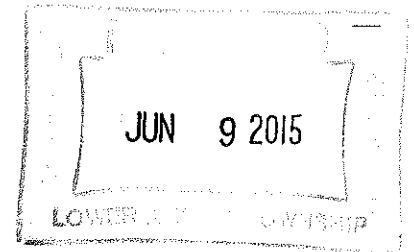


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Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary  
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission  
888 First Street NE, Room IA  
Washington, D.C. 20426

Re: PennEast Pipeline Company, Docket No. PF15-1-000:  
Supplemental Comments Regarding PennEast Pipeline Project

Dear Ms. Bose:

I have been instructed by my client, Lower Saucon Township Council (the governing body of Lower Saucon Township, Northampton County, PA), to advise FERC that PennEast Pipeline Company has requested a strictly private meeting with the members of Council to inform it of project developments and has flatly refused the Council's request that it agree to make its presentations in a meeting open to the public. As FERC is aware, the proposed Hellertown Lateral and a substantial portion of the mainline of the pipeline would traverse Lower Saucon Township.

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This refusal places the Council in the unenviable position of either refusing to meet with PennEast and thus depriving itself of information to inform its decision-making, or cooperating with a process that lacks transparency. Such a meeting also precludes any deliberation because such deliberation would violate Pennsylvania's open meeting law, the "Sunshine Act", 65 Pa.C.S.A. 701, et seq. We believe that the public interest would better be served if PennEast would agree to meetings at which the public is present and could be similarly informed.

Thank you for the opportunity for the Township to make these observations of record.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Charles W. Elliott  
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