## NO EMINENT DOMAIN For private gain!

The 5th Amendment of the U.S. constitution permits Government to only take land for "public use" so long landowners are fairly as compensated. However, this right of eminent domain (ED) is constantly under siege by greedy corporations. This abuse of ED always lines the pockets of wealthy corporations tearing apart while our rural communities and beautiful landscape.

#### Private, for-profit CO2 pipelines

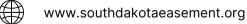
are shamelessly asserting a claim their own private for to ED under enrichment! And SD's existing laws, landowners are unprotected against these attacks on property rights. We do not these projects believe are "common carriers" but we must change the laws to be sure they can't destroy our constitutional property rights.



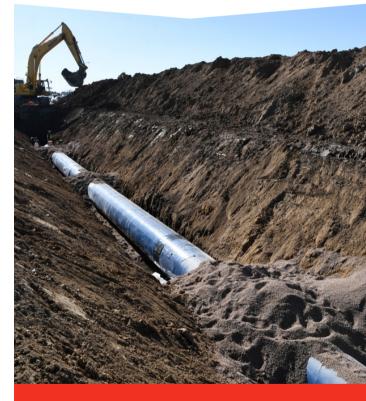
Landowners and concerned citizens must band together to represent our interests against eminent domain. If you or someone you know is being impacted by a CO2 pipeline, visit our website and join us today!



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# **SOUTH DAKOTA** EASEMENT TEAM



## **<u>GET THE FACTS</u>** On Hazardous Carbon Dioxide Pipeilnes

The South Dakota Easement Team (SDET) is a landowner-organized and run group designed to help educate and empower other South Dakota landowners to understand the options available to you to protect your land and future from the abuse of eminent domain.



SDET is working closely with a legal team and community organizers to build a statewide network of concerned and affected persons to join together as one powerful group. Stand with us as we say NO to corporate exploitation of South Dakota's land and residents!

### SAFETY ISSUES AND A LACK OF REGULATION

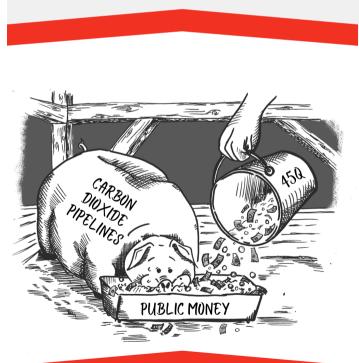
CO2 pipeline ruptures can release thousands of tons of CO2 gas within seconds, creating an invisible puddle that hugs the ground, displacing oxygen and asphyxiating everything inside – crops, livestock, wildlife, and **humans**. Below is a photo of a test rupture. Are your local first responders prepared to enter a CO2 plume? Are our rural hospitals equipped for public catastrophes?



In 2022 the U.S. Pipeline and Hazardous Material Safetu Administration (PHMSA) initiated a rulemaking process to regulate CO2 pipelines after investigating a 2020 CO2 pipeline rupture in Mississippi that hospitalized PHMSA's found dozens. report regulations inadequate, current leaving citizens at extreme risk.

## PIPE DREAMS AND TAX CREDIT SCHEMES

CO2 pipelines are not economically viable on their own, but depend upon seizing private land and pigging out on public money made available by federal 45Q Tax Credits, which Fossil Fuel corporations have lobbied for in order to further subsidize their industry. The two projects crossing SD alone are set to receive \$2.3 billion in tax credits!



Learn more about CO2 pipelines at www.carboncapturefacts.org