

1 MS. ROTH: If you want to give them back, I'd be glad
2 to take them.

3 MR. TIM HOFER: My name is Tim Hofer. I'm from
4 Carpenter, and it's going over our family land south of
5 Carpenter. And there was a few things I wanted to say. I'm
6 just going to hit a couple.

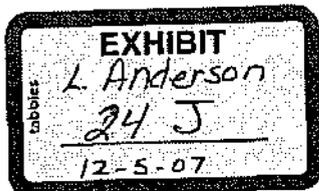
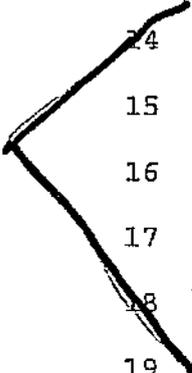
7 It would be inconvenient enough if it would go
8 straight up and down the field, it would only bother a couple of
9 rounds. They're going kitty-corner across the land. So every
10 round I make it's going to be in the way. If we have a wet year
11 like this one, I'll probably get stuck 100 times. I don't trust
12 any of them guys to come pull me out. So I don't know how I'm
13 going to get out.

14 The agents that come around are very inconsiderate. I
15 actually heard more on the news the last few days about the
16 pipeline than was in our contract or anybody ever said, you
17 know. Evidently putting a little pressure on them must be kind
18 of helping getting along with us a little better.

19 I hope you guys take us into consideration, the guys
20 that work on the land, not just the money that South Dakota
21 might or might not get.

22 I'm not for the pipeline right now, so I guess that's
23 all I have to say.

24 MR. GRAY: You made a couple of comments about, one,
25 going diagonally across the land. And certainly as we move



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