



# **Emergency Preparedness**



# Public Awareness is Vital to Continued Safe Operations

Summit Public Awareness Program will enhance ongoing SCS safety practices and contribute to a reduced likelihood and potential impact of a pipeline release. Assisting the public to remain informed helps reduce emergencies caused by third-party damage.

## Key stakeholder groups for public awareness are:

- Residents and high consequence areas along the route
- Local public officials

- Local and state emergency response and planning agencies
- · Local one-call system

## What You Need to Know About CO2:

CO2 is heavier than air and can gather in low-lying areas. It is most dangerous indoors or in confined spaces. It can reduce oxygen levels in environments where its concentration surpasses typical atmospheric standards.

#### You may see:

- · White vapor cloud
- An area of frozen ground in the summer
- · Bubbling in pools of water

#### You may hear:

 A sound of depressuring (loud hissing / whistling sound)



## **Dispersion Modeling**

Dispersion modeling is intended to highlight areas where enhanced integrity management approaches may be necessary to further mitigate risks and inform our emergency response plans.



Summit has completed and periodically updates a dispersion model and risk analysis to ensure compliance with the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration's (PHMSA) regulations.

The dispersion model and risk analysis aim to identify potential impacts to High Consequence Areas (HCAs) following the Integrity Management section of 49 CFR 195.452 guidelines. Less than 1% of the pipeline route is located in direct affect population derived HCAs, yet Summit is going above and beyond the regulatory requirement by completing this across the project footprint.

Our dispersion model is extremely conservative. We took the dispersion inputs and modeled them at their worst-case state.

## Factors Considered in Summits Dispersion Models:

- · Topography
- · Weather conditions
- · Size of release
- · High Consequence Areas
- Modeled at Max Operating Pressure (higher than normal operating pressure)

Summit Carbon Solutions is going above and beyond. We are required to model HCAs. We are instead modeling the entire route.

## Defining High Consequence Areas

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- · Densely populated zones
- Commercially navigable waterways
- Environmentally sensitive areas

## **Leak Detection and Prevention Measures**

For optimized leak detection and control, Summit will utilize technology and processes to create a real-time transient model (RTTM) in alignment with API RP 1130/1175.

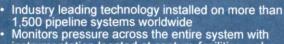


## 24/7 Control Room

- Real-time, in-person monitoring of the entire Summit system
- Enabled remote operation when necessary, incorporating surge protection and automatic valve shutdown in the event of significant pressure fluctuations.



## **Computerized Pipeline Monitoring System**



instrumentation located at capture facilities, valve sites, pump stations, and sequestration sites.

Ability to detect the smallest leak even during changes in operation

Provides real-time information to the Control Room



## Metering

- High-quality metering used at all capture and sequestration sites
- Monitors system balance to identify potential
- differences Managed by skilled Summit technicians ready to act when necessary

## **Emergency Preparedness**

We've designed an Emergency Response Plan (ERP) that covers multiple factors and scenarios over the entire project route.

PLANNING & PERMITTING

**PERMITS** RECEIVED PRIOR TO OPERATIONS

**OPERATIONS** 

## **Planning**

Summit's planning efforts are underway, including meeting with PHMSA's technical staff and conducting initial discussions with local Emergency Managers (EMs). Summit will broaden the communication to include first responders and continue to engage throughout the lifecycle of the Project.

### Preparedness Training

Once state permits have been issued and a firm construction schedule is developed, Summit will again meet with EMs to discuss the quantity of air monitoring equipment to purchase, evaluate other requested equipment needs, and initiate preparedness training scheduling with first responders.

Topics for Training:

- 1. Review chemical SDS
- 2. Pipeline specifications
- 3. Pipeline operation
- 4. Dispersion modeling
- 5. HCA reviews
- Responding procedures
- 7. Developing of Initial Response Tactics (IRT) to determine safe responses

## Preparedness Tabletop Exercise

Summit pipeline operations personnel will conduct training exercises with first responders to ensure the appropriate level of awareness and alignment of responsibilities in the event of a release.

A schedule will be developed for the first responders and Summit pipeline operations to complete tabletop exercises before the pipeline is placed into operation.

## **Ongoing Efforts**

Once in operation, emergency responders will be trained annually through tabletop exercises, per the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA) 49 CFR Part 195,403.

If new emergency personnel are brought on or the department deems additional training necessary, Summit will be there to lead.

# **Managing Safety**

The "Pipeline Safety Management Systems" (API 1173) is a guideline that offers a comprehensive approach to pipeline safety. It combines different activities like risk management, effective decision making, performance monitoring, fostering a safety culture, audits, and enhancing communication. The system surpasses existing safety programs by encouraging ongoing improvement through a "Plan-Do-Check-Act" cycle.

Summit will continuously improve our operations. This includes fixing discrepancies between real and expected results, identifying why these differences occurred, and deciding where to make changes to enhance the process or product.

if the implementation strayed from the plan.

