

# SENATE OF VIRGINIA

**R. CREIGH DEEDS**  
25TH SENATORIAL DISTRICT  
ALL OF ALLEGHANY, BATH, HIGHLAND, NELSON,  
AND ROCKBRIDGE COUNTIES; ALL OF THE CITIES OF  
BUENA VISTA, CHARLOTTESVILLE, COVINGTON, AND  
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Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
888 First Street, NE  
Washington, DC 20426

Re: Docket No. CP15-554

Dear Ms. Bose,

Late last month I learned of a new proposed route for the Atlantic Coast Pipeline project that traverses Bath County. As I have communicated in the past to share concerns on behalf of my constituencies in Highland and Nelson Counties, I write today to request a scoping period for the newly impacted landowners in Bath County to evaluate fully the impacts on their property and community.

Since the announcement, I have received a number of emails and letters expressing a range of concerns about the potential impact of the pipeline on fragile ecological systems, the underground water supply, historical properties, and the vibrant tourism industry, to name a few. I hope FERC will provide an adequate scoping period for all those affected to review and respond to the notice.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Sincerely,

R. Creigh Deeds

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