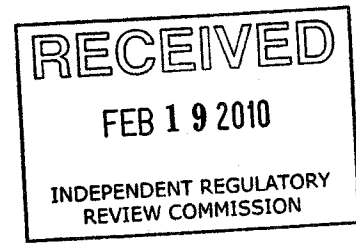


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Dear Pennsylvania Environmental Quality Board,

I am certain you will receive many copies of the letter below. I want to add that I believe there are many reasons to eliminate gas drilling altogether. I understand that this may not be in the best immediate economic interest of Pennsylvania or the country; however, all interests may not be well served. Please consider quality of life.

As the Department of Environmental Protection considers new wastewater regulations, I urge you to include the following points:

- * Set health-based standards for contaminants including arsenic, benzene, radium and magnesium that may be found in wastewater gas drilling.
- * Approve and implement these standards as soon as possible in order to protect public health and our environment.
- * Stop all new gas drilling operations until these new health-based standards are set and require all sewage treatment plants to follow these proposed standards immediately.
- * Require drilling companies to track and report all of their pollution from drilling sites to treatment plants, and establish regulations to oversee the reuse of gas drilling wastewater.

The public has a right to know about pollution being released into our environment or shipped into our communities.

Sincerely,