call seeking comments
6/30/2019	On-going, may reduce overall footprint of cofferdam and reduce / eliminate adverse effects on
	the western shoreline and catastrophic failure of a rock filled cofferdam, 1st draft under review
7/30/2019	06/03/19 - Provided Initial Notification to Floodplain Coordinators and advised of future submittal
8/31/2019	Started, requires No-Rise computer model "approval" [Item #3], prior to finalizing
9/30/2019	
10/31/2019	
11/30/2019	

		Description (Assumes Limited Access is Available)
		Preliminary Utility Clearances
		Design Access Route
Associated	12	Unnamed Tributary #2 Creek Crossing Design
Work		

Targeted Completion Date	<u>Notes</u>
12/30/2019	To be completed AFTER "riverside" design/permit work has been "deemed sufficient"
1/31/2020	To be completed AFTER "riverside" design/permit work has been "deemed sufficient"
1/31/2020	To be completed AFTER "riverside" design/permit work has been "deemed sufficient"

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	13 Develop (Revise) Support Plans
"Completed"	14 USACE - Joint Application Submittal
Permit	15 USACE Application Review/Approval
Submittal /	16 USACE UXO Review/Approval
Review	17 SHPO Review/Approval
	18 USCG Navigation Plan Review/Approval

Targeted Completion Date	<u>Notes</u>
3/31/2020	
3/31/2020	Revised date for "completed" application submittal
10/1/2020	Receive USACE Permit (Assumed 6-month review period)
10/1/2020	
10/1/2020	
5/30/2021	Can not be submitted until the USACE Permit has been Received

	Item	<u>Description</u>
	19	Final MRA Work Plan Submittal to SCDHEC
MRA Work	20	Final DHEC Review/Approval (Includes Public Meeting)
Plan - SCDHEC	21	Disposal Approvals
& Other	22	Access Agreement(s)
Approvals	23	City Landside Approvals
	24	Access Improvements Contractor Procurement
	25	Central and South Access Improvements

Targeted Completion Date	<u>Notes</u>
5/31/2020	Work Plan can not be "submitted" until after the USACE permit
	has been essentially "completed"
11/30/2020	
1/31/2021	
3/31/2020	
5/31/2020	
7/31/2020	
12/31/2020	

	Item Description
	26 Remediation Contractor Procurement
Remediation	27 Site Operations Set-up
Field	28 Implementation Phase 1 (Area 1A)
Activities	29 Implementation Phase 2 (Area 1B)
	30 Implementation Phase 3 (Area 2)
	31 Implementation Phase 4 (Contingency)
	32 Restoration
	33 Documentation Report

Targeted Start Date	Targeted Completion Date
1/1/2021	3/31/2021
4/1/2021	5/1/2021
5/1/2021	10/31/2021
5/1/2022	10/31/2022
5/1/2023	10/31/2023
5/1/2024	10/31/2024
11/1/2024	12/31/2024
	6/30/2025

- Completed

- In Progress

7/2/2019