



March 20, 2017

Anderson Hartzell
Acting Regional Director
Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection
2 E. Main St.
Norristown, PA 19401

Re: Bishop Tube Site Meetings

Dear Acting Director Hartzell:

As is our practice at the Delaware Riverkeeper Network, we do regular scans of the Pennsylvania Bulletin for issues of concern and interest. Given the high rate of speed that the Bishop Tube development project is being advanced through the PADEP process we have been paying close attention to the PA Bulletin for applicable notices. This past Saturday I did not see any notices regarding the proposed development project at this site. And so I was surprised to see the legal notice posted at:
<http://pa.mypublicnotices.com/PublicNotice.asp?Page=PublicNotice&AdId=4340544>
providing for just 60 days to comment on the "amended Prospective Purchaser Agreement (PPA) with Constitution Drive Partners, L.P. (CDP) regarding the Bishop Tube HSCA Site (Site)".


As you know, the Delaware Riverkeeper Network has significant concerns over this development proposal and the level of transparency associated with PADEP's recent advanced support for the project. I was concerned to learn that there was a 60 day comment period just announced for which neither I nor concerned members of the community received the courtesy of notification to ensure we were aware of the comment opportunity. That, coupled with the failure to provide notification in the PA Bulletin increases my confusion and concern.

Can you please ensure that I receive an immediate copy of the current Prospective Purchaser Agreement subject to this public comment notification along with clarification regarding the applicable opportunity to comment.

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Given your request that I stay in direct touch with you over this issue and any concerns I might have, I submit this request directly to you, copying relevant staff.

With regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Maya K. van Rossum" followed by a long horizontal flourish.

Maya K. van Rossum
the Delaware Riverkeeper