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April 24, 2002

Mr. Roger Little - Information Resources Manager Office of Pipeline Safety Research and Special Programs Administration Rm 2335 400 Seventh Street, SW Washington, D. C. 20590

RE: Marathon Ashland Pipe Line LLC Abandoned Navigable River Crossing Report Willow Springs Lateral, Cook County, IL – April 2002

### Dear Roger:

Pursuant to 49 CFR Part 195.59, Marathon Ashland Pipe Line LLC (MAPL), as operator, is reporting that the following navigable river crossing has been abandoned.

This letter also certifies, to the best of our knowledge, that the navigable river crossing listed below was abandoned in accordance with all applicable laws.

System	Commodity	Nav. H20	Dia.	Abd. Date	Method of abandonme nt		Line plus or Lat Long
Willow Springs Lateral	Petroleum Products	Chicago Sanitary & Ship Canal	14	4-1-2002	Purged, filled with Nitrogen and capped	Cook County, IL	South end LAT. 41deg44 min 55.355 sec. North LONG. 87 deg 51min 26.364 sec West  North End LAT 41deg 45min 0.814sec North LONG 87deg 51min 32.619sec. South

MAPL's NPMS data set, filed electronically on April 11, 2002, reflects the abandoned status of the line.

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Pipeline purging activities were completed in November, 2001, however, the business decision to abandon the line was not confirmed until April, 2002.

Please be advised that although the piping is abandoned, MAPL is continuing the existing right-of-way agreement with the property owner to retain the right to use the crossing.

If you require additional information on this matter, please feel free to contact me at 419-421-3201, or via E-mail at <u>TASchell@MAPLLC.COM</u>.

Sincerely,

Tad A. Schell, P.E.

Regulatory Compliance Coordinator

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## Abandoned Navigable River Crossing Report

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April 24, 2002

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7000-1 Report

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Attached is a letter reporting the abandonment of a navigable river crossing per 49 CFR 195.59.

If you need additional information please call me at 419-421-3201.

### THANKS!

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