



September 17, 2018

Rosemary Chiavetta, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street, Second Floor
Harrisburg PA 17120

Dear Ms. Chiavetta,

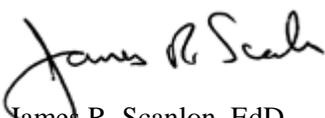
Please consider this letter an official safety complaint against Sunoco Logistics and the Mariner II Pipeline project. The Sunoco Mariner II Pipeline Project runs through the following townships located in our District: East Goshen, Thornbury, West Goshen, West Whiteland, and Westtown. We receive students from these municipalities. The pipeline comes within 3,000 feet of three of our elementary schools and our central office building. The School District have had ongoing safety concerns about this project. Local townships in our district have also raised concerns and have been holding safety evaluation hearings.

I expressed the district's safety concerns to Sunoco Logistics in a letter dated December 29, 2016 requesting information on automatic shutoff values in the pipeline located near the schools and again on July 28, 2017 regarding communications protocol in the event of a breach. I held an emergency preparedness meeting with local emergency responders to evaluate the districts evacuation plan in the event of an emergency; and then shared the Hazardous Material Emergency Response Plan with the community on October 12, 2017.

In a letter dated March 29, 2018, I asked Governor Wolf to conduct a comprehensive independent risk assessment regarding the construction of said pipeline and in a June 11, 2018 letter to the PA Public Utility Commission I asked the PA PUC to uphold the Emergency Order issued by Judge Elizabeth Barnes wherein recommendations were made that were essential for the safety of both residences and property be honored.

On September 10, 2018 there was a pipeline explosion in western Pennsylvania that caused substantial damage. District safety concerns about the Sunoco Mariner II Pipeline Project have become significantly heightened. On behalf of our students, staff, parents, and community, I urge the Pennsylvania PUC to take action to ensure public safety by discontinuing the use of this pipeline until a comprehensive risk assessment can be completed.

Sincerely,


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Superintendent of Schools

cc: WCASD Board of School Directors
WCASD Principals
WCASD Cabinet
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