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From: Myron Arnowitt [marnowitt@cleanwater.org]
Sent: Monday, November 30, 2009 11:37 AM
To: 'Anne Misak'; EP, RegComments
Cc: 'Bob Wendelgass'; brussell@cleanwater.org
Subject: RE: PROPOSED RULEMAKING on 25 PA. CODE CH. 102

Anne,

These comments are not the ones I sent you this morning as our final comments. Can you resend with my final comments to replace these?

Myron

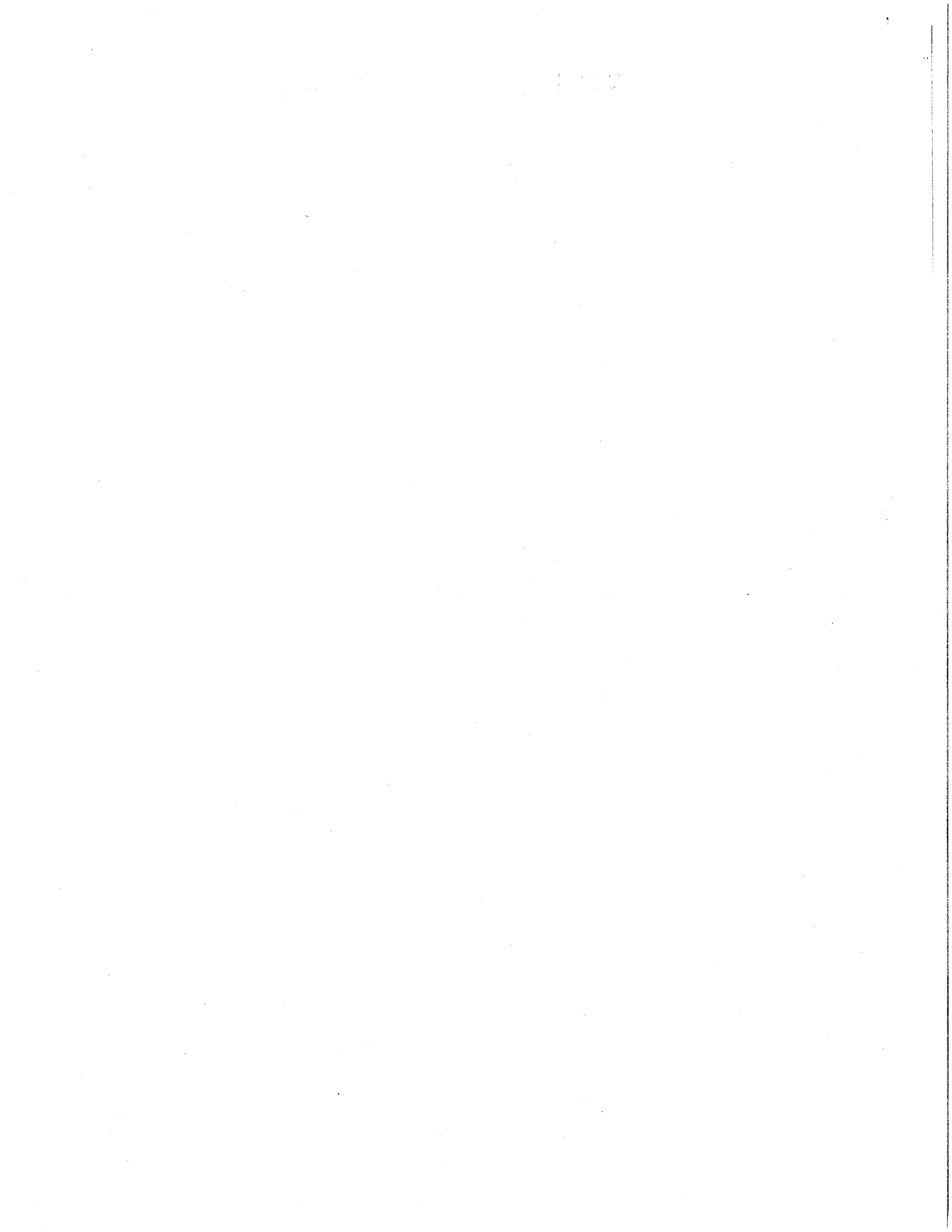
From: Anne Misak [mailto:amisak@cleanwater.org]
Sent: Monday, November 30, 2009 11:10 AM
To: regcomments@state.pa.us
Cc: Bob Wendelgass; 'Myron Arnowitt'; brussell@cleanwater.org
Subject: RE: PROPOSED RULEMAKING on 25 PA. CODE CH. 102

