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## Top DEP Stories

FOX43: Municipalities apply for grant funding resulting from Sunoco Pipeline fines

<http://fox43.com/2018/05/29/municipalities-apply-for-grant-funding-resulting-from-sunoco-pipeline-fines/>

## Mentions

Bloomsburg Press-Enterprise: “We don’t want to be hostages;” appeal to top state court signifies last gasp for hog-farm foes

<http://www.pressenterpriseonline.com/daily/052918/page/1/story/we-dont-want-to-be-hostages>

Clearfield Progress-News: Highlights from Graham Township

[http://www.theprogressnews.com/progress\\_news/highlights-from-graham-township/article\\_841b33b2-ddc9-5a13-b03f-08458bf19117.html](http://www.theprogressnews.com/progress_news/highlights-from-graham-township/article_841b33b2-ddc9-5a13-b03f-08458bf19117.html)

DuBois Courier-Express: DuBois Council discusses Tower Lane property

[http://www.thecourierexpress.com/news/dubois-council-discusses-tower-lane-property/article\\_f5b08800-b7c0-5c0a-b67b-f62f7acf6c7d.html](http://www.thecourierexpress.com/news/dubois-council-discusses-tower-lane-property/article_f5b08800-b7c0-5c0a-b67b-f62f7acf6c7d.html)

WSKG: Conservative group wants free market, not government, to dictate energy source choices

<https://wskg.org/news/conservative-group-wants-the-free-market-to-dictate-energy-source-choices/>

Allied News: Pa. allocates more than \$20 million to support Water Quality Improvement Projects Statewide

[http://www.alliednews.com/news/pa-allocates-more-than-million-to-support-water-quality-improvement/article\\_f5b38bdc-6d5f-5031-ad7f-135b77394c98.html](http://www.alliednews.com/news/pa-allocates-more-than-million-to-support-water-quality-improvement/article_f5b38bdc-6d5f-5031-ad7f-135b77394c98.html)

## Air

Pennlive: The clock is ticking to save TMI and keep our air clean

[http://www.pennlive.com/opinion/2018/05/the\\_clock\\_is\\_ticking\\_to\\_save\\_t.html#incart\\_river\\_index](http://www.pennlive.com/opinion/2018/05/the_clock_is_ticking_to_save_t.html#incart_river_index)

## Climate Change

Post-Gazette: Account for the true costs of greenhouse gas emissions

<http://www.post-gazette.com/opinion/letters/2018/05/30/Account-for-the-true-costs-of-greenhouse-gas-emissions/stories/201805280044>

## Conservation & Recreation

Tribune-Review: Tunnel renovation will be the climax to trail expansion in Armstrong County

<http://triblive.com/local/valleynewsdispatch/13668587-74/tunnel-renovation-will-be-the-climax-to-trail-expansion-in-armstrong-county>

Post-Gazette: Money Magazine names Phipps Conservatory best park in Pennsylvania

<http://www.post-gazette.com/life/recreation/2018/05/28/Money-Magazine-Phipps-Conservatory-botanical-gardens-best-park-Pennsylvania/stories/201805280102>

Pottstown Mercury: Future plans for Edgewood Cemetery include garden, walking tours  
<http://www.pottsmmerc.com/general-news/20180530/future-plans-for-edgewood-cemetery-include-garden-walking-tours>

Lock Haven Express: Centre supports \$615,000 Hess Farm conservation project  
<http://www.lockhaven.com/news/local-news/2018/05/centre-supports-615000-hess-farm-conservation-project/>

Lock Haven Express: Public input wanted on Sproul State Forest Management Plan  
<http://www.lockhaven.com/news/local-news/2018/05/public-input-wanted-on-sproul-state-forest-management-plan/>

Lancaster Farming: Redding Impressed With Growing Commitment to Sustainable Ag  
[http://www.lancasterfarming.com/farming/organic/redding-impressed-with-growing-commitment-to-sustainable-ag/article\\_59f65c3e-66bb-5fd3-a076-de1ed8578f57.html](http://www.lancasterfarming.com/farming/organic/redding-impressed-with-growing-commitment-to-sustainable-ag/article_59f65c3e-66bb-5fd3-a076-de1ed8578f57.html)

Bradford Era: Water trail opens in Cameron, Elk counties  
[http://www.bradfordera.com/news/water-trail-opens-in-cameron-elk-counties/article\\_d8c967e0-6089-11e8-820f-1b1daf90f560.html](http://www.bradfordera.com/news/water-trail-opens-in-cameron-elk-counties/article_d8c967e0-6089-11e8-820f-1b1daf90f560.html)

Butler Eagle: Pa. to present conservation award in Jan.  
<http://www.butlereagle.com/article/20180529/NEWS02/705299997>

## **Energy**

Post-Gazette: EQT trades diversification for focus  
<http://www.post-gazette.com/powersource/companies/2018/05/29/EQT-diversification-focus-natural-gas/stories/201805300048>

York Dispatch: Landowners will fight Transource at state level, not county  
<https://www.yorkdispatch.com/story/news/2018/05/29/landowners-fight-transource-state-level-not-county/652526002/>

StateImpact: Voices of Energy: Virginia McGrath  
[https://stateimpact.npr.org/pennsylvania/2018/05/16/voices-of-energy-virginia-mcgrath/?\\_ga=2.82984918.1715334380.1527599726-1758981886.1515592228](https://stateimpact.npr.org/pennsylvania/2018/05/16/voices-of-energy-virginia-mcgrath/?_ga=2.82984918.1715334380.1527599726-1758981886.1515592228)

