

ATTACHMENT 8

**Rockies Express Pipeline - East Project  
MBTA Mitigation Requirements Summary**

Categories <sup>a</sup>	Number of Areas	Crossing Length (miles)	Acres of Permanent ROW Impact	Acres of Construction ROW Impact	Proposed Mitigation Ratios	Estimated Permanent ROW Mitigation	Estimated Construction ROW Mitigation
Category A	10	8.7	27.6		6:1	165	
					115.6	2.2:1	
Category B	48	10.6	35.6		3:1	107	
					152.6	1.2:1	
Category C	90	39.7	234.6		2.2:1	516	
					528.4	1.2:1	
Category D	3	2.2	8.1		2.2:1	18	
					38.1	1.2:1	
Category E	12	4.4	15.8		2.2:1	35	
					64.8	1.2:1	
Category F	7	6.1	36.6		2.2:1	81	
					80.4	1.2:1	
Category G	N/A	N/A	212.5		2.2:1	468	
					921.0	1.2:1	
Total MBTA Mitigation for Permanent ROW:						1389	
						Total MBTA Mitigation for Construction ROW:	2397
						<b>Total MBTA Mitigation Estimate:</b>	<b>3785</b>
	1,874.3	Acres for construction					
	433.1	Acres for permanent right-of-way (50ft wide)					
<b>Total forest impacts<sup>b</sup> =</b>	<b>2,307.4</b>						
<sup>a</sup> Category A = Large intact block of forest in area of concern							
Category B = Small intact block of forest in area of concern							
Category C = Fragmented or collocated forest in area of concern							
Category D = Large intact block of forest not in area of concern							
Category E = Small intact block of forest not in area of concern							
Category F = Fragmented forest not in area of concern							
Category G = All other low-quality forest impacts, based on Land Use Land Classification data							
<sup>b</sup> Total forest impacts for the project are based on Land Use Land Classification data. The sum of all categories of acres of impact are greater than actual project total because acreages of Categories A through F are based on polygon area, not forested area within polygon, and therefore include some non-forested area.							