

Re: Docket No. M-2026-3059601 – Opposition to Power Plant on Barbadoes Island

Dear Secretary,

I am a resident of Norristown and I strongly oppose redeveloping Barbadoes Island as a power generation site. Our community already bears a disproportionate burden from regional energy infrastructure. The PECO transmission line project along the Schuylkill River has raised serious concerns among residents, and adding a power plant would only intensify those impacts. Some of these impacts would be things such as, but not limited to, reducing our ability to create a waterfront, negatively impacting the existing neighborhoods, and causing additional pollution for our municipality.

A new plant would bring continuous noise, traffic, and air emissions to an area that includes homes, schools, and the Norristown Transportation Center. The health and quality of life of our families should not be sacrificed for a project that could be sited elsewhere preferably away from densely populated neighborhoods. I urge the PUC to remove Barbadoes Island from consideration for the future of our municipality.

Sincerely,

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