

Enbridge Statement:

We respect the rights of others to discuss our business in a safe, respectful and lawful manner, but this morning's activities at our valve site in Leonard, Minnesota are unacceptable. The actions taken to unlawfully trespass on our facility, use bolt cutters to cut chains off our valves and then attempt to turn the valves to stop the flow of oil were dangerous and reckless.

The groups involved in this morning's activities claim to be protecting the environment, but their actions alone are inviting an environmental incident and put the safety of people, including themselves and potentially first responders and our employees, at risk.

These are criminal acts that endanger the public and the environment. We take this very seriously and will support prosecution of all those involved.

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