

P-2014-2411966

## No to Sunoco becoming a PUC

In late March, Sunoco Logistics, L.P. submitted petitions to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission in 31 different townships, some of which are in the Delaware Watershed our water supply, along its proposed Mariner East Pipeline requesting that it be granted status as a public utility corp. If PUC says yes to that status change, Sunoco would be EXEMPT from local zoning for the additions of pump and valve stations. Sunoco's Petitions to PUC state the Project will require the construction of 17 valve stations in 15 different municipalities, and the construction of 18 pumping stations in 18 different municipalities.

Due to grave dangers and environmental impacts of the extremely toxic materials, I am requesting the PUC deny Sunoco's request. It is a for profit corporation - is not a public utility corporation and therefore is not exempt from 619 of the Pennsylvania Municipalities Planning Code (53 P.S. ? 10619). Sunoco is a common carrier under FERC but common carriers are not deemed public utilities. The proposed pipeline and pump and valve stations are not reasonably necessary for the convenience or welfare of the public which is a requirement for the exemption. A grant of the petition would violate Article 1 Section 27 of the Pennsylvania Constitution and the PA Supreme Court's recent decision on Act 13.

Sincerely,  
Mary Ann Leitch  
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