



January 7, 2015

The Honorable John Boehner
Speaker of the House of Representatives
U.S. House of Representatives
H-232, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Nancy Pelosi
Minority Leader
U.S. House of Representatives
H-204, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Mr. Speaker and Leader Pelosi:

Western Energy Alliance strongly supports H.R. 3 to approve the Keystone XL Pipeline. I encourage passage of this legislation as it will provide tens of thousands of well-paying jobs and the safest, most environmentally friendly way to transport the fruits of our nation's energy boom.

The Keystone XL project continues to be supported by a large majority of Americans. Recent polls show nearly 75% of voters, a majority of both Democrats and Republicans, support building the pipeline. Despite five federal reviews showing the safety of the pipeline and the *reduction* in greenhouse gas emissions that would result, the President continues to delay approval at every turn. It is time for Democrats and Republicans in the House to come together to move this project forward.

According to the State Department's many reviews of the project, the Keystone XL Pipeline will create over 42,000 jobs and provide over \$2 billion in wages at a time when our economy is still hurting for jobs. The pipeline will also increase our energy security and improve our relationship with our closest ally, Canada.

We thank the House of Representatives for their efforts to approve the Keystone XL pipeline and look forward to working with you to bring this legislation to the President.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tim Wigley". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "T" and "W".

Tim Wigley
President