

Keystone Pipeline System

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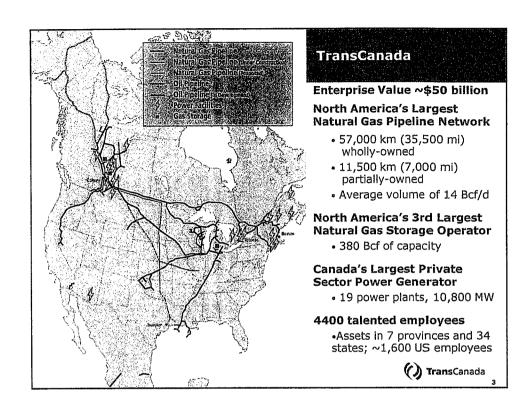
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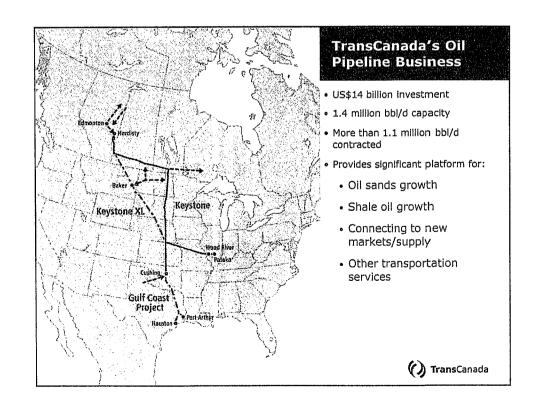


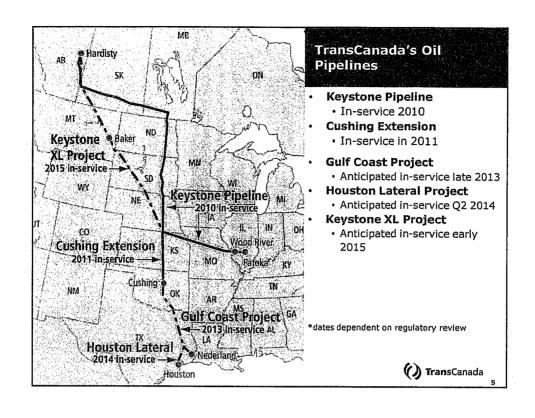
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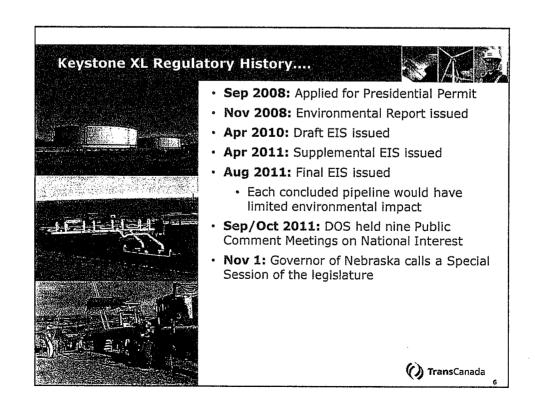


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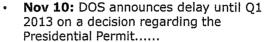




Keystone XL Regulatory History....







- Nov 14: TransCanada announces support of legislation in Nebraska to reroute the proposed pipeline
- Dec 23: Congress approves and President Obama signs a 60-day extension of the payroll tax credit that includes an amendment regarding Keystone
- Dec 29: NDEQ identifies Sandhills Regions



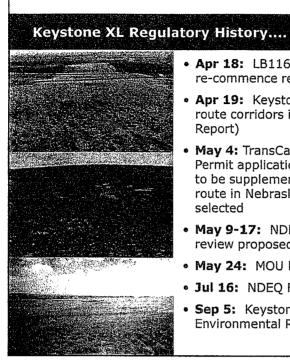
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- Jan 18, 2012: DOS announced the Presidential Permit for Keystone XL was denied due to the insufficient time provided to fully assess the pipeline's impact
- Jan 18: TransCanada announces intentions to re-apply for the Presidential Permit for Keystone XL following DOS announcement
- Jan 19: NDEQ suspends its review due to DOS announcement; LB1161 amendment was introduced to enable NDEQ to continue its review
- Feb 27: TransCanada announces plan to reapply for a Presidential Permit for Keystone XL and the Gulf Coast Project will be built as a stand alone project



