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Ms. Rita Coleman,

I am writing on Behalf of NuWeld, Inc. in regards to the Sunoco Logistics Mariner East 2 project. NuWeld, Inc. is a small family owned and operated manufacturing company located in Williamsport, PA serving the natural gas and nuclear industries. NuWeld is strongly in favor of this project and strongly urges the Department of Environmental Protection to approve SXL's application on two environmental permits (Chapter 105-Water Obstruction and Encroachment and Chapter 102- Erosion & Sediment Control). By providing this needed pipeline infrastructure it will increase jobs both temporarily and permanently which ultimately increases the Commonwealth's tax revenues. It is our hope at NuWeld that this project will improve our opportunities to secure work on future projects within the Marcellus and Utica Shale play and with natural gas companies such as Sunoco Logistics. Projects such as the Mariner East 2 project will keep resourcing of the Marcellus shale in PA with increasing the use of manufacturing facilities such as ourselves for business and job creation instead of jobs and revenue going to states such as Texas and Louisiana. As a small manufacturing company in the state of PA we urge you to strongly consider approving these two applications.

Sincerely,

Michele March
NuWeld, Inc.