On behalf of Clean Water Action, I submit the attached comments on the referenced proposed rulemaking, as well as a summary of comments for inclusion in the agenda packets of the members of the EQB. Thank You,

Anne Misak
Program Organizer
Clean Water Action
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From: Anne Misak [amisak@cleanwater.org]
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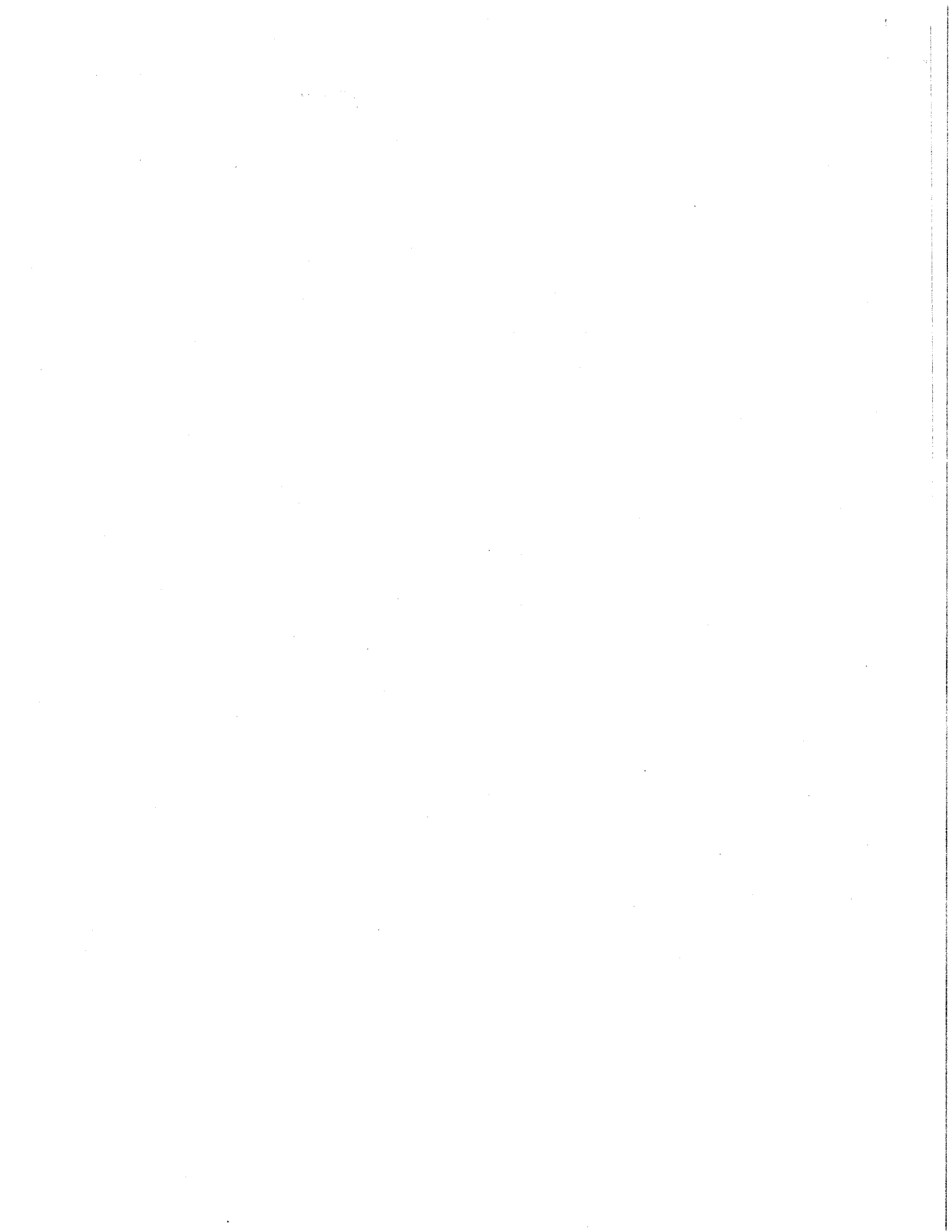
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Attached are comments from members of Clean Water Action.

