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## The Highlights

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers released a statement requesting that DAPL halt construction for 30 days to allow for de-escalation. Colonel Henderson also suggested that USACE would provide a winter camp near Cannon Ball. | Bold Iowa arrestees had court yesterday (10 NOV), with Mississippi Stand (MS) protestors attending the hearing to show support. Afterward, most protestors relocated to the MS direct action—marking the first time that we have seen Bold Iowa and MS work together successfully. Expect the two groups to combine their tactics (lock-downs and BATs)

## The Details

### 1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

#### A. North Dakota

##### i. Intel Update

- a. U.S. Army Corps of Engineers released a press release in regards to the ongoing protests on Corp property in ND on 11/09/2016
  1. In the press release Colonel Henderson, Commanding Officer for this region, states that on November 4<sup>th</sup> they asked DAPL to halt construction for 30 days to allow for de-escalation
  2. DAPL did not agree to this request
  3. Colonel Henderson also stated that the U.S.A.C.E. agreed to provide a winter camp near the town of Cannon Ball
  4. At the end of the release Colonel Henderson again asked DAPL to voluntarily cease operations in this area to help reduce tensions
- b. On 11/08/2016 [REDACTED] was accused of attempting to rape a female protester in Camp 2
  1. [REDACTED] was “tried” before the men's and women's councils and found guilty
  2. He was walked out of the camp by approximately 70 -100 protesters. As Protesters walked him out of camp they announced his name and his crime so everyone would know
  3. Once the crowd got to the Cannon Ball River bridge they allowed the women protesters to hold [REDACTED] down and cut off his braids.

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4. He was then released and protesters informed BIA where they could find him
  - c. [REDACTED] posted a live feed on social media of himself and other protesters practicing with paintball guns
    1. In the live feed, you can see at least ten paintball guns stored in a rack in the background
    2. Paintball guns appear to be Tippmann 98 Series .68 Caliber Paintball Marker
    3. Effective range 80 to 100 feet
  - d. Oglala Tribal members control the drug trade in the Camps
    1. Drugs being trafficked are marijuana and methamphetamines
    2. Drugs are being smuggled in as supplies from Pine Ridge, SD
- ii. **Past 24 Hours**
- a. Pipeline construction was not interrupted by protestors activities
  - b. Continued to reinforce HDD site and perimeter of the Meyer Property
  - c. All wire was recovered from AR 118
  - d. Continued reinforcing the gates with wire and put in new mats
  - e. Continued emplacing Hescos throughout the perimeter
  - f. Protesters continued to conduct training on interlocking arms while marching to prevent arrests
  - g. Protesters have also been making and stockpiling signs
  - h. Protesters appear to be a training and preparing for a large protest
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**B. Iowa**

- i. **Intel Update**
- a. MS conducts DA at DSM River HDD Site
    1. Alex Cohen left location services on FB post indicating he was in or around Lehigh, IA before returning to the HDD site
      - a) This is likely where the MS caravan is camping
        - I. Camp grounds in the area include Bushy Creek State Park and Dolliver Memorial State Park
    2. Protesters in pipe were: [REDACTED]
      - a) [REDACTED]

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3. A guard at protest overheard a protester say they plan to bring a school bus tomorrow
  4. [REDACTED] spotted at site
  5. Sacred Stone Camp and Red Warrior Camp reposted MS live stream videos indicating support from ND and increasing the overall views of the DA
  6. No work was stopped and protesters were arrested
    - a) LE used rope to hook onto protesters and then bring them out one by one
  7. Protesters may have drilled holes in pipe while they were inside
  8. MS considered this a very successful DA, they were not aware of the drilling issues that prevented the work before the protesters even got there. Because of their sense of accomplishment, they will likely regroup tonight to plan further DAs to prevent the pipe from being pulled under the DSM river.
- b.** MS Caravan fund at: \$2,350 and legal fund at: \$1,490
1. Together they have the \$3,200 they stated was necessary to get them to ND. However, given the recent arrests of the group, it is unlikely they will use their legal funds and will wait for more donations to their caravan fund.
- c.** MS protesters appear to wear a shell necklace to represent if they have been arrested for the cause
1. Significant because it appears the MS protestors have a way of honoring those who have been arrested, and, this can be a way to identify previously arrested members.
- d.** Bold Iowa Arrestees had court today
1. <http://boldiowa.org/2016/11/07/climateemergency/>
  2. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]
    - a) Court dates will be in Jan or Feb
  3. Approximately 21 other people stood in court with the protesters and then most went to the MS DA
  4. Significant because this is the first time we have seen Bold Iowa and MS work together successfully. If they continue to work together at the site, they may attempt to combine their tactics (lock-downs and BATs).
- e.** Illuminati Exposed is reposting MS's live videos
1. [https://www.facebook.com/thenwowillfail/?hc\\_location=ufi](https://www.facebook.com/thenwowillfail/?hc_location=ufi)
  2. Have 843,679 likes/followers
  3. Significant because this FB group has a large amount of followers and vows to repost live streams of all MS DAs.
- f.** [REDACTED] finally apprehended in Lee County

