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Deal Sikes & Associates Completes \$1 Billion Pipeline Corridor Valuation in Southeast Texas

HOUSTON, TEXAS, Friday, November 4, 2011 — Deal Sikes & Associates, one of the nation's leading real estate valuation and counseling firms, has announced its completion of an extensive evaluation of a 14-mile pipeline corridor and associated chemical plants in southeast Texas. The property is valued at more than \$1 billion.

The pipeline corridor extends from near Mont Belvieu, Texas to the Houston Ship Channel, the most significant petrochemical manufacturing and shipping complex in North America.

Deal Sikes has represented a number of major energy firms, pipeline companies and property owners in real estate valuation and right-of-way strategies for pipeline expansions, the conveyance of pipeline corridors and other eminent domain matters.

Deal Sikes & Associates, based in Houston, Texas, provides real estate valuation services for eminent domain initiatives, financial transactions, estate tax planning, due diligence research and litigation support. The principals of Deal Sikes & Associates provide real estate counseling and appraisal services for governmental agencies, energy corporations, real estate companies, law firms and other corporate clients across the nation.

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