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**Subject:** Docket #13-474

TO: Mn. Public Commission;

The Association of Cass County Lakes, a coalition of 38 member lake associations representing over 60 lakes and 6000+ members, respectfully requests the PUC consider the following comments/recommendations ref: Docket #13-474.

- A. The public input time should be extended considering so many residents along the existing and proposed pipelines in Cass County are not currently at their lake homes.
- B. The proposed pipeline goes through a large environmentally sensitive area that includes over 500 names lakes, rivers, streams and considerable wetland area within the Leech Lake and Pine River Watersheds.
- C. There is an existing pipeline corridor that could be used. Thank you. Sincerely,

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