INPUTS Risk Managemen Emergency Preparedness PLAN Preparedness and Response Operational Controls Conpetence DO MANAGEMENT and Training and Record Keeping Engament CHECK OUTPUTS Incident Investigation, Evaluation and Lessons Learned Summit will check the results against the set goals. It's about identifying any differences by seeing Safety Assurance

Summit will create processes based on our policies and expected outcomes. By defining what results to expect, it also aims to improve the thoroughness and accuracy of the

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# First Responder Preparedness Training Program

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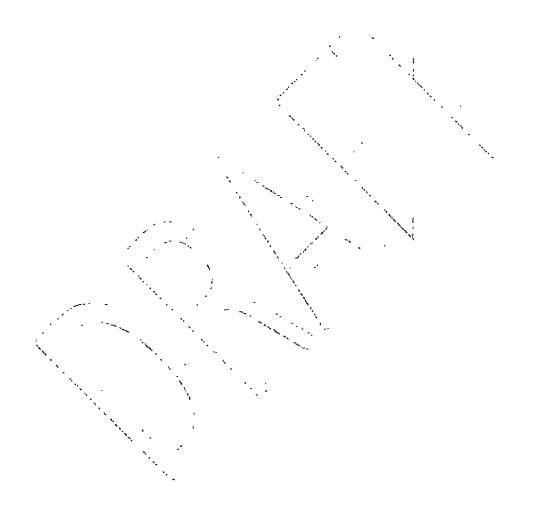
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## 1 Project Introduction

Summit Carbon Solutions (SCS) plans to develop a new interstate CO2 capture, transportation, and sequestration project. The Project will capture CO2 from multiple sources throughout lowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, South Dakota, and North Dakota and deliver the CO2 to injection sites in North Dakota for permanent geological sequestration.

Add project overview figure

## 2 Standards and Regulations

This document refers to the following publications created within industry; where such reference is made, it shall be to the latest edition unless otherwise specified.

- Code of Federal Regulations (CFR)
  - o 49 CFR 195 Transportation of Hazardous Liquids by Pipeline
- American Petroleum Institute (API)
  - API RP 1162 Public Awareness Programs for Pipeline Operators

## 3 Acronyms and Abbreviations

API: American Petroleum Institute

CFR: Code of Federal Regulations

## 4 Pre-Incident Awareness, Education, and Training

Public safety and environmental protection are the top priorities in any pipeline emergency response.

## 4.1 Priority to Protect Life

The operator's key messages to emergency officials should emphasize that public safety and environmental protection are the top priorities in any pipeline emergency response.

## 4.2 Pipeline Purpose and Reliability

Operators should consider providing a general explanation of the purpose of the pipeline and/or facilities.

#### 4.3 Characteristics of CO<sub>2</sub>

- 4.3.1 Physical Hazards
- 4.3.2 Oxygen Displacement
- 4.3.3 Exposure Limits

## 4.4 Hazard Awareness and Prevention Measures

Operators should provide a very broad overview of potential hazards, their potential consequences and the measures undertaken by the operator to prevent or mitigate the risks from pipelines.



## 4.4.1 Pipeline Location Information

### 4.4.2 Pipeline Markers

The audience should know how to identify a transmission pipeline ROW by recognition of pipeline markers-especially at road crossings, fence lines and street intersections.

### 4.4.3 Pipeline Mapping

The level of detail provided on the map should, at a minimum, include the line size, product transported and the approximate location of the pipeline, as well as any other information deemed reasonable and necessary by the operator.

## 4.4.4 Dispersion Modeling

#### 4.4.5 HCA Reviews

## 4.4.6 One-Call Notification System

#### 4.4.7 Public Awareness

Include activities to advise affected municipalities, school districts, businesses, and residents of pipeline facility locations.

#### 4.4.8 Isolation Strategies

## 4.5 Leak Recognition and Response

#### 4.5.1 How to Recognize a Pipeline Leak

Information should address how to recognize a pipeline leak through the senses of sight, unusual sound, and smell and describe any associated dangers as appropriate to the product type.

## 4.5.1.1 Physical Identification

#### 4.5.1.2 Remote Identification

### 4.5.2 Emergency Responder Safety

PPE	When Should It Be Used	
Hard hat, safety glasses, & steel toe boots	While participating in any active response operations	
Leather gloves	When contacting piping or valves in close proximity to the release*	
Hearing protection (earmuffs or ear plugs)	When working near the pipeline release or controlled blowdown stack	
Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA)	When entering an IDLH atmosphere or an atmosphere containing unknown levels of CO <sub>2</sub> or O <sub>2</sub>	
CO <sub>2</sub> Detector	While participating in any active response operations	

<sup>\*</sup> Local emergency response officials (fire dept, law enforcement, etc.) should never attempt to close a valve on a pipeline system, valve station, or facility.

## 4.5.3 Response to a Pipeline Leak

Information should address an outline of the appropriate actions to take if a pipeline leak or release is suspected.



## 5 First Responder Facilities and Equipment Assessment

Operator provides a broad overview of the necessary facilities and equipment required for Carbon Dioxide pipelines. Includes equipment calibration and maintenance frequency.

Recommended Facilities/Equipment	Purpose	Recommended Maintenance Frequency
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## 6 First Responder Procedure and Policy Assessment

Operator provides a broad overview of the necessary First Responder procedure and policy required for Carbon Dioxide pipelines. Includes evaluation approaches (drills) and recommended frequency.

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