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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Southwest Regional Office

May 29, 2018

Mr. Larry Gremminger
Sunoco Logistics, L.P.
535 Fritztown Road
Sinking Spring, Pennsylvania 19608

RE: Hydrogeological Re-Evaluation Report
     HDD S2-0070, E11-352
     William Penn Avenue Crossing
     Jackson Township, Cambria County

Dear Mr. Gordon:

The Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) reviewed Sunoco Logistics L.P.'s (SPLP) March 28, 2018 response to DEP's February 27, 2018 letter. The response submitted by SPLP was posted on the DEP Mariner East II pipeline portal webpage on March 28, 2018. SPLP submitted supplemental information on April 8, April 18, April 30, and May 25, 2018. DEP notes that SPLP has rescinded its request to utilize DrilPlex as a drilling aid per its April 18, 2018 correspondence. Per its April 30, 2018 submittal, SPLP is proposing to utilize Aquabloc, which has been verified by DEP to be an approved NSF/ANSI Standard 60 drilling fluid.

DEP received and reviewed public comments submitted jointly by Clean Air Council, Mountain Watershed Association, and Delaware Riverkeeper Network on the Horizontal Directional Drill (HDD) Re-evaluation Report and subsequent revisions. In response to comments received, DEP undertook further evaluation and concluded that the potential risks to water supplies were adequately considered.

SPLP may proceed with the permitted activity in the manner proposed in the HDD Re-evaluation Report submitted January 2, 2018 and subsequent revisions submitted March 28, 2018, April 8, 2018, April 18, 2018, April 30, 2018 and May 25, 2018 and in accordance with all applicable permit terms and conditions.
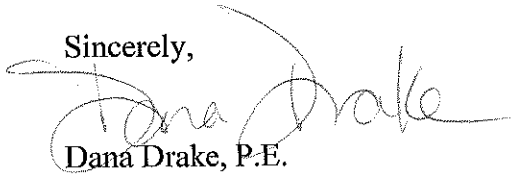
SPLP should contact the Cambria County Conservation District regarding a red line field change of any revised drill pit location within the limit of disturbance.

If you have any questions regarding the matter, please contact me at 412.442.4149, or by email at dadrake@pa.gov.

Sincerely,

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