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3 HARVEST MEWS
NEWTOWN, PA 18940

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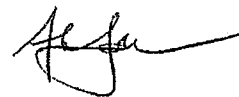
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY BOARD
P.O. BOX 8477,
HARRISBURG, PA 17105

DEAR BOARDMEMBERS,

FORESTED BUFFERS ARE GOOD FOR THE ENVIRONMENT AND THE ECONOMY
BECAUSE THEY REDUCE POLLUTION AND FLOODING AND INCREASE PROPERTY VALUES.
WE NEED MINIMUM 100 FOOT FORESTED BUFFERS ON ALL STREAMS IN PA. VOLUNTARY
BUFFERS WON'T ADEQUATELY PROTECT OUR WATER QUALITY, THESE BUFFERS NEED
TO BE MADE MANDATORY. CLEAN WATER IS IMPORTANT TO ME AND MY FAMILY AND
MUST BE PRESERVED FOR THE HEALTH OF OUR ENVIRONMENT AND CHILDREN.

SINCERELY,

MR. A. JACKSON



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Forested Buffers are good for the environment + the economy because they reduce pollution and flooding and increase property value

We need minimum 100 foot forested buffers on all streams in PA.

Streams and cleaned water are important to me for the reasons stated above and to prevent health issues

Thank you
Donna Myers

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Jake Marston
487 Cambridge Ln
Newtown, PA 18940

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November 24, 2009

Environmental Quality Board
P.O. Box 8477
Harrisburg, PA 17105

Dear Environmental Quality Board:

I am writing to ask you to require the necessary minimum 100 foot forested buffers on all Pennsylvania streams! Forested Buffers are good for the environment and the economy because they reduce pollution and flooding and increase property values.

I believe that this is a necessity. It's important to me because it will lead to cleaner drinking water and lower drinking water treatment costs, benefiting the community at large. It will also provide healthier streams to support fish and recreation.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

Jake Marston

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Jean Marston
487 Cambridge Ln
Newtown, PA 18940

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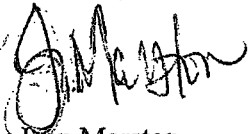
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Sincerely,



Jean Marston

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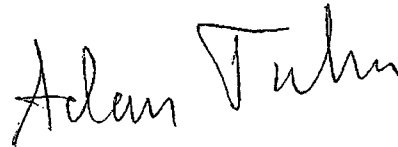
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I am concerned about our environment and there aren't many more important things for me to hope that my children will not be living and pollution that increases dramatically year by year!

Please make at least 100 ft forested buffers on all Pennsylvania streams mandatory! This will also help our economy to get better as reducing pollution will increase the value of properties!

Adam Tulik
262 Sequoia Dr
Newtown, PA 18940



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To: Environmental Quality Board
PO Box 8477
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Dear Sir,

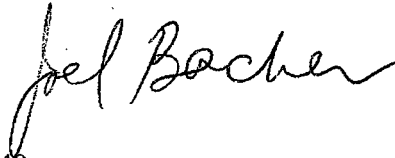
I firmly believe that we should do whatever we can to protect our waterways from flooding and pollution. I think buffer zones of trees would serve that purpose and help the environment. They would also help the overall economy in many ways. They would help to increase property values.

All streams in the state should be protected by forested buffer zones which are at least 100 feet wide.

Streams and clean water are important to me because they are very important to our health. Without clean water, it would be quite difficult to remain free of disease.

Thank You

Joel Bacher
56 Cypress Place
Newtown, PA 18940

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joel Bacher". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned to the right of the typed name and address.

