

## State and Provincial Regulatory Authorities Listing

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#### **Primary Authority for Pipeline Construction**

Iowa Utilities Board (Iowa Department of Commerce, Utilities Division)

<http://www.state.ia.us/government/com/util/util.html>

Reference:

Iowa Administrative Code, Utilities Division [199], Chapter 13 – Hazardous Liquid Pipelines and Underground Storage

#### **Primary Authority for Underground Injection Control**

EPA Region 7 (Classes I–V)

<http://www.epa.gov/region07>

#### **Additional Regulatory Agencies**

Iowa Department of Natural Resources

<http://www.iowadnr.com>

References:

Iowa Administrative Code, Natural Resources Department [561]

Iowa Administrative Code, Energy and Geologic Resources Division [565], Chapter 51 – Oil, Gas and Metallic Minerals

### MINNESOTA

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#### **Primary Authority for Pipeline Construction**

Minnesota Department of Public Safety – Office of Pipeline Safety

<http://www.dps.state.mn.us/pipeline/index.html>

Reference:

Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 299J – Pipeline Safety

#### **Primary Authority for Underground Injection Control**

EPA Region 5 (Classes I–V)

<http://www.epa.gov/region5/water/uic/>

#### **Additional Regulatory Agencies**

Minnesota Pollution Control Agency

<http://www.pca.state.mn.us/>

Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

<http://www.dnr.state.mn.us>

Reference:

Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 103I – Wells, Boring, and Underground Uses (includes rules pertaining to underground storage of natural gas); Chapters 103A–114B relate to water resources

Minnesota Department of Commerce

<http://www.state.mn.us>

Reference:

Minnesota Rules, Chapter 7610 – Department of Commerce, Energy Information Reporting (includes reporting requirements for underground natural gas storage facilities)

Minnesota Public Utilities Commission

<http://www.puc.state.mn.us/>

## **MISSOURI**

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### **Primary Authority for Pipeline Construction**

Missouri Department of Economic Development – Public Service Commission

<http://psc.mo.gov/>

Reference:

Missouri Code of State Regulations, Department of Economic Development, Division 240 – Public Service Commission, Chapter 40 – Gas Utilities and Gas Safety Standards

### **Primary Authority for Underground Injection Control**

Missouri Department of Natural Resources, Geological Survey and Resource Assessment Division (Classes I–V)

<http://www.dnr.mo.gov/geology/index.html>

Reference:

Missouri Administrative Rules, Department of Natural Resources [Title 10], Division 50 – Oil and Gas Council

### **Additional Regulatory Agencies**

Missouri Oil and Gas Council (under Geologic Survey and Resource Assessment Division)

<http://www.dnr.mo.gov/geology/geosrv/ogc/index.html>

Clean Water Commission (under Missouri Department of Natural Resources)

<http://www.dnr.mo.gov/env/wpp/cwc/>

## **MONTANA**

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### **Primary Authority for Pipeline Construction**

Montana Public Service Commission

<http://www.psc.state.mt.us>

### **Primary Authority for Underground Injection Control**

EPA Region 8 (Classes I, III–V)

<http://www.epa.gov/region8/water/uic/>

Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation (Class II)

<http://www.bogc.dnrc.state.mt.us/>

#### References:

Administration Rules of Montana, Title 36, Chapter 22 – Oil and Gas Conservation, Subchapter 14 – Underground Injection Control

Montana Code Annotated, Title 82 – Minerals, Oil, and Gas

### **Additional Regulatory Agencies**

Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation

<http://www.dnrc.state.mt.us/>

Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology

<http://www.mbm.mtech.edu>

Montana Department of Environmental Quality

<http://www.deq.state.mt.us/>

## **NEBRASKA**

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### **Primary Authority for Pipeline Construction**

Nebraska Public Service Commission

<http://www.psc.state.ne.us/>

#### Reference:

Nebraska Administrative Code, Title 291 – Nebraska Public Service Commission, Chapter 9 – Natural Gas and Pipeline Rules and Regulations

Nebraska Statutes and Constitution, 57-401 through 402 – Easement; 57-1101 through 1106 – Acquisition of Property by Eminent Domain Crossing Public Roads or Highways, Easements Across Public Lands, Penalty for Interference with Pipeline; 66-1801 through 1857 – Natural Gas Regulation Act; 75-501 through 503 – Common Carrier; 81-542 through 552 – Natural Gas Transport

### **Primary Authority for Underground Injection Control**

Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality (Classes I, III–V)

<http://www.deq.state.ne.us>

#### Reference:

Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality Rules and Regulations, Title 122 – Rules and Regulations for Underground Injection and Mineral Production Wells

Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission (Class II)

<http://www.nogcc.ne.gov>

References:

Nebraska Oil and Gas Rules and Regulations, Oil and Gas Code, Section 4 –  
Underground Injection

Nebraska Oil and Gas Rules and Regulations, Oil and Gas Conservation Statute,  
Chapter 57, Sections 905 and 910

**Additional Regulatory Agencies**

Nebraska Department of Natural Resources

<http://www.dnr.state.ne.us>

**NORTH DAKOTA**

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**Primary Authority for Pipeline Construction**

North Dakota Public Service Commission

<http://www.psc.state.nd.us>

Reference:

North Dakota Administrative Code, Article 69-09 – Public Service Commission, Public  
Utility Division, Chapter 69-09-03 – Gas Pipeline Safety

