Want to be heard during a meeting with Governor Corbett on Shale Gas Extraction, Fracking and Sustainable Energy?

Send a one minute video we can include in a montage that will be the basis of a meeting with the Governor in January.

Recall that day in August when Governor Corbett decided he was going to paddle down the Delaware? Well, on that day you might also recall that much to the Governor’s chagrin, Delaware Riverkeeper Maya van Rossum along with staff and volunteers of the Delaware Riverkeeper Network joined the Governor, uninvited, on that paddle down the River. Members of the local community lined the banks as he travelled down the River with signs and calls for him to be caring and concerned. The goal was to challenge the Governor for his policies and decisions regarding gas drilling in the Commonwealth, including in the Pennsylvania portion of the Delaware River watershed. On that paddle the Governor promised Maya a 1 hour meeting to talk about the issue.

The time for that meeting has come – January 8 van Rossum and 2 others, including Joe Levine of Damascus Citizens for Sustainability, will join her in her meeting with the Governor.

We believe this meeting should be open to everyone, that everyone in the Commonwealth should be given an opportunity to join us in our meeting with the Governor to deliver the message that gas drilling is a devastating industrial practice that is destroying communities and the environments vital for present and future generations, and that the better energy path for our State and country is one...
focused on energy efficiency, and appropriate solar, wind and water projects, as well as emerging sustainable technologies.

If you have a message you want us to share with the Governor about how gas drilling is impacting your community, your thoughts for better energy solutions for the Commonwealth, and/or any of the many reasons why shale gas development, fracking and all the associated infrastructure should not be allowed to continue to move forward in the State then please share it via a one minute video. We will take the videos we receive and create a montage that will be shared with the Governor – we will show as many as we can during our one hour meeting, others will be part of the montage that will be left with the Governor and put on line for the world to see.

How to be included:

- Please send us your videos as either MPEG 4, M4V or QUICKTIME MOVIES.
- Please do not send Microsoft Word WMV Movies.
- Due to the limited time we have with the Governor and our goal of having as many heard as possible we ask you to please keep your video to one minute – if it is longer we will edit it if we can but may have to reject it for use at the meeting.
- Videos must be received by January 3rd to ensure consideration.
- You must be a resident or property owner in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to be part of this effort – as those are the Governor’s constituents and the folks he may actually listen to.
- Send your video to ed@delawareriverkeeper.org