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Mr. James Kennedy  
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Dear Mr. Kennedy:

It was a pleasure meeting with you last week. I enjoyed discussing your efforts to put Pea Ridge Iron Ore Mine back in operation. You have an exciting project, and I think it's possible that we can help by letting you use our right of way for a pipeline.

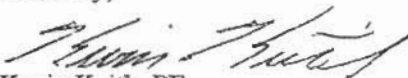
However, there are a couple of points I need to make so we are both on the same page:

1. MoDOT will not participate in any way in purchasing an easement or use eminent domain to buy an easement for you across private property. We can only make arrangements for using existing right of way.
2. This project will need to provide some type of benefit to our transportation system. We discussed various options of how we can do that, and I will let you suggest what works best for your business model.
3. You will need to build the pipeline so that it does not impact safety or the routes along which it runs during construction or in its final configuration.

As you move forward with your project, I would appreciate the opportunity to review a project plan that details how you will address these issues. At that time, we can discuss formalizing an agreement to move forward.

Good luck with your project. If I can be of further assistance, please don't hesitate to contact me at 573-751-3692 or [Kevin.Keith@modot.mo.gov](mailto:Kevin.Keith@modot.mo.gov).

Sincerely,

  
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