Chambersburg Public Opinion: Judges tour Transource power line route to explore impact on school and trout stream  
<https://www.publicopiniononline.com/story/news/2018/05/29/puc-judges-visit-transource-route-falling-spring/651285002/>

## **Environmental Cleanup and Brownfields**

Times Leader: Avoca plaintiffs suing for \$619M more of Kerr-McGee settlement

<https://www.timesleader.com/news/705587/avoca-plaintiffs-suing-for-619m-more-of-kerr-mcgee-settlement>

## **Mining**

Montgomery News: East Rockhill adds another law firm for quarry hearing; legal fees mounting  
[http://www.montgomerynews.com/perkasienewsherald/news/east-rockhill-adds-another-law-firm-for-quarry-hearing-legal/article\\_748516a4-facc-594c-9b9d-0cae4df57b71.html](http://www.montgomerynews.com/perkasienewsherald/news/east-rockhill-adds-another-law-firm-for-quarry-hearing-legal/article_748516a4-facc-594c-9b9d-0cae4df57b71.html)

## **Oil and Gas**

Fox43: Municipalities apply for grant funding resulting from Sunoco Pipeline fines  
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Butler Eagle: Effort focuses on finding petrochemical workers  
<http://www.butlereagle.com/apps/pbcs.dll/article?AID=/20180526/BUSINESS01/705269853>

Erie Times News: Ohio farmers reap frustration over multistate NEXUS pipeline construction  
<http://www.goerie.com/zz/news/20180526/ohio-farmers-reap-frustration-over-multistate-nexus-pipeline-construction>

## **Radiation Protection**

Bloomsburg Press-Enterprise: Berwick-area nuclear plant running safely, feds say  
<http://www.pressenterpriseonline.com/daily/052718/page/1/story/berwick-area-n-plant-running-safely-feds-say>

## **Waste**

Express Times: Synagro sewage sludge treatment plant is back before township  
[http://www.lehighvalleylive.com/slate-belt/index.ssf/2018/05/synagro\\_sewage\\_sludge\\_treatmen.html](http://www.lehighvalleylive.com/slate-belt/index.ssf/2018/05/synagro_sewage_sludge_treatmen.html)

Butler Eagle: Landfill seeks approval to expand on property  
<http://www.butlereagle.com/article/20180526/NEWS01/705269911>

Erie Times News: Waste Management recycling center options, hours cut  
<http://www.goerie.com/news/20180529/waste-management-recycling-center-options-hours-cut>

## **Water**

Tribune-Review: Empty gas line broken, slowing water main repairs in McKeesport  
<http://triblive.com/local/alleggheny/13704498-74/empty-gas-line-broken-slowing-water-main-repairs-in-mckeesport>

Daily American: Addison faces water shortage  
[https://www.dailyamerican.com/news/local/somerset/addison-faces-water-shortage/article\\_866c7038-635d-11e8-acbb-73d2e5559409.html](https://www.dailyamerican.com/news/local/somerset/addison-faces-water-shortage/article_866c7038-635d-11e8-acbb-73d2e5559409.html)

Leader Times: New MTJMA plant breaks scientific ground statewide

[http://www.leadertimes.com/news/2018-05-30/Front\\_Page/New\\_MTJMA\\_plant\\_breaks\\_scientific\\_ground\\_statewide.html](http://www.leadertimes.com/news/2018-05-30/Front_Page/New_MTJMA_plant_breaks_scientific_ground_statewide.html)

Chester County Daily Local: PA American Water awards grants to local fire departments

<http://www.dailylocal.com/general-news/20180529/pa-american-water-awards-grants-to-local-fire-departments>

Bloomsburg Press-Enterprise: \$10M will flow to floodwall

<http://www.pressenterpriseonline.com/daily/053018/page/1/story/10m-will-flow-to-floodwall>

Centre County Gazette: Researchers to lead discussion about region's water quality and resources

<http://www.statecollege.com/news/local-news/researchers-to-lead-discussion-about-regions-water-quality-and-resources,1476665/>

Altoona Mirror: Tyrone approves engineering work

<http://www.altoonamirror.com/news/local-news/2018/05/tyrone-approves-engineering-work/>

Bradford Era: Pennsylvania American Water rejects sewer system price tag

[http://www.bradfordera.com/news/pennsylvania-american-water-rejects-sewer-system-price-tag/article\\_9a52fa92-6086-11e8-9d30-1f8a01426500.html](http://www.bradfordera.com/news/pennsylvania-american-water-rejects-sewer-system-price-tag/article_9a52fa92-6086-11e8-9d30-1f8a01426500.html)

Erie Times News: Dog swimming advisories posted at 8 Erie County locations

<http://www.goerie.com/news/20180525/dog-swimming-advisories-posted-at-8-erie-county-locations?sp->

## **Miscellaneous**

Post-Gazette: After long delay, Pa. building codes get an update

<http://www.post-gazette.com/powersource/policy-powersource/2018/05/30/Pennsylvania-building-code-energy-update-after-delay/stories/201805270064>

StateImpact: Rep. Fitzpatrick: 'Unacceptable' for Pruitt to say he can't release chemical study

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[http://www.recordargusnews.com/news/2018-05-25/News/Fire\\_damages\\_processed\\_rubber\\_at\\_Sugar\\_Grove\\_Towns.html](http://www.recordargusnews.com/news/2018-05-25/News/Fire_damages_processed_rubber_at_Sugar_Grove_Towns.html)