

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FOREST SERVICE
AMENDMENT
FOR

SPECIAL-USE AUTHORIZATION

Amendment#: 1

This amendment is attached to and made a part of the **BBW433301T** special use authorization for site survey and testing issued to **MOUNTAIN VALLEY PIPELINE LLC** on 05/08/2015 which is hereby amended as follows:

To conduct centerline, wetland and waterbody delineations, cultural resources, rare, threatened or endangered species surveys, and soil surveys on 8.3 additional miles in a 1000 ft. wide survey corridor in the Jefferson National Forest for the proposed Mountain Valley Pipeline in Giles and Montgomery counties, Virginia. Mountain Valley Pipeline, LLC will survey two areas of the Jefferson National Forest for the proposed pipeline: one-half mile (60.6 acres) across a small tract of land the Forest Service recently acquired on Peters Mountain in Giles County, Virginia (APCO Tract J-1725), and 1.8 miles (218.2 acres) near Sinking Creek and Brush Mountain in Montgomery County, Virginia. Six miles in a 100 ft. wide survey corridor (72.7 acres) of Pocahontas Road/Forest Road 972 in Giles County will be surveyed for access to the proposed Peters Mountain Route.

Plants and animals should be identified in the field. No animals and no plants that are endangered, threatened, sensitive or locally rare will be removed from National Forest System lands. If necessary for identification, other plants can be removed, but only the parts of the plant necessary for identification can be removed and these parts can only be removed if the plant is present in enough numbers to withstand collection.

This Amendment is accepted subject to the conditions set forth herein, and to conditions as shown on the map of the authorized area (Exhibit A) attached hereto and made a part of this Amendment.

Holder

Shawn Ray

Holder

Date

9/22/15

Thomas Seal
Authorized Office

Forest Supervisor
Title

Date

9/29/2015

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Mountain Valley Pipeline, LLC, by and through its operator, EQM Gathering Opco, LLC, has executed this U.S. Department of Agriculture Forest Service Special Use Permit (the "Permit") as of the date set forth on the Permit.

MOUNTAIN VALLEY PIPELINE, LLC, by and through its operator, EQM GATHERING OPCO, LLC:

By: Shawn Posey
Name: Shawn Posey
Title: SVP

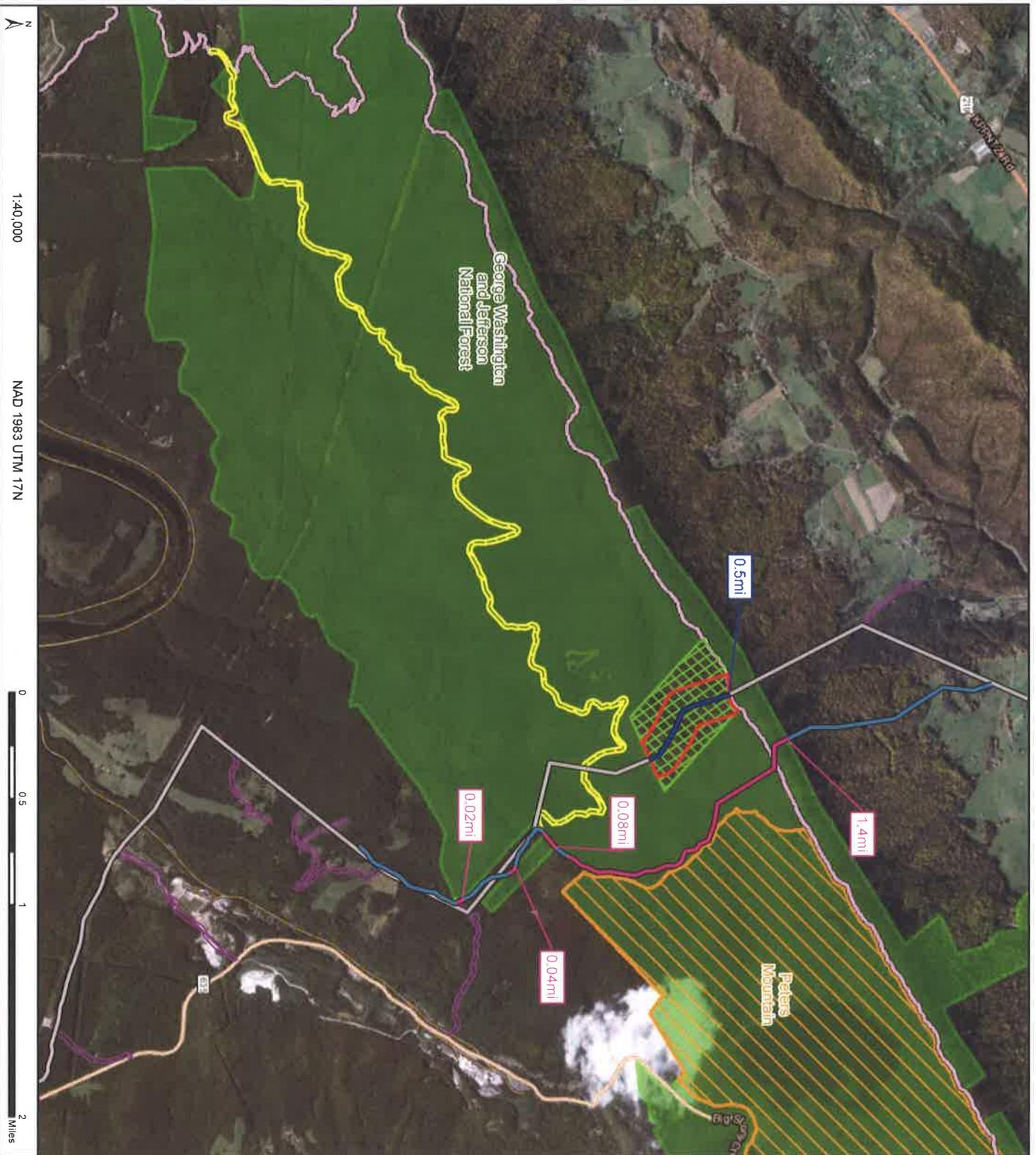


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EXHIBIT A



Mountain Valley Pipeline Project



FIGURE 1
Proposed Pipeline Route
Jefferson National Forest
Crossing

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Legend

- Proposed Route
- Proposed Route Alternative
- Proposed Route Crossing Newly Acquired USFS Property
- Proposed Route Alternative Crossing USFS Property
- Proposed Access Road
- Proposed Pocahontas Road 100ft Survey Corridor
- Proposed 1000ft Survey Corridor
- Newly Acquired USFS Property
- Appalachian Trail
- Peters Mountain
- National Forest Boundary



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 Data Sources: Aerial Imagery, VA DCR, USDA, ESRI Streaming Data

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FIGURE 2
Alternative 200
Jefferson National Forest
Crossings

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- Legend**
- Proposed Access Road
 - Alternative 200 Crossing USFS Land
 - Alternative 200
 - Proposed Pipeline Route
 - Proposed 1000ft Survey Corridor
 - Conserved Land
 - National Forest Boundary

