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August 31, 2018

S.O. No. 0505-139

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL – 7018 0680 0000 8307 8789

Ms. Joelle Whiteman, Manager
Elizabeth Township
522 Rock Run Road
Elizabeth, Pennsylvania 15037

**Subject: Boston Hollow Road Gas Line Relocation
Elizabeth Township, Allegheny County
Act 14 Notification**

Dear Ms. Whiteman:

Peoples Natural Gas Company LLC is proposing to replace two gas lines, one on and one below the Boston Hollow Road Culvert in Elizabeth Township, Allegheny County. Proposed construction will include the installation and attachment of two new gas lines along the UNT to Boston Hollow Run, restoration, and all other appurtenances necessary. As part of the project, the Developer is applying for two General Permit No. 5 Registrations for Utility Line Stream Crossings. Enclosed for your reference is a copy of the General Permit Registration Form, Site Location Map, the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (PaDEP) Appendix A – Land Use Information Questionnaire, and Appendix C – Municipal Land Use Letter.

This notice is required pursuant to Act 14, P.L. 834, which became effective April 17, 1984. Act 14 requires written notification be provided to each local municipality and county in which the permitted activity is located. The written notice is to be received by the local municipality and county at least 30 days before PaDEP issues or denies the permit.

Acts 67, 68 and 127 of 2000, which amended the Municipalities Planning Code (MPC) to direct state agencies to consider comprehensive plans and zoning ordinances when reviewing applications for permitting of facilities or infrastructure, and specify that state agencies may rely upon comprehensive plans and zoning ordinances under certain conditions as described in Sections 619.2 and 1105 of the MPC.

In accordance with PaDEP's Land Use Policy, enclosed please find a Land Use Letter that is to be submitted with our permit applications to the PaDEP. Please complete the attached form and return it

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to this office within 30 days, **please do not send this form to PaDEP**, as we must include the Land Use Letter with our permit application. If we do not receive a response from you **within 30 days**, we shall proceed to submit our permit application to PaDEP without the Land Use Letter. If the Land Use Letter is not submitted with our permit application, and we provide proof to PaDEP that we attempted to obtain it, PaDEP will assume there are no substantive land use conflicts and proceed with the normal application review process.

Please identify any land use concerns or issues associated with the proposed project if there are any. Along with your comments, you are also encouraged to send as much information as necessary to support your comments. This can include a copy of the sections of your comprehensive plan that relate to the project and a copy of any applicable zoning ordinances; you may also want to identify locally designated growth areas, Keystone Opportunity Zones, efforts to preserve open space and prime farmland and similar information.

If you have any questions with regard to the permit application, please write to PaDEP at the address listed below:

Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection
Southwest Regional Office
400 Waterfront Drive
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15222-4745

Sincerely,



John R. Heyl, P.E., CPESC



Sara E. Powell

JRH/SEP:rl

Enclosures

**CHAPTER 105 WATER OBSTRUCTIONS AND ENCROACHMENT
GENERAL PERMIT REGISTRATION****SECTION A. APPLICANT INFORMATION**

<input type="checkbox"/> FERC Natural Gas Activity	Docket Number _____	Type of Facility _____
Has a Water Quality Certification (WQC) request been sent to DEP? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
<input type="checkbox"/> Activity Subject to FERC approval and/or Oil & Gas Exploration, Production, Storage or Transmission if the activity is regulated by FERC and provide the FERC docket number.		

Applicant's Name / Client People's Natural Gas Company	DEP Client ID# (if known)	Employer ID# (EIN) 26-3349481
Client Information - Please select Client Type / Code from drop down box under the correct entity shown below. (or may be written in) ↓		
Government	Non-Government LLC Ltd Liability Company	