North Dakota Century Code, 49-02-01.2 – Pipeline Safety – Public Service Commission  
Jurisdiction

**Primary Authority for Underground Injection Control**

North Dakota Department of Health (Classes I, V)

<http://www.health.state.nd.us>

Reference:

North Dakota Administrative Code, Article 33-25 – State Department of Health –  
Underground Injection Control

North Dakota Industrial Commission Oil and Gas Division (Classes II and III)

<http://www.oilgas.nd.gov>

References:

North Dakota Administrative Code, Article 43-02 – North Dakota Industrial Commission –  
Mineral Exploration and Development (Chapters 43-02-02.1 and 43-02-05 deal with  
underground injection control)

North Dakota Century Code, Chapter 61-28 – Control, Prevention, and Abatement of  
Pollution of Surface Waters; Chapter 68-28.1 – Safe Drinking Water Act

**Additional Regulatory Agencies**

North Dakota Geological Survey (North Dakota Industrial Commission)

<http://www.state.nd.us/ndgs>

North Dakota State Water Commission

<http://www.swc.state.nd.us>

## **SOUTH DAKOTA**

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### **Primary Authority for Pipeline Construction**

South Dakota Public Utilities Commission

<http://www.state.sd.us/puc>

Reference:

Statutory Titles in South Dakota, 49-34B Pipeline Safety

### **Primary Authority for Underground Injection Control**

EPA Region 8 (Classes I, III–V)

<http://www.epa.gov/region8/water/uic>

South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources (Class II)

<http://www.state.sd.us/denr>

References:

Administrative Rules of South Dakota, Article 74:10 – Oil and Gas Conservation, Chapter 9 – Enhanced Recovery and Underground Injection; Chapter 10 – Pipeline Transportation

Administrative Rules of South Dakota, Article 74:55 – Underground Injection Control, Chapter 1 – Class III Wells; Chapter 2 – Class I, IV, and V Wells

*Note: No injection is allowed through a well that can be defined as Class I or IV.*

South Dakota Department of Natural Resources Codified Laws, Chapter 45-9 – Oil and Gas Conservation

### **Additional Regulatory Agencies**

Minerals and Mining Program, Oil and Gas Section (South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources)

<http://www.state.sd.us/denr/DES/Mining/Oil&Gas/O&Ghome.htm>

## **WISCONSIN**

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### **Primary Authority for Pipeline Construction**

Public Service Commission of Wisconsin

<http://psc.wi.gov/>

### **Primary Authority for Underground Injection Control**

Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources, Bureau of Drinking Water and Groundwater (Classes I–V)

[www.dnr.state.wi.us](http://www.dnr.state.wi.us)

### **Additional Regulatory Agencies**

Wisconsin Department of Commerce

<http://commerce.wi.gov/>

## **WYOMING**

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### **Primary Authority for Pipeline Construction**

Wyoming Public Service Commission

<http://psc.state.wy.us>

### **Primary Authority for Underground Injection Control**

Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality (Classes I, III–V)

<http://deg.state.wy.us/>

Reference:

Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality Rules and Regulations, Chapters 3, 8, 13 – Water Quality Rules and Regulations; Chapters 11 and 18 – Land Quality Rules and Regulations

Wyoming Oil and Gas Conservation Commission (Class II)

<http://wogcc.state.wy.us/>

Reference:

Wyoming Oil and Gas Conservation Commission Rules and Regulations, Chapter 4 – Environmental Rules (Underground Injection Control Program Rules for Enhanced Recovery and Disposal Projects)

### **Additional Regulatory Agencies**

Wyoming State Geological Survey

<http://www.wsgs.uwyo.edu/>

## **ALBERTA**

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### **Primary Authority for Pipeline Construction**

Alberta Energy and Utilities Board

<http://www.eub.gov.ab.ca>

### **Primary Authority for Underground Injection Control**

Alberta Energy and Utilities Board

<http://www.eub.gov.ab.ca>

### **Additional Regulatory Agencies**

Alberta Environment

<http://www3.gov.ab.ca/env>

Alberta Department of Energy

<http://www.energy.gov.ab.ca/>

Alberta Infrastructure

<http://www.infras.gov.ab.ca/home/index.asp>

## BRITISH COLUMBIA

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## MANITOBA

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### **Primary Authority for Pipeline Construction**

Manitoba Finance, Consumer, and Corporate Affairs, Public Utilities Board

<http://www.gov.mb.ca/finance/cca/>

### **Primary Authority for Underground Injection Control**

Manitoba Industry, Economic Development, and Mines

<http://www.gov.mb.ca/itm/>

### **Additional Regulatory Agencies**

Manitoba Conservation

<http://www.gov.mb.ca/conservation/>

Manitoba Water Stewardship

<http://www.gov.mb.ca/waterstewardship/>

## Saskatchewan

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### **Primary Authority for Pipeline Construction**

Saskatchewan Industry and Resources

<http://www.ir.gov.sk.ca/>

### **Primary Authority for Underground Injection Control**

Saskatchewan Industry and Resources

<http://www.ir.gov.sk.ca/>

### **Additional Regulatory Agencies**

Saskatchewan Environment

<http://www.se.gov.sk.ca/>

Saskatchewan Highways and Transportation

<http://www.highways.gov.sk.ca/>