

November 25, 2019

To: Parties currently registered on Proceeding 24827

**ATCO Gas and Pipelines Ltd.
Northwest Calgary Connector Pipeline Project
Proceeding 24827
Application 24827-A001**

Further ruling on standing

1. The Alberta Utilities Commission issued a notice of hearing for Proceeding 24827 on September 5, 2019, setting a deadline for written submissions of October 16, 2019. On October 24, 2019 and again on November 19, 2019, the Commission issued a standing ruling granting various parties standing to participate in the above-noted proceeding.¹
2. In its ruling of November 19, 2019, the Commission denied standing to Dione and Trevor MacDonald and Patrick and Diane Green based on the Commission's understanding that their properties were not directly adjacent to the proposed pipeline right-of-way and were located more than 400 metres from its edge.
3. On November 20, 2019, the Commission received a letter² from Carscallen LLP providing additional information on the proximity of the MacDonalds' and the Greens' properties to the proposed pipeline project. In its letter, Carscallen LLP stated that both properties have access roads that are directly connected to 85th Street N.W., that the proposed pipeline would be located on the west side of 85th Street N.W., and that the properties are well within 400 metres of the edge of the proposed right-of-way.
4. The Commission set out the framework for how it determines standing in its October 24, 2019 ruling and will not repeat it here.
5. The Commission has authorized me to communicate its decision on standing.

Ruling

6. The Commission notes that the proposed pipeline would be located on the east side of 85th Street N.W. along the portion of the right-of-way in the vicinity of MacDonalds' and Greens' properties as shown in ATCO's right-of-way map.³ Nonetheless, the Commission is assisted with the supplemental information which shows that the access roadways into the two properties abut the 85th Street roadway. In light of the additional information filed by Carscallen LLP, the Commission has determined that Dione and Trevor MacDonald and Patrick and Diane Green, who

¹ Exhibit 24827-X0066, AUC Ruling on standing, October 24, 2019; Exhibit 24827-X0078, AUC Further ruling on standing, November 19, 2019.

² Exhibit 24827-X0081, Requesting reconsider standing ruling on MacDonalds and Greens, November 20, 2019.

³ Exhibit 24827-X0065, 40026-AUC-MAP-SHEET 3, October 22, 2019.

are members of the Northern Group, all own or occupy land located on, or directly adjacent to, the proposed pipeline right-of-way, or are within close proximity of the proposed pipeline right-of-way, and have demonstrated that they have legal rights that may be directly and adversely affected by the Commission's decision on the application. Accordingly, these individuals have been granted standing to participate in this proceeding and are listed in the revised Schedule A to this letter.

7. The persons who have been granted standing are eligible to potentially recover the costs of their participation in this proceeding, as they fall within the definition of "local intervener" in Section 22 of the *Alberta Utilities Commission Act*. Rule 009: *Rules on Local Intervener Costs* applies to costs claims for this proceeding.

8. The Commission emphasizes that eligibility to claim costs does not guarantee full recovery of any costs. Any claims for costs must be filed after this proceeding is concluded, in accordance with Rule 009, and costs recovery is subject to the Commission assessing the parties' contribution to the proceeding. The Commission encourages parties with similar interests and positions to work together to ensure that any expenditures are minimized and costs are not duplicated.

9. If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at 403-592-4360 or by email at rob.watson@auc.ab.ca

Yours truly,

Rob Watson
Commission Counsel

Attachment

Revised Schedule A - Persons and organizations with standing in Proceeding 24827

Name	Representative
Brenda Lynch	Carscallen LLP
Carmela Chan	Ackroyd LLP
Carmelo and Gina Silvestro	Carscallen LLP
Darlene Campbell	
Denise and Kevin Morey	Carscallen LLP
Dione and Trevor MacDonald	Carscallen LLP
Don and Beth Aultman	Carscallen LLP
Ernie Anderson	
Galen Enns	Carscallen LLP
Gary Kaye	Carscallen LLP
Harbinder Singh Heer	Badyal Toor
Harmeet Kaur Randhawa	Badyal Toor
James Charette	Carscallen LLP
Jim Wang	Carscallen LLP
Jatinder Wadh	Badyal Toor
Jaymal Ruparell	Ackroyd LLP
Li Ming Cong	Carscallen LLP
Manjinder Singh Dhami	Badyal Toor
Marion Enns	Carscallen LLP
Normand Tisserand	Carscallen LLP
Patrick and Diane Green	Carscallen LLP
Stephen Thomas	Carscallen LLP
Sukhvinder Singh Wahid	Badyal Toor
Sunpreet Shergill	Carscallen LLP
Ulla and Steven Kalny	Carscallen LLP