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Subject: RE: Mountain Valley Pipeline - Revised Bat Study Plan
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Thank you Sumalee!

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Valerie,
This message responds to your request for comments on the revised study plan: "Listed Bat Studies Along MVP's Proposed Mountain Valley Pipeline Project in Craig, Franklin, Giles, Montgomery, Pittsylvania, and Roanoke Counties, Virginia" dated April 24, 2015. The following comments are provided under provisions of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531-1544, 87 Stat. 884), as amended.

Your proposed bat survey plan follows the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's April 2015 Rangewide Indiana Bat Summer Survey Guidance and the June 25, 2012 White Nose Syndrome Decontamination Protocol. We concur with your proposed plan for the Virginia portion of the bat survey.
Sumalee

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Hello Troy, Sumalee, and Kim,

A hard copy of the *REVISED STUDY PLAN: LISTED BAT STUDIES ALONG MVP'S PROPOSED MOUNTAIN VALLEY PIPELINE PROJECT IN CRAIG, FRANKLIN, GILES, MONTGOMERY, PITTSYLVANIA, AND ROANOAKE COUNTIES, VIRGINIA* was mailed to the Gloucester Field Office last Friday and should arrive this morning. An electronic version (PDF) is attached to this email.

This revised study plan includes revisions based on comments received from the USFWS Gloucester Field Office on 3 April 2015 and from VDGIF on 27 March 2015 as well as the inclusion of a 5-mile protective buffer around Tawney's Cave. Unlike previous versions, this study plan and contents are specific to Virginia. The proposed level of effort for the mist net survey has been updated accordingly.

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions.

Thanks,

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