

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR
THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

STANDING ROCK SIOUX TRIBE,

Plaintiff,

and

CHEYENNE RIVER SIOUX TRIBE,

Plaintiff-Intervenor,

v.

UNITED STATES ARMY CORPS OF
ENGINEERS,

Defendant,

and

DAKOTA ACCESS, LLC,

Defendant-Intervenor.

Case No. 1:16-cv-01534 (JEB)
(consolidated with Cases No.
1:16-cv-1796 & 1:17-cv-00267)

NOTICE OF LODGING ADMINISTRATIVE RECORD

Defendant the United States Army Corps of Engineers (“Corps”) hereby gives notice of lodging the administrative record for the February 8, 2017 easement decision challenged in the above-captioned cases. A declaration certifying the record and index of documents contained in the administrative record is attached hereto as Exhibit 1. A copy of the administrative record was served on the parties via FedEx or hand delivery on March 16, 2017.

Additionally, Defendant United States Fish and Wildlife Service (“FWS”) hereby gives notice of lodging of the administrative record for the special use permit challenged in Case No. 1:16-cv-1796, *Yankton Sioux Tribe, et al v. U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, et al.* A declaration

certifying the record and index of documents contained in the administrative record is attached hereto as Exhibit 2. A copy of the administrative record was served on the Yankton Sioux Tribe via FedEx on March 7, 2017. A copy was served on Dakota Access, LLC, Defendant-Intervenor in the *Yankton Sioux Tribe* case, on March 20, 2017.

The Corps has previously lodged the administrative record for the Nationwide Permit verifications and Rivers and Harbors Act Section 408 permissions challenged in the above-captioned cases. *See* ECF No. 55.

Dated: March 21, 2017

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on the 21th day of March, 2017, a copy of the foregoing was filed through the Court's CM/ECF management system and electronically served on counsel of record.

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