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Ms. Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, N. E., Room 18A
Washington, DC 20426

**Re: Florida Gas Transmission Company, LLC
Turnpike-Palmetto Road Relocation Project
Docket No. PF18-5-000
Monthly Status Report No. 5 – 18 CFR §157.21(f)(6)**

Dear Ms. Bose:

On May 14, 2018, Florida Gas Transmission Company, LLC (“FGT”) received authorization from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (“Commission”) for use of the Pre-Filing Process for the Turnpike-Palmetto Road Relocation Project.

Pursuant to Section 157.21(f)(6) of the Commission’s regulations, FGT submits herewith **Monthly Status Report No. 5**, in the above referenced docket.

FGT respectfully requests that the information identified as “**PUBLIC**” be placed on the FERC eLibrary website as “Public Information”. In accordance with the Commission’s eFiling requirements, FGT is providing a copy of this filing directly to the FERC Environmental Project Manager.

Any questions concerning this filing may be addressed to the undersigned at (713) 989-2615.

Respectfully submitted,

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Project Scope and Schedule

FGT held a call with FERC Staff, on October 2, 2018, to discuss FGT's DRAFT Horizontal Directional Drill ("HDD") Contingency Plan, HDD profile design alignment sheets, and the status of draft Resource Reports. A bi-weekly project teleconference call was held with FERC Staff/Edge on October 9, 2018 and October 23, 2018 to discuss updates on FGT's Turnpike-Palmetto Road Relocation Project.

FGT continued working on the initial draft of Resource Report Nos. 2 through 9, and revising draft Resource Report Nos. 1 and 10 and incorporating FERC Staff comments, during this reporting period.

Environmental/Cultural Matters

FGT continued to finalize the Cultural Resource Assessment Survey during this reporting period.

FGT filed its response to the Seminole Tribe of Florida comments on the Cultural Resources Work Plan on October 3, 2018, and provided the same comments directly to the Seminole Tribe of Florida on October 4, 2018.

The Seminole Nation of Oklahoma provided an Opinion on the Cultural Resources Work Plan to FERC Staff on October 25, 2018. FGT continues to consider the Seminole Nation of Oklahoma's comments in the Opinion, and is preparing a response to the Seminole Nation of Oklahoma.

FGT continues to seek access to Miami-Dade county-owned tracts along the proposed 24-inch pipeline installation corridor in order to conduct field surveys and investigations. No new environmental issues have been identified, and no environmental surveys are ongoing at present.

Agency Consultations/Outreach

FGT plans to initiate agency consultations during the 4th quarter 2018, including contacting the NEPA Program Chief (Region 4) at the EPA if warranted during development of the draft Resource Reports.

Permits and Approvals

There are no recent updates or modifications to the list of Environmental Permits, Approvals, and Consultations during this reporting period.

Landowner

FGT mailed survey notification letters to all affected landowners along the proposed installation route for the replacement pipeline. An updated landowner list will be submitted to the Commission at the time Resource Report Nos. 1-12 are submitted. There are no recent substantive updates or modifications to the Landowner/Stakeholder mailing list previously filed on June 12, 2018, other than the addition of three contact names for FDOT departments on the list. Landowner contacts/notifications are ongoing through the various survey activities at this time.

The Commission issued a Notice Of Intent To Prepare An Environmental Assessment ("NOI") on July 17, 2018, and scoping comments were due to be filed at the Commission, on or before 5:00 pm Eastern

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Time on August 16, 2018. FGT filed its initial *Responses to Scoping Comments* on August 22, 2018, and filed its *Responses to Additional Scoping Comments* on September 10, 2018. FERC will review FGT's Responses and add any follow-up questions to any data requests on the draft Resource Reports, if necessary.

Public Outreach

FGT has notified potentially affected owners regarding survey activities, either by phone, in person or via letter (U.S. Postal Service/"USPS" mail). FGT has met with 45 local municipality / county officials for general information meetings regarding FGT's proposed project, and no major concerns/issues were brought up during those meetings. FGT met with Broward County, City of Miramar and FDOT District 4 representatives on September 17, 2018 to discuss potential construction conflicts on one of the proposed tracts. FGT is working with these agencies to try and resolve these conflicts. In addition, FGT has attended four meetings with Florida Power & Light Company ("FPL") regarding FGT's proposed pipeline relocation project to date.

FGT held two Open Houses on June 11 (Miramar) & 12 (Hialeah), 2018, for the Public and posted signage in public areas on the days of the Open Houses inviting people to attend, along with mailing Open House invites out to potentially affected Landowners prior to the events. Open houses were lightly attended with about 30 individuals the first night and 20 the second night. Attendees included landowners from the Monterra subdivision and representatives from the Department of Transportation. Although lightly attended, some local community members did attend and FGT was able to address some of their concerns.

Ongoing civil survey work by FGT's project Team involved routine frequent landowner interactions during this reporting period.

In addition to the publicly available information on the FERC eLibrary website (<https://www.ferc.gov/docs-filing/elibrary.asp>) under Docket No. PF18-5-000, FGT has a project specific website, which provides project information for the Public:

<http://fgttransfer.energytransfer.com/ipost/FGT/turnpike-palmetto>

FGT's outreach team continues to meet with state, county, and city officials in the areas potentially affected by the project, and will continue its efforts to keep state, county, and city officials informed of pipeline project related activities in the project area.

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