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To: Environmental Quality Board
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Harrisburg, PA 17105

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Dear Sir,

Streams and clean water are important to me. They are the key to good health. Without clean water, we would all be crawling with diseases.

I think that we should protect our waterways from flooding and pollution. Buffer zones of trees would serve that purpose. That's a good way to help the environment. Clean water, trees, good health, etc, would certainly help the local economy, along with home property values.

We should protect the waterways of all sizes with forested buffer zones, maybe as wide as 100 feet.

Thank You



Carolyn Bacher
56 Cypress Place
Newtown, PA 18940

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DAVID SPADA
52 Cypress pl
Newtown Pa 18940

Environmental Quality Board
P.O. Box 8477, Harrisburg, PA 17105

- Forested Buffers are good for the environment and the economy because they reduce pollution and flooding and increase property values.
- We need minimum 100 foot forested buffers in all streams in PA!
- (Include a sentence explaining why streams and clean water are important to you)

One of the many important reasons is because for the health and well being of our environment and for people and animals that share the environment.

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David Spada

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• Forested Buffers are good for the environment and the economy because they reduce pollution and flooding and increase property values

• We need minimum 100 foot forested buffers on all streams in PA

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Oreland, Pa 19075

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November 25, 2009
1201 Bruce Road
Oreland, PA 19075

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Harrisburg, PA 19075

To Whom It May Concern:

I believe that there should be a required minimum distance to permit building from fresh streams. Buffers benefit the environment in that they reduce pollution and flooding.

Clean fresh water is important to me personally because the alternative (bottled water) is killing the environment.

Sincerely,


Kate Jenkin

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Janice Klug
137 N Lincoln Avenue
Newtown, PA 18940

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Reference: Water Protection

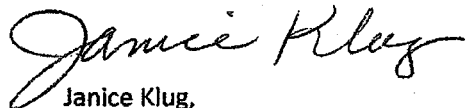
Gentlemen:

Please take care of our environment by having forested buffers. Forested buffers are good for the environment and the economy because they reduce pollution and flooding and increase property values.

We need minimum 100 foot forested buffers on all streams in Pennsylvania.

We built our house 2 years ago and installed retention tanks to handle all the water from our roof and it has helped dramatically in our neighborhood.

Sincerely,



Janice Klug,
Voter, homeowner and tax payer

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Dear:

Environmental Quality Board

Please approve the forested buffers
for PA as they are good for the environment
on the economy because they reduce
pollution and flooding and increase
property values.

We need minimum 100 foot forested
buffers on all streams in PA!

We need to clean up our environment
and make it safe for ourselves
and our future generations

Sincerely

Sandra T. Plajer
1 Winterset Court
Newtown, PA 18940

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To the Environmental Quality Board,

Our streams are more than pretty pieces of area to look at. They provide our clean water & recreation and that translates into better quality of life for us all. To help ensure our streams stay healthy and to reduce flooding along them, they should be surrounded by a forested buffer. Requiring a 100 ft. forested buffer on all streams will also aid in reducing pollution.

Sincerely,

Laura Luarni

411 Crest Rd.

Oakland, CA 94612

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My family & friends
think the 100' buffer on all streams
in Pa. are a good measure, and it
will help with flooding and pollution.

I personally as an avid Pa fisherman
think clean streams & rivers need to
be protected. The catch limit of
fish caught in Pa is already limited.
This is important to me, I take
the time to talk & think about this
& will follow up on line.

Thank you
LAMY KOLLER
103 LYSTER RD
OPELANA PA 19075

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Scott Rawlings

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the environment and the economy
because they reduce pollution and
flooding and increase property
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in PA.

Dorothy Carr

107 Lyster Rd.

Overland PA 19075

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Mr. Joseph F. D'Andrea

To Whom It May Concern,

*We need to save our
rivers + streams with
Trees and less pollution
we need clean water
+ streams to protect our
health and the health
of all living creatures.*

Thank you

John D'Andrea



Mr. & Mrs. Joseph F. D'Andrea
1211 Saint Clair Rd
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I truly
believe we
need the
buffers to
protect our
streams -
there is
nothing more
beautiful
than a clean
clear stream

B. Johnson
417 Crest Rd.
Oreland PA

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