Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, L.L.C.
a Kinder Morgan company

Mississippi Crossing Project
Frequently Asked Questions

1) What is the Mississippi Crossing Project?

Tennessee Gas Pipeline Company, L.L.C. (TGP), a Kinder Morgan company, is developing the Mississippi Crossing Project (Project) to meet the growing demand for natural gas to supply markets in the southeast, including power generation and traditional residential and commercial natural gas demand. The Project will connect to TGP's existing pipeline system and third-party pipelines that, in combination, will provide critical supply access to multiple, diverse, and liquid supply basins to southeast markets.

2) What is the purpose of the Mississippi Crossing Project?

The southeast region, as a whole, will benefit from the Project as it will provide natural gas users access to abundant shale production across the eastern half of the United States. The additional supply access and the diversity of supply will help satisfy growing energy demand, lower energy costs, and enable the service providers in the southeast to compete for new commercial and industrial gas demand loads. To meet the supply needs for this growing energy demand, TGP currently has executed binding precedent agreements with seven shippers for approximately 1.8 billion cubic feet per day of long-term firm transportation capacity on the proposed Project.

3) What facilities are associated with the Mississippi Crossing Project?

The Project includes the construction of approximately 208 miles of pipeline and lateral facilities, three new compressor stations, four new meter stations, and related facilities. The Project's proposed route will cross Humphreys, Sunflower, Washington, Attala, Holmes, Clarke, Leake, Newton, Lauderdale and Neshoba counties in Mississippi as well as Choctaw County in Alabama.

4) Who is TGP?

TGP is one of the largest interstate natural gas pipeline systems in the United States. It transports natural gas from multiple production basins in the United States across 15 states to markets throughout the country. Owned and operated by Kinder Morgan, TGP is an approximately 11,775-mile pipeline system.

5) Who is Kinder Morgan?

Kinder Morgan is one of the largest energy infrastructure companies in North America, owning an interest in or operating approximately 79,000 miles of pipelines and 139 terminals. Kinder Morgan's pipelines transport natural gas, gasoline, crude oil, carbon dioxide (CO_2) and more. Our terminals store and handle renewable fuels, petroleum products, chemicals, vegetable oils and other products.

6) What regulatory agencies will oversee the Mississippi Crossing Project?

A number of federal and state agencies will be involved in the oversight and approval of the Mississippi Crossing Project, including the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), the United States Army Corps of Engineers, the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, the National Park Service, and various state agencies in Mississippi and Alabama. In addition, the FERC will engage in government-to-government consultations with Native American tribes with an historic interest in the Project area, as applicable.

7) **When is the Mississippi Crossing Project expected to be placed into service?**
Pending the receipt of all required permits and clearances, TGP plans to place the Project in-service in the fourth quarter of 2028.

8) **What is TGP's safety record?**
TGP is committed to public safety, protection of the environment and operation of its facilities in compliance with all applicable rules and regulations. TGP pipelines fall under the regulatory oversight of the U.S. Department of Transportation's Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA.) TGP is proud of its safety record and its compliance with all applicable safety regulations.

9) **How safe is transporting natural gas through an underground pipeline? What measures does TGP or its partners take to ensure safe operations of the pipeline?**
Statistics gathered by the National Transportation Safety Board, a federal agency, indicate that pipelines make up less than one one-hundredth of one percent (.01%) of all transportation accidents in the United States. There are approximately 300,000 miles of natural gas transmission pipelines throughout the United States that deliver safe, reliable natural gas to American families and businesses. TGP meets and exceeds hundreds of regulations and procedures to regularly monitor, test and inspect the mechanical and operational integrity of our pipelines. TGP monitors its pipelines 24 hours a day, seven days a week and 365 days a year. Additional safety efforts include electronic surveillance systems, visual inspections of right-of-way, as well as internal inspections using sophisticated computerized equipment called "smart pigs".

10) **What is the usual width of the pipeline right of way?**
A pipeline normally requires a permanent right-of-way that is 50-feet wide. During construction, typically an additional 75 to 100 feet (approx.) of temporary workspace next to the permanent right-of-way will be required. TGP will also need additional temporary workspace in certain areas such as road, railroad, waterbody, and wetland crossings to facilitate construction and to accommodate safe and environmentally responsible construction activities. Once construction is complete, the temporary workspace will be restored as close as practicable to its original condition and returned to the landowner.

11) **Can landowners utilize the right-of-way after construction is completed?**
Yes. Following completion of pipeline construction and restoration of the right-of-way, the landowner still may use the land over the pipeline for most purposes, including agriculture. The landowner may plant smaller shrubs, flowers, bushes and grasses on the permanent right-of-way. Working with TGP, landowners can also build access roads across the permanent right-of-way. However, landowners are not permitted to place or construct buildings or structures, or plant deep-rooted trees in the permanent right-of-way, as this may impede safe operation and continued monitoring of the pipeline.

12) **What are the benefits of the Mississippi Crossing Project?**
The Project, as designed by TGP to address requests from market participants, will provide the necessary pipeline infrastructure that will allow TGP to meet increased natural gas needs driven by the growth in power generation and traditional residential and commercial natural gas demand in the southeast region. The approximately $1.7 billion Project is expected to create approximately 2,020 temporary construction jobs as well as 16 permanent jobs. Workers would rely upon local businesses, housing, and support services during the construction period, providing economic opportunities and benefits to the communities where the Project will be constructed.