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Top DEP Stories

WHYY: Mariner East builder Sunoco agrees to \$4M settlement over Marsh Creek Lake spill
<https://whyy.org/articles/mariner-east-builder-sunoco-agrees-to-4m-settlement-over-marsh-creek-lake-spill/>

AP News: Sunoco Ordered to Dredge Lake, Pay \$4M Over Pipeline Spill
<https://www.usnews.com/news/best-states/pennsylvania/articles/2021-12-06/sunoco-ordered-to-dredge-lake-pay-4m-over-pipeline-spill>

Philly Voice: Mariner East developer ordered to clean Chester County lake after pipeline spill
<https://www.phillyvoice.com/sunoco-mariner-east-pipeline-settlement-marsh-creek-lake-state-park-chester-county-pennsylvania/>

Delaware County Daily Times: Morning Briefing: Remembering Pearl Harbor on 80th Anniversary; Sunoco ordered to pay over spill; New coach, same result for struggling Flyers
<https://www.delcotimes.com/2021/12/07/morning-briefing-remembering-pearl-harbor-on-80th-anniversary-sunoco-ordered-to-pay-over-spill-new-coach-same-result-for-struggling-flyers/>

CBS3 Philly: Sunoco Ordered To Dredge Part Of Ranger Cove, Pay \$4 Million Over Mariner East 2 Spill
<https://philadelphia.cbslocal.com/video/6169043-sunoco-ordered-to-dredge-part-of-ranger-cove-pay-4-million-over-mariner-east-2-spill/>

NBC10: Sunoco Must Dredge Chester Co. Lake, Pay \$4M Over Pipeline Spill
<https://www.nbcphiladelphia.com/news/green/sunoco-must-dredge-chester-co-lake-pay-4m-over-pipeline-spill/3069899/>

Pennsylvania Capital Star: Sunoco to pay \$4.3M for spill that polluted Chester County state park; pipeline construction rerouted
<https://www.penncapital-star.com/blog/sunoco-to-pay-4-3-million-for-spill-that-polluted-chester-county-state-park-pipeline-construction-rerouted/>

Dredging Today: Sunoco to restore lake at Marsh Creek State Park, dredging included
<https://www.dredgingtoday.com/2021/12/07/sunoco-to-restore-lake-at-marsh-creek-state-park-dredging-included/>

Post-Gazette: Sunoco ordered to dredge lake, pay \$4M over Pa. pipeline spill
<https://www.post-gazette.com/business/powersource/2021/12/07/Sunoco-ordered-to-dredge-lake-pay-4M-over-pipeline-spill/stories/202112070062>

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Pittsburgh City Paper: Carbon fee for Pa. power plants ready to be enacted, but agency says it can't yet
<https://www.pghcitypaper.com/pittsburgh/carbon-fee-for-pa-power-plants-ready-to-be-enacted-but-agency-says-it-cant-yet/Content?oid=20695023>

Times News: Concerns raised over biosolid use in Polk

<https://www.tnonline.com/20211206/concerns-raised-over-biosolid-use-in-polk/>

RGGI

StateImpact PA: AG's office approves RGGI rule, after Shapiro criticized the plan

<https://stateimpact.npr.org/pennsylvania/2021/12/06/ags-office-approves-rggi-rule-after-shapiro-criticized-the-plan/>

Climate Change

Philadelphia Inquirer: Philly winters aren't what you think

<https://www.inquirer.com/weather/inq2/weather-philadelphia-forecast-snow-winter-data-20211207.html>

Conservation & Recreation

York Daily Record: Plans advance to improve Codorus Creek corridor in York with help from a \$10M grant

<https://www.ydr.com/story/news/2021/12/06/governor-wolf-announces-10-million-help-codorus-greenway-project-york/8888798002/>

WITF: State awards city of York \$10 million for Codorus Greenway Project

<https://www.witf.org/2021/12/06/state-awards-city-of-york-10-million-for-codorus-greenway-project/>

Morning Call: Newly donated parcel of land on Springhouse Road will be preserved as open space, South Whitehall commissioners say

<https://www.mcall.com/news/local/mc-nws-south-whitehall-land-donation-20211202-gsxa45ockze2pb7237nqvfs3am-story.html>

Pennlive: Snowy owls are moving south from the Arctic toward Pa. in what's expected to 'to be a good year' for sightings

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Tribune-Review: Tarentum saves \$30,000 by rebuilding street light fixtures

<https://triblive.com/local/valley-news-dispatch/tarentum-saves-30000-by-rebuilding-street-light-fixtures/>

WESA: Electricity rates are rising in Pennsylvania as the temperature dips. A cold winter is expected

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Philadelphia Inquirer: Homeowners associations aim to protect property values but can limit personal choice

<https://www.inquirer.com/real-estate/housing/homeowner-associations-pennsylvania-nj-fees-property-values-bylaws-20211204.html>

Environmental Cleanup & Brownfields

Sunbury Daily Item: \$2M state grant to breathe new life into Celotex property in Sunbury

https://www.dailyitem.com/news/2m-state-grant-to-breathe-new-life-into-celotex-property-in-sunbury/article_f1c596b6-56cf-11ec-bbaa-1b8d7cb9d758.html

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Tribune-Review: Sen. John Yudichak: America's energy future depends on Pa.

<https://triblive.com/opinion/sen-john-yudichak-americas-energy-future-depends-on-pa/>

Pittsburgh Business Times: Exclusive: Olympus Energy reaches methane monitoring deal with Project Canary

<https://www.bizjournals.com/pittsburgh/news/2021/12/06/olympus-energy-project-canary.html>

Pittsburgh Business Times: Rice on Warren's gas-industry letter: LNG key to combatting climate change

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<https://www.wesa.fm/economy-business/2021-12-06/churchill-residents-continue-protests-as-council-sets-a-date-to-vote-on-amazon-proposal>

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Tribune-Review: Don't build the high school on the hill
<https://triblive.com/local/sewickley/letters-to-the-editor-dont-build-the-new-qv-school-on-the-hill-environmental-impacts-in-our-area/>

Pennlive: Cumberland County Conservation District makes available more college scholarships
<https://www.pennlive.com/news/2021/12/cumberland-county-conservation-district-makes-available-more-college-scholarships.html>

Morning Call: 'He's just a little guy': Alligator pulled from Lehigh River in Allentown, rescue captured on video
<https://www.mcall.com/news/breaking/mc-nws-alligator-pulled-from-lehigh-river-in-allentown-20211207-nsv2rlxe2fa2bee6paysn47ol4-story.html>