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Dear Iowa Utilities Board Members,

I contacted Representative Megan Jones, and she recommended I contact you.

I own land in both Sioux County and Clay County in Iowa. I grew up in Thompson, Iowa; graduated from Iowa State University in 1984; met my husband - a graduate of Boyden-Hull - Jim Ver Meer at college; married and moved to rural Sheldon and the John R. Ver Meer Farm Corporation - Jim's family's farm. We farmed and raised our 4 children there for 13 years before we moved to Colorado Springs and now to Alabama. Jim is still shareholder in his family farm, and I bought my Wiemers Family Farm in Clay County (Summit Township) when my father died several years ago. Both of our farms have been in our families for over 100 years. We have pride in our heritage, knowing the stories of our grandparents struggling to keep the farms through the Great Depression and the Wars. We lived through both of our fathers sacrificing much to pay the ridiculously high interest rates to finance farm mortgages in the 1980s and the farm crises. We have raised our own children with their delightful memories on these pieces of land.

Two days ago, I received this text message from phone number 408-220-5114, someone I don't know nor do I know if he's actually who he says he is:



"Hello my name is Steven Doran, I'm an acquisition agent with Universal and I would like to talk to you about purchasing an easement From you for the Navigator CO2 pipeline in Iowa. I would appreciate a call back at your earliest convenience so I can pass along the information I currently have regarding the project."

Me: No.

"Would it just be OK if I send you a package with the information in it."

Me: Ok.

First of all, I typed this message as the sender typed it with the punctuation and grammar errors. It is insulting that whoever this is can't even communicate in proper English, which makes me suspicious. Secondly, is this a business practice that is supposed to build trust? Because this looks like spam.

The cunning BlackRock organization and all of the deceptive Green New Deal money and power grabbers have decided that they can take this land, destroy it by digging it up, then poison it and we as farmers are to sit quietly by, while they make their billions. It won't happen. My understanding is that much of this is directly connected to the Globalist agenda, the Communist Chinese Party (CCP), along with folks like Bill Gates and other billionaires taking over America's farmland in order to control or even destroy our food production, cause depopulation and make the criminals wealthier than they already are. This CO2 nonsense is strictly that -- nonsense. It's coming from the same community of felons that believe it's in all of our best interest to block out the sun. Who is actually believing these illusions? It's a ridiculous phase, just like the whole Covid vaccine nonsense we just survived. The politicians who demanded we subject our bodies to an unknown, unstudied, minimally researched injection because it would prevent us from getting the corona virus, have all announced they have Covid, while thousands of obedient Americans have either died or been permanently injured by these "death jabs." Stop messing up our lives by requiring us to participate with these communist, fascist lies.

To support my above claims, here are links to news articles discussing these various concerns and allegations:

Lawmakers Are Waking Up To BlackRock's Dual Loyalty, And Taking Action (thefederalist.com)

Bill Gates Sun Blocking Study Postponed | Solar Geoengineering (popularmechanics.com)

Why Is Bill Gates Buying Farmland? You'll be Surprised | Land Income

The REAL reason Bill Gates is buying US land. | The Radio Patriot

<u>China is buying billions in US farmland and lawmakers are scrambling to try to stop them | American Military News</u>

BlackRock, in and of itself, is a serious concern. According to the previous article, "Both Iowa and Minnesota have already passed state laws, imposing restrictions on foreign ownership of farmland in their states." If that is so, and BlackRock (who their website states is funding Navigator; CCS+Press+Release Final.pdf (squarespace.com)) is in bed with China, how can a conversation about a BlackRock funded entity buying lowa farmland even continue? It's literally illegal for Navigator to offer to buy my farmland. Here are additional articles about the villainous behavior of BlackRock and the CCP.

BlackRock's China Relationship Target In Nationwide Ad Campaign (forbes.com)

Consumers' Research Slams BlackRock for its Love Affair with the CCP (breitbart.com)

Extra! Extra! BlackRock in bed with the CCP, helping globalists implement their interests (constitutionalcol.com)

I see on the Navigator website (<u>Navigator CO2 Ventures</u>) all the particulars of how we landed here and who agreed to allow this pipeline to develop, who has literally sold us out to the foreign entities that want

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to destroy America. It saddens me to see "Siouxland" companies making deals with the devil. "Siouxland" is home. I have literally been sold out by neighbors. I'm sure all of these entities received millions, even billions, of dollars. But, THEY DON'T OWN THE LAND!

I demand that you put a stop to this now.

Although the pipeline isn't currently routed through our Ver Meer land in Sioux County, it is slated to destroy some of the very best farmland in the entire world in that area. My Clay County land is not near the quality of Sioux County, but I am growing CRP pollinator and natural grass habitats, PLUS there is an aquifer that they are trying to protect. I read the "promise" to return the farmland to its original state. Who believes that? Every farmer knows once you dig up the ground, you can never return it to its original state. How many centuries of research about tillage practices invalidates their empty "promise"? It will destroy our land, be used for a couple of years, there will be a leak that will poison thousands of acres and maybe that many people, then they'll say, "Never mind." But the Midwest farmers will be stuck with the fallout of this whole debacle with a pipeline forever running under our land, leaking who-knows-what into the aquifers and groundwater. I do not understand where the people of common sense and reasonable thinking have gone. I've always prided my Midwest upbringing with being full of wisdom, but apparently the prospect of money, power and fame have taken out the best of the land.

Stop this pipeline and communist grab immediately!

Farmers are paying (wasting) thousands of dollars for attorneys and unnecessary legal processes because people who don't own our land, people who don't care about our lives, are making decisions about it like they do. How will the farmers ever be reimbursed? Who will repay them for their losses incurred while simply trying to protect themselves from what is clearly illegal activity? Stop it.

I would appreciate a phone call from one of you letting me know that you are listening and making plans to end this pipeline. If you are getting rich and famous from this grab, then shame on all of you. That is not what Americans, and certainly not what true lowans, do.

Sincerely, Karla Ver Meer