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- a. Significant because Lee County LE had been looking for Townsend (17 yo, a minor) since her arrest for her participation in a DA in Sep. In addition, she was there to collect the rest of [REDACTED] supplies, indicating they are officially done at the Lee County site
- ii. **Past 24 Hours**
  - a. Iowa Fusion Cell personnel were on site of the Des Moines River HDD site during the 10 November protest by the groups MS and Bold Iowa
- iii. **Next 24 Hours**
  - a. Iowa Fusion will be on standby to react to any protest at the Des Moines River HDD
  - b. The planned pull of the pipe thru the Des Moines River HDD is set to commence at approximately 1600 11 November with the pull expected to be completed at 1600 12 November

## C. Illinois

- i. **Intel Update**
  - a. Operational planning is ongoing for the observations of ANTI DAPL activities within the state occurring this weekend. Surveillance camera installation is ongoing based on climate and environmental optics. Priority remain focused on the upcoming operation.
  - b. An incident occurred wherein preliminary investigation concluded that an errant round from a hunter's rifle was discharged into a precision point work truck vehicle windshield. SPM and analyst will continue to monitor in conjunction with LE and if any change to the evidence supports a possible ANTI DAPL event will inform the necessary PMs and engage security plan. Local ANTI DAPL church is in the process of being collected and monitored. Link analysis between significant organizations and POIs in the greater Chicago area continues. CONOP for attending 1,000 plus person rally in Chicago continues to evolve as the situation on the ground is being assessed
  - c. There continues to be events planned in the Chicago area that show actively strong support for anti-DAPL protest related activities. Multiple protests are scheduled through the end of November
- ii. **Past 24 Hours**
  - a. BLMCHI and protestors from other Chicago based "SR" groups are attending each other's protests. Those POIs have been identified and are located in "Sharefile." Data from past events are being assessed, evaluated, analyzed and cataloged into the "Sharefile."
- iii. **Next 24 Hours**
  - a. SPM, Intel and security will continue the effort to find links between BLMCHI and other "SR" NODAPL groups. Obtain information on Springfield, IL church that is promoting ANTIDAPL sentiment. Monitor ongoing protests in Chicago in response to the election results. Alter CONOP based on the situation on the ground in Chicago.

## D. South Dakota

### i. Intel Update

- a. No new intel findings to report

### ii. Past 24 Hours

- a. On Point Security Team conducted security operations in sector to include: roving patrols of all three Spreads, security for electrician crews in 4 locations, 24/7 security at the Redfield Pump Station and security at the DAPL office in Sioux Falls.

### iii. Next 24 Hours

- a. Huron, SD will host a Veteran's Day celebration and send off for deploying reserve units.
  - 1. Huron has a contracting yard and has had a large pipeline presence, which could draw anti-DAPL personnel to the celebration.
  - 2. PM will be present at events in order to determine if any anti-DAPL activity is undertaken

## 2. TIGERSWAN UPDATE

- i. "Protest Planned in Akron for National #NoDAPL Day of Action" Clevescene.com by Sam Allard 10NOV2016

- 1. Link: <http://www.clevescene.com/scene-and-heard/archives/2016/11/10/protest-planned-in-akron-for-national-nodapl-day-of-action>
- 2. Summary: Amy Breedon is organizing a protest in Akron OH in support of the 350 dot org nationwide 15 NOV AntiDAPL protest. The "Make Some Noise in Akron" protest currently has 63 confirmed attendees according to its Facebook page. This will not be the first NoDAPL protest that has occurred in Akron.
- 3. Analyst Note: This will be one of many protests on 15 NOV that GSOC is tracking. The large number of protests on 15 NOV illustrates the wide reach of 350 dot org and their ability to mobilize members across the U.S. While this protest will have no impact on the pipeline it will bring awareness to Akron which could impact future ETP operations in the Midwest.

- ii. 2) "Army Corps easement would unlock \$1.4 billion in Dakota Access financing" Reuters by Liz Hampton 10NOV16

- 1. Link: <http://www.reuters.com/article/us-north-dakota-pipeline-idUSKBN1351X6>
- 2. Summary: Liz Hampton's article details the requirement for the issuance of the Lake Oahe easement from the Army Corps of Engineers to access the

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remaining the \$ 1.4 billion in external financing. This article also notes CitiGroup Inc reported that it discussed the current pipeline issues with ETP on 08NOV and urged ETP to find a resolution with Standing Rock. ETP's shares ended the day on 10NOV 3% up at \$38 per share.

3. Analyst Note: This article while unbiased does appear to show that the protestor strategy of engaging banks and creditors is having an impact. This will embolden protests in other locations increasing pressure on ETP. The election of President-elect Trump is likely to have a positive effect for the project overall and cooperation from the Federal level will likely improve after 20 JAN.