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## **Top DEP Stories**

Scranton Times: Air quality engineer testifies about chemical odor in Green Ridge

<http://thetimes-tribune.com/news/air-quality-engineer-testifies-about-chemical-odor-in-green-ridge-1.2118336>

## **Mentions**

Lebanon Daily News: Hazmat dispatched to Myerstown pond for sheeny substance

<http://www.ldnews.com/story/news/local/2016/11/15/hazmat-dispatched-myerstown-pond-sheeny-substance/93937348/>

## **Air**

Pocono Record: Former Barrett Consolidated High School's razing starts

<http://www.poconorecord.com/news/20161115/former-barrett-consolidated-high-schools-razing-starts>

Times News: Compressor station hearing continues

<http://www.tnonline.com/2016/nov/16/compressor-station-hearing-continues>

Milford Daily News: Medway: DEP hears comments for, against Exelon project

<http://www.milforddailynews.com/news/20161115/medway-dep-hears-comments-for-against-exelon-project>

## **Climate Change**

StateImpact PA: Secretary of State John Kerry says market forces will drive U.S. to meet Paris goals

<https://stateimpact.npr.org/pennsylvania/2016/11/16/secretary-of-state-john-kerry-says-market-forces-will-drive-u-s-to-renewables/#more-43366>

York Dispatch: Oped: A climate change solution for the forgotten

<http://www.yorkdispatch.com/story/opinion/contributors/2016/11/16/oped-climate-change-solution-forgotten/93957454/>

## **Conservation & Recreation**

Citizens' Voice: Luzerne County Council continues work on budget

<http://citizensvoice.com/news/luzerne-county-council-continues-work-on-budget-1.2118231>

## **Energy**

Towanda Daily Review: Gov. Wolf announces reopening of Solar Energy Program

[http://www.thedailyreview.com/news/2016-11-17/Local/Gov\\_Wolf\\_announces\\_reopening\\_of\\_Solar\\_Energy\\_Progr.html](http://www.thedailyreview.com/news/2016-11-17/Local/Gov_Wolf_announces_reopening_of_Solar_Energy_Progr.html)

StateImpact PA: State lawmakers discuss ways to improve pipeline safety

<https://stateimpact.npr.org/pennsylvania/2016/11/16/state-lawmakers-discuss-ways-to-improve-pipeline-safety/#more-43377>

Reading Eagle: Sinking Spring awaits details on worrisome power-line project

<http://www.readingeagle.com/news/article/sinking-spring-still-waiting-for-requested-details-on-ppl-power-line-project>

## **Oil and Gas**

Bucks County Courier Times: Hundreds in Doylestown rally against the Dakota Access Pipeline

[http://www.buckscountycouriertimes.com/news/local/hundreds-in-doylestown-rally-against-the-dakota-access-pipeline/article\\_f504d3f6-46d0-50d9-a321-231527d9ec90.html](http://www.buckscountycouriertimes.com/news/local/hundreds-in-doylestown-rally-against-the-dakota-access-pipeline/article_f504d3f6-46d0-50d9-a321-231527d9ec90.html)

Pennlive: York County property owner awarded \$6,000 as value of natural gas pipeline easement

[http://www.pennlive.com/news/2016/11/york\\_county\\_property\\_owner\\_awa.html#incart\\_river\\_index](http://www.pennlive.com/news/2016/11/york_county_property_owner_awa.html#incart_river_index)

Lancaster Newspapers: Pipeline builder has to offset air pollution from pipeline construction in Lancaster County

[http://lancasteronline.com/insider/pipeline-builder-has-to-offset-air-pollution-from-pipeline-construction/article\\_f7c6ee06-ac3f-11e6-ac25-93c4ea1f6b88.html](http://lancasteronline.com/insider/pipeline-builder-has-to-offset-air-pollution-from-pipeline-construction/article_f7c6ee06-ac3f-11e6-ac25-93c4ea1f6b88.html)

WITF/StateImpact: State lawmakers discuss ways to improve pipeline safety

[https://stateimpact.npr.org/pennsylvania/2016/11/16/state-lawmakers-discuss-ways-to-improve-pipeline-safety/?\\_ga=1.215532446.882895250.1471610849](https://stateimpact.npr.org/pennsylvania/2016/11/16/state-lawmakers-discuss-ways-to-improve-pipeline-safety/?_ga=1.215532446.882895250.1471610849)

NGI: Sleuths Tracking Abandoned Pennsylvania Oil, Gas Wells for Clues to Reduce Methane Emissions Nationwide

<http://www.naturalgasintel.com/articles/108452-sleuths-tracking-abandoned-pennsylvania-oil-gas-wells-for-clues-to-reduce-methane-emissions-nationwide>

