



March 19, 2019

Mr. Allan C. Beshore  
Director, Central Region  
U.S. Department of Transportation  
Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration  
901 Locust Street, Suite 462  
Kansas City, MO 64106

**Re: CPF No. 3-2019-5010**  
**Notice of Probable Violation and Proposed Civil Penalty – Tallgrass Pony Express Pipeline, LLC**

Dear Mr. Beshore:

Tallgrass Pony Express Pipeline, LLC (PXP) is not contesting violating the Pipeline Safety Regulation, Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations expressed in the Notice of Probable Violation (NOPV) received on February 22, 2019. Payment of the civil penalty was wired successfully today; included is the banking confirmation number: FED#0319 | 1B7031R005628.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jennifer Eckels", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Jennifer Eckels  
Compliance Manager, Tallgrass Energy  
370 Van Gordon Street | Lakewood, CO 80228 | Phone: (303) 763-3486

CC: Tallgrass – Mick Rafter, Craig Meis, Jay Meyers, Kale Stanton, Chris Jones  
PHMSA – Karen Butler