



**Sunoco Pipeline L.P.**  
Eastern Area Headquarters  
525 Fritztown Road  
Sinking Spring, PA 19608

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RE: Pipeline Maintenance – Hydrostatic Testing  
Mariner East Project

Dear Neighbor:

Sunoco Pipeline L.P. (“SPLP”) operates and maintains an existing eight-inch pipeline in your area. The pipeline originates in Delmont, Pennsylvania and terminates in Claymont, Delaware as shown on the attached map.

The safety of our pipelines is our first priority at all times. Over the next few weeks, SPLP plans to conduct hydrostatic testing of the pipe to ensure its safety and integrity. The hydrostatic test will occur in stages along the pipeline. The hydrostatic test involves filling the pipe with water and pressurizing the pipe to levels higher than the normal operating pressure in order to verify the strength of the pipe and to identify potentially detrimental defects. The pipeline pressure is continuously monitored for the duration of the test, which is a minimum of 8 hours for buried pipelines. The hydrostatic test could be conducted during the evening hours and you may see SPLP and/or contract personnel patrolling the pipeline right-of-way during the testing process.

In the event a problem occurs during a hydrostatic test, SPLP will have personnel standing by to respond, sectionalize the line, identify the location of the defect and make repairs. In some cases, the test water is colored with an environmentally safe, biodegradable dye to assist in identifying a defect location. Upon completion of repairs, the line is pressurized again until a successful test is achieved. After achieving a successful hydrostatic test, the water is disposed of properly and the line may be returned to service.

Enclosed please find safety information handouts that are part of SPLP’s Damage Prevention and Public Awareness Programs. For more information on SPLP or hydrostatic testing, please visit our website at [www.sunocologistics.com](http://www.sunocologistics.com). If you have general inquiries for SPLP regarding this process, we would ask that you call the following number **1-855-430-4491**.

Thank you for your cooperation and patience during this necessary activity.

Sincerely,  
Lisa Kurchina  
Field Project ROW Manager  
Summit Resources, LLC  
Representing Sunoco Logistics

Enclosure: Pipeline Safety Brochure