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Dear EQB:

I urge you to include the language proposed by the Harvey Consulting report, Recommendations for Pennsylvania's Proposed Changes to Oil and Gas Well Construction Regulations, in the new Chapter 78 regulations. In Pennsylvania and elsewhere our need for clean water trumps our need for gas. There should be no shortcuts or quick fixes to protect our water. It's unacceptable that so many changes are needed just to bring our standards in line with Texas and New York. We're playing catch up while the wells are being drilled by the thousands. Stronger regulations, stronger enforcement for safe water!

Thank you.

Sincerely,
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