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The Honorable Debbie-Anne A. Reese, Secretary Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street, NE Washington, DC 20426

Re: Docket CP25-29-000 Eastern Gas Transmission and Storage, Inc.

Dear Secretary Reese:

On behalf of Steamfitters UA Local No. 602, which represents over 6,000 highly skilled piping professionals in the Metropolitan Washington District of Columbia Area, we are writing to express our support for Eastern Gas Transmission and Storage's Capital Area Project (CAP).

The proposed compressor station improvements in Loudoun County and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania will increase the capacity of the existing pipeline infrastructure without disturbing any new property. The state of Maryland and the District of Columbia will directly benefit from the increased availability of energy delivered through these enhanced compressor stations and the attached pipeline.

These improvements will increase the longevity of the existing infrastructure at a time when energy systems are aging. Our members and the citizens of Maryland and the District rely on the uninterrupted availability of the resources provided to their homes through this piping system.

We strongly urge the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission to approve the necessary permits for Eastern Gas Transmission and Storage's Capital Area Project. Your support is vital and necessary to provide economic and reliable energy for our members' homes. We are grateful for your support.

Respectfully,

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Business Manager/Financial Secretary-Treasurer

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