



GILL RANCH STORAGE

220 NW 2nd Avenue, Portland, OR 97209

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California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94102

RE: R.11-02-019: Submittal of Operator Safety Plan Pursuant to Ordering Paragraph 5
of D.12-04-010

California Public Utilities Commission:

Gill Ranch Storage, LLC (GRS) is pleased to submit the attached Operator Safety Plan. GRS is the operator of the Gill Ranch Storage Project, a natural gas storage facility and associated pipeline and other facilities, located in Madera and Fresno Counties.

GRS is committed to a culture and operations that value public and worker safety as a first priority. GRS' Executive Management Team has directed and supervised preparation of the attached Operator Safety Plan, including the Pipeline Safety Management System (PSMS), in furtherance of GRS' commitment to safety and in compliance with the requirements of Public Utilities Code sections 961 and 963 and Commission Decision No. 12-04-010. The PSMS describes in detail my, and my Executive Management Team colleagues', safety performance expectations, policy principles and goals and objectives for GRS' safety performance. Performance metrics, frequent reviews and opportunity for workforce and other stakeholder input are built into the PSMS to ensure that GRS' safety operations and practices may, based on the best available information, be improved over time, as appropriate.

GRS appreciates the Commission's consideration of the attached Operator Safety Plan.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'David A. Weber'.

David A. Weber
President and CEO

Attachment