



# United States Department of the Interior

## BUREAU OF OCEAN ENERGY MANAGEMENT

Gulf of Mexico OCS Region  
1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard  
New Orleans, LA 70123-2394

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In Reply Refer To: MS GM 266A  
SUR0015319

High Point Gas Gathering, L.L.C.  
2103 CityWest Blvd., Bldg. #4, Suite 800  
Houston, TX 77042  
Attn: Louis Dorey

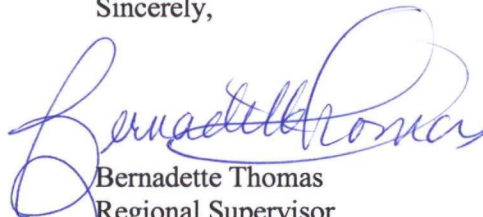
Dear Mr. Dorey:

Your letter dated August 27, 2018, submitting Bond Rider To Assume Liability, Rider No. 3, to be attached to and form a part of Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Pipeline Right-of-Way Grant Bond No. **SUR0015319**, in the amount of \$300,000, was received by our office on August 29, 2019. This bond, conditioned to cover principal's pipeline operations in the Gulf of Mexico, was executed on March 25, 2019, with High Point Gas Gathering, L.L.C. as principal and Argonaut Insurance Company as surety.

With the acceptance of Rider No. 3, executed on August 26, 2019, Bond No. SUR0015319 extends to and covers all liability associated with Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Pipeline Right-of-Way Grant Bond No. SUR0000561, in the amount of \$300,000. Therefore, the period of liability of Bond No. SUR0000561 is now considered terminated and the bond is cancelled without residual liability effective August 1, 2018, the effective date of Rider No. 3.

Should you need further assistance, please contact Kathleen Lee at (504) 736-5774 or [boemgomrfinancialassurance@boem.gov](mailto:boemgomrfinancialassurance@boem.gov).

Sincerely,



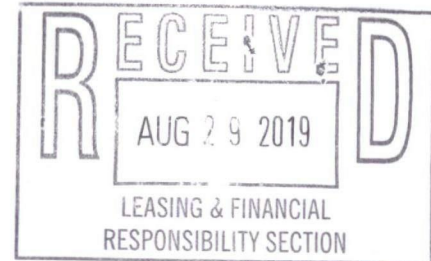
Bernadette Thomas  
Regional Supervisor  
Leasing and Plans

cc: Argonaut Insurance Company  
P.O. Box 469011  
San Antonio, TX 78246  
Attn: Misty Wright

Sent Via Email To: [kstanley@americanmidstream.com](mailto:kstanley@americanmidstream.com) , [terri.morrison@aon.com](mailto:terri.morrison@aon.com)

August 27, 2018

U.S. Department of the Interior  
Bureau of Ocean Energy Management  
Gulf of Mexico OCS Region  
MS: GM 266A  
1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard  
New Orleans, LA 70123-2394



RE: High Point Gas Gathering, L.L.C. – Bond SUR0015319 – Bond Rider

To Whom It May Concern:

Attached to and forming part of Outer Continental Shelf Pipeline Right-of-Way Grant Bond, Bond No. SUR0015319 effective March 25, 2013 on behalf of High Point Gas Gathering, L.L.C. as Principal, in favor of the United States Department of Interior, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, as Obligee, in the amount of Three Hundred Thousand and 00/100 Dollars (\$300,000).

It is understood and agreed that effective August 1, 2018 this bond also extends to and covers all liability associated with the following bond:

Bond # - SUR0000561  
Surety – Argonaut Insurance Company  
Effective Date – October 25, 2013

In support of this submittal, the following documents are attached:

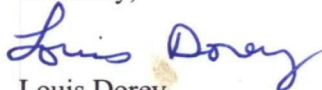
1. Bond Rider to Assume Liability – Executed
2. Argonaut Insurance Company – Surety and Power of Attorney

We request that you return the original bond SUR0000561 bond to our broker:

Terri Morrison  
Surety Specialist III  
Surety Department  
5555 San Felipe, Suite 1500, Houston, TX. 77056  
832.476.5612 - Terri.morrison@aon.com

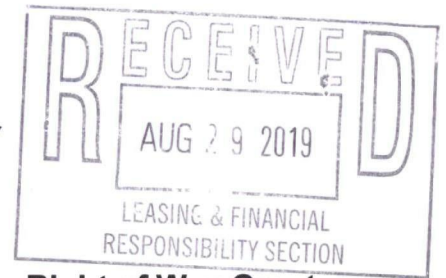
Should you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Kevin Stanley by phone at (346) 241-3585 by email at [kstanley@americanmidstream.com](mailto:kstanley@americanmidstream.com).

