



Sept. 17, 2020

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Re: Additional Emergency Response Training and Assistance in Emergency Response Planning - Mariner East Pipelines

Mr. Boyce:

As part of Sunoco Pipeline L.P.'s (SPLP) continuing public awareness program, we would like to invite your participation in additional training for emergency response and emergency response plan preparation relating to the Mariner East pipelines (collectively "Mariner East") in your area. As you are aware, SPLP has completed Mariner East Responder Outreach (MERO) training in counties across the Commonwealth with participation by County officials and emergency responders as well as by officials and emergency responders of the municipalities within the counties. SPLP is currently scheduling a new round of MERO training for County and municipal personnel which had been delayed due to COVID-19 but they are kicking off this week.

In addition, SPLP scheduled training and information sessions with representatives of the school districts within counties across Pennsylvania regarding emergency response and emergency response plan preparation. Finally, building on the significant grants awarded by Energy Transfer to counties across the Commonwealth for emergency response equipment and training from 2016 to 2019 (totaling over \$650,000), Energy Transfer continues to review applications for 2020 grants. Two rounds have already been awarded in 2020 and we plan to award a third round in the coming weeks.

As this demonstrates, SPLP has been committed to continuing emergency response training. In that tradition, SPLP invites you to participate in two future training opportunities (in addition to the next round of MERO training):

1. The MERO training has been presented by Greg Noll, a nationally recognized and decorated emergency response expert. Chester County has itself retained Mr. Noll to present table top exercises to train emergency responders regarding response to specific scenarios related to a hypothetical release from Mariner East. One such exercise involved responding to a release impacting the Wellington Senior Center.

SPLP and Mr. Noll recognize the value of these specific table top exercises. For that reason, SPLP is offering, at SPLP's expense, to retain Mr. Noll to conduct additional table top exercises addressing specific locations in counties across the Commonwealth.

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We suggest that Mr. Noll meet with those governmental entities and school districts to determine what table top scenarios will be most valuable. For example, a table top scenario could address a potential release near an elementary school, a residential neighborhood or a shopping area. Please let us know if you are interested in meeting to discuss what tabletop exercises are most appropriate and participating in those tabletop exercises that are selected.

2. Some Counties, municipalities and school districts have expressed the need for further direction in creating their respective emergency response plans. As you are aware, pursuant to Pennsylvania's Emergency Services Code, government entities and school districts, not SPLP, are responsible for creating those plans.

That said, SPLP remains committed to providing information to those entities so that they can complete their own plans. SPLP has met with such entities, answered questions, provided information and to the extent the required information contains confidential security information, agreed to enter into non-disclosure agreements under which the government entities or school districts could review that information. We have also initiated an application process to cover the costs for municipalities to develop plans through the end of this year.

SPLP is, by this letter, offering to take an additional step. SPLP will make Mr. Noll available for a group meeting with all interested government entities and school districts in counties across Pennsylvania to discuss "best in class" emergency response plan preparation components relative to hazardous materials incident response that Mr. Noll is aware of both in and outside of the Commonwealth. Again, please let me know if you are interested in attending this meeting.

As SPLP has reiterated, public awareness is a process. SPLP believes that the additional training and assistance it is offering furthers that process, along with SPLP's continued efforts to engage and educate the general public regarding Mariner East.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,



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