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Environmental Justice Policy Revision

What is this about?

The Office of Environmental Justice (OEJ) has revised the existing Environmental Justice Policy (EJ Policy). The final draft of the updated EJ Policy is ready for formal public comment, and we want your opinion! The new policy aims to integrate EJ into more aspects of DEP’s work to benefit EJ communities. We have conducted outreach, but this is the final comment period before the EJ Policy is adopted.

For more information visit the EJ Policy Revision page at www.dep.pa.gov/EJPolicyRevision. You can also email RA-EPOEJ@pa.gov with questions.

DEP Wants to Hear From You!

All comments provided during the public comment period (before May 11, 2022) are given equal weight, whether provided verbally at a hearing, sent electronically, or through email.

Public comment will be accepted until Wednesday, May 11

Written Public Comment

- Submit through email to: RA-EPOEJ@pa.gov
- or on DEP’s eComment page: www.ahs.dep.pa.gov/eComment/

Virtual Public Hearings

- April 5, 2022 at 5:00 PM
- April 12, 2022 at 6:00 PM
- April 28, 2022 at 12:00PM
- May 4, 2022 at 6:00 PM

Register for the public hearing by contacting Glenda Davidson with your name, email address and phone number, and organization (if any), (717) 783-4759 or RA-EPOEJ@pa.gov, at least 24 hours in advance, to reserve a time to present testimony.

Just want to listen in? You are welcome to join a virtual public hearing to listen only. Learn more at www.dep.pa.gov/EJPolicyRevision