

ADELPHIA GATEWAY PROJECT

Lower Saucon Township Council had a couple of follow-up questions on the Adelpia Gateway project:

Question from the Township:

Would you be able to outline what processes are used to switch from petroleum to gas as proposed with the Adelpia pipeline project? And a second part to that question would be, are municipalities notified when that switch is made?

Answer from Project Manager from Adelpia Gateway Project (Kim Pizzingrilli):

As required by CFR 192 below is a synopsis of what is required to convert the line from oil transportation to gas transportation and the status of each item

1. Review of the history of the pipeline (completed during the due diligence phase of the transaction)
2. The ROW and infrastructure must be inspected (completed during the due diligence phase of the transaction)
3. All known unsafe defects and conditions must be corrected (completed during the due diligence phase of the transaction)
4. The pipeline must be tested to establish MAOP (completed during the due diligence phase of the transaction)
5. Notification to PHMSA 60 days prior to the conversion going into service (to be completed upon FERC approval)
6. The infrastructure is to be modified to comply with all parts of CFR 192 (to be completed upon FERC approval)
 - a. The only modification(s) required for this pipeline is addition of new mainline valves, and the addition of blow-offs at existing mainline valves.

Adelpia will continue IEC's current public awareness program and revise accordingly to accommodate the conversion of service. As part of this ongoing outreach all local agencies (municipalities, first responders, emergency services, school districts, etc.) will be notified.