Sincerely,



Louis Dorey  
Senior Vice President – Business Development  
High Point Gas Gathering, L.L.C

**BOND RIDER TO ASSUME LIABILITY  
Rider No. 3**



Attaching to and forming part of Outer Continental Shelf **Pipeline Right of Way Grant**  
Bond No. **SUR0015319** effective **March 25, 2013** on behalf of **High Point Gas Gathering, L.L.C.** as Principal, in favor of United States Department of Interior, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, as Obligee, in the amount of **Three Hundred Thousand and 00/100(\$300,000.00)**.

It is understood and agreed that effective August 1, 2018 this bond also extends to and covers all liability associated with the following bond:

<u>Bond #</u>	<u>Surety</u>	<u>Effective</u>
SUR0000561	Argonaut Insurance Company	October 25, 2013

All other conditions and terms to remain as originally written.

Signed, sealed and dated this **26th** day of **August, 2019**

**High Point Gas Gathering, L.L.C.**

Principal

By:

*Louis Dorey*  
SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT - BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT  
LOUIS DOREY

**Argonaut Insurance Company**

Surety

By:

*Misty Wright*  
Misty Wright, Attorney-in-Fact

**Argonaut Insurance Company**  
**Deliveries Only: 225 W. Washington, 24th Floor**  
**Chicago, IL 60606**

**United States Postal Service: P.O. Box 469011, San Antonio, TX 78246**

**POWER OF ATTORNEY**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That the Argonaut Insurance Company, a Corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois and having its principal office in the County of Cook, Illinois does hereby nominate, constitute and appoint:

Melissa L. Fortier, Michael J. Herrod, Tina McEwan, Robbi Morales, Lupe Tyler, Lisa A. Ward, Donna L. Williams, Misty Wright, Deena Bridges, Terri L. Morrison

Their true and lawful agent(s) and attorney(s)-in-fact, each in their separate capacity if more than one is named above, to make, execute, seal and deliver for and on its behalf as surety, and as its act and deed any and all bonds, contracts, agreements of indemnity and other undertakings in suretyship provided, however, that the penal sum of any one such instrument executed hereunder shall not exceed the sum of:

\$85,000,000.00

This Power of Attorney is granted and is signed and sealed under and by the authority of the following Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of Argonaut Insurance Company:

"RESOLVED, That the President, Senior Vice President, Vice President, Assistant Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and each of them hereby is authorized to execute powers of attorney, and such authority can be executed by use of facsimile signature, which may be attested or acknowledged by any officer or attorney, of the Company, qualifying the attorney or attorneys named in the given power of attorney, to execute in behalf of, and acknowledge as the act and deed of the Argonaut Insurance Company, all bond undertakings and contracts of suretyship, and to affix the corporate seal thereto."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Argonaut Insurance Company has caused its official seal to be hereunto affixed and these presents to be signed by its duly authorized officer on the 8th day of May, 2017.



Argonaut Insurance Company

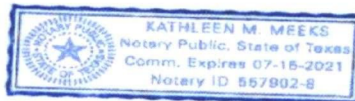
by:

Joshua C. Betz, Senior Vice President

STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF HARRIS SS:

On this 8th day of May, 2017 A.D., before me, a Notary Public of the State of Texas, in and for the County of Harris, duly commissioned and qualified, came THE ABOVE OFFICER OF THE COMPANY, to me personally known to be the individual and officer described in, and who executed the preceding instrument, and he acknowledged the execution of same, and being by me duly sworn, depose and said that he is the officer of the said Company aforesaid, and that the seal affixed to the preceding instrument is the Corporate Seal of said Company, and the said Corporate Seal and his signature as officer were duly affixed and subscribed to the said instrument by the authority and direction of the said corporation, and that Resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of said Company, referred to in the preceding instrument is now in force.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed my Official Seal at the County of Harris, the day and year first above written.



(Notary Public)

I, the undersigned Officer of the Argonaut Insurance Company, Illinois Corporation, do hereby certify that the original POWER OF ATTORNEY of which the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy is still in full force and effect and has not been revoked.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the Seal of said Company, on the 26th day of August, 2019.



James Bluzard, Vice President-Surety

**THIS DOCUMENT IS NOT VALID UNLESS THE WORDS ARGO POWER OF ATTORNEY ARE IN BLUE. IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ON AUTHENTICITY OF THIS DOCUMENT CALL (210) 321 - 8400.**