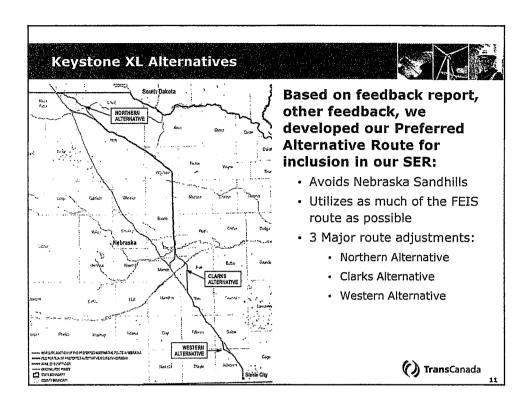


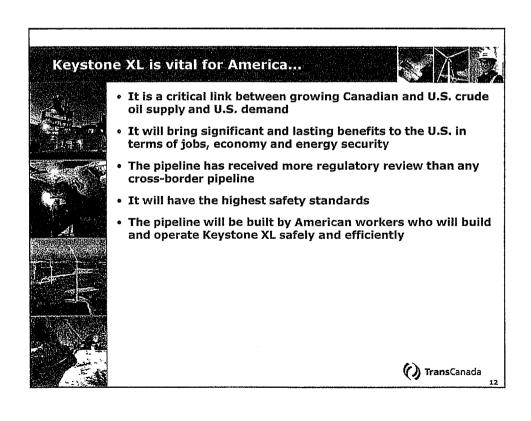


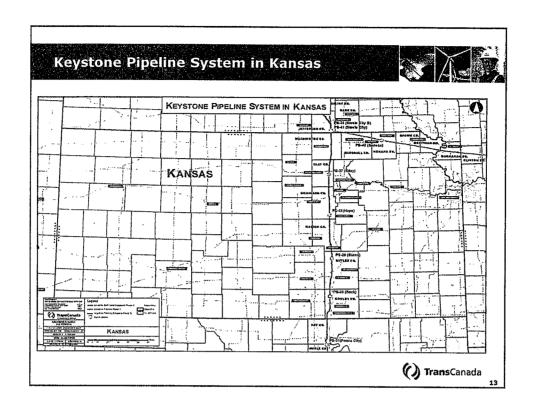
- Apr 18: LB1161 took effect; NDEQ able to re-commence review process
- Apr 19: Keystone submits proposed reroute corridors in Nebraska (Routing Report)
- May 4: TransCanada submits Presidential Permit application to DOS; that application to be supplemented with an alternative route in Nebraska as soon as that route is selected
- May 9-17: NDEQ holds Public Meetings to review proposed re-route corridor
- May 24: MOU between NDEQ / DOS
- Jul 16: NDEQ Feedback Report
- Sep 5: Keystone files Supplemental Environmental Report (SER)

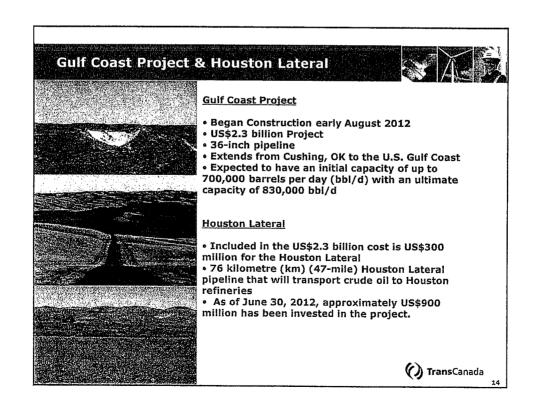
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Keystone XL Regulatory History.... Oct 30 NDEQ releases report on new KXL route and says it addresses concerns · Dec 4 NDEQ will hold public comment meeting Dec/Jan Final NDEQ report to Governor and decision by Governor () TransCanada









Gulf Coast Project is vital for America...





- · The Gulf Coast Project will transport growing supplies of U.S. crude oil to meet refinery demand in Texas
- The Gulf Coast Project would reduce the United States' dependence on foreign crude and allow Americans to use more of the crude oil produced in their own country
- The Gulf Coast Project would be a positive step in creating approximately 4,000 construction jobs



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Summary and Conclusions



- Pipelines are the safest, most economical and efficient means of connecting growing Alberta oil supplies to **North American markets**
- Regulatory approval process must be efficient, transparent and accountable to serve the public interest
- Strong political and energy industry leadership is needed to address the issues, engage stakeholders, and enhance credibility



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