



Pennsylvania  
Department of  
Environmental Protection

December 11, 2024

CERTIFIED MAIL NO. [REDACTED]

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Re: Water Supply Request for Investigation ID 384475  
Notice Sent to Operator  
Springfield Township, Bradford County

Dear [REDACTED]

This letter is regarding your water supply located at the above address. The Department's investigation prompted by the information that you provided to the Department on October 15, 2024 indicates that oil and gas activities are presumed to be the cause of the pollution of your water supply.

Please find enclosed the Department's Notice of Presumption to Blackhill Energy, LLC ("Notice"). As you can see, the Notice requests that certain actions take place within defined timeframes. The Department will continue to pursue this matter.

If you have any questions about any of the above, please contact Matthew Nuss at [mnuss@pa.gov](mailto:mnuss@pa.gov) or (570) 916-8500.

Sincerely,

Jennifer W. Means  
Environmental Program Manager  
Eastern Oil and Gas District

Enclosures:

Notice to Operator

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Chris Southard  
Complaint File: 384475