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Mr. Paul Friedman Federal Energy Regulatory Commission 888 First Street NE, Room 1A Washington, DC 20426

Re: Archaeological Data Recovery at Site 44FR0372 for the Mountain Valley Pipeline Project, Franklin

County, Virginia (July 1, 2019) DHR File No. 2014-1194; FERC #PF15-3-000

Dear Mr. Friedman:

The Department of Historic Resources (DHR) has received for review the report referenced above prepared by R. Christopher Goodwin & Associates, Inc. for Mountain Valley Pipeline, LLC (MVP). Unfortunately, we cannot accept the report as submitted and recommend the following be addressed in a revised report:

- 1. Pages 111 and 112 are missing.
- 2. Starting with the "Other Disturbed Context Data" (p. 117), it appears that the report is missing several sections, including "Historic Artifact Assemblage" and the entire "Summary and Research Contributions" chapter.
- 3. The Table of Contents should be updated to reflect the revisions noted in Item 2, above.

If you have any questions regarding these comments or our review of this project, please do not hesitate to contact me at roger.kirchen@dhr.virginia.gov.

Sincerely,

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