Science Blog: Study of abandoned oil and gas wells shows new ways to ID and fix worst methane emitters

<https://scienceblog.com/489612/study-abandoned-oil-gas-wells-shows-new-ways-id-fix-worst-methane-emitters/>

## **Waste**

Williamsport Sun Gazette: Group encouraged in effort to stop the incinerator

<http://www.sungazette.com/news/top-news/2016/11/group-encouraged-in-effort-to-stop-the-incinerator/>

Waste Dive: Pennsylvania DEP cites Keystone landfill for leachate violations

<http://www.wastedive.com/news/pennsylvania-dep-cites-keystone-landfill-for-leachate-violations/430561/>

## **Water**

Towanda Daily Review: Monroe Council member: Planned levee will likely cause a tax increase

[http://www.thedailyreview.com/news/2016-11-17/Today%27s\\_Top\\_Stories/Monroe\\_Council\\_member\\_Planned\\_levee\\_will\\_likely\\_ca.html](http://www.thedailyreview.com/news/2016-11-17/Today%27s_Top_Stories/Monroe_Council_member_Planned_levee_will_likely_ca.html)

Williamsport Sun Gazette: Wolf to seek federal help for local flash flood 'disaster'

<http://www.sungazette.com/news/top-news/2016/11/wolf-to-seek-federal-help-for-local-flash-flood-disaster/>

StateCollege.com: Wolf Requests Federal Aid for Centre County Flooding Victims

<http://www.statecollege.com/news/local-news/wolf-requests-federal-aid-for-centre-county-flooding-victims,1469994/>

Centre Daily Times: Elevated levels of lead found in Woodward drinking water

<http://www.centredaily.com/news/local/community/penns-valley/article115295603.html>

Centre Daily Times: Federal aid requested for flood victims

<http://www.centredaily.com/news/local/article115197883.html>

The Clarion News: Farmington considers settling water and sewerage debts

[http://www.theclarionnews.com/news/frontpage/article\\_6fa0cee5-fb35-5b93-9e16-4815459feeff.html](http://www.theclarionnews.com/news/frontpage/article_6fa0cee5-fb35-5b93-9e16-4815459feeff.html)

Bucks County Courier Times: Seed, mulch to fill in 26 acres where trees cut down in Bensalem

[http://www.buckscountycouriertimes.com/news/local/seed-mulch-to-fill-in-acres-where-trees-cut-down/article\\_88e27b68-ac17-11e6-8d99-a7173ac47f38.html](http://www.buckscountycouriertimes.com/news/local/seed-mulch-to-fill-in-acres-where-trees-cut-down/article_88e27b68-ac17-11e6-8d99-a7173ac47f38.html)

Norristown Times Herald: Water main installation to cause traffic restrictions in Norristown

<http://www.timesherald.com/general-news/20161116/water-main-installation-to-cause-traffic-restrictions-in-norristown>

Altoona Mirror: Cleaning waterways

<http://www.altoonamirror.com/opinion/letters-to-the-editor/2016/11/cleaning-waterways/>

Reading Eagle: Kutztown council eyes water/sewer rate hike

<http://www.readingeagle.com/news/article/kutztown-council-eyes-watersewer-rate-hike>

Citizens' Voice: Storm water management to be topic of meeting

<http://citizensvoice.com/news/storm-water-management-to-be-topic-of-meeting-1.2118130>

Pocono Record: Monroe County drought warning continues

<http://www.poconorecord.com/news/20161115/monroe-county-drought-warning-continues>

Republican Herald: Drought watch continues for Schuylkill County

<http://republicanherald.com/news/drought-watch-continues-for-schuylkill-county-1.2118298>

StateImpact: Officials weigh emergency action to repel salt front in Delaware River

<https://stateimpact.npr.org/pennsylvania/2016/11/15/officials-weigh-emergency-action-to-repel-salt-front-in-delaware-river/>

Pike County Courier: Environmental and water issues central at Dingman meeting

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York Daily Record: Propane truck crash, fire keep responders busy

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York Dispatch: Fire crews battle propane-truck blaze in Jackson Twp.

<http://www.yorkdispatch.com/story/news/2016/11/16/propane-truck-overtuned-fire/93952716/>

Pennlive: Crews contain 100-acre mountain fire in Cumberland County

[http://www.pennlive.com/news/2016/11/crews\\_contain\\_100-acre\\_mountain.html#incart\\_river\\_home](http://www.pennlive.com/news/2016/11/crews_contain_100-acre_mountain.html#incart_river_home)

Reading Eagle: Farm Bureau says it looks forward to working with Trump

<http://www.readingeagle.com/news/article/farm-bureau-says-it-looks-forward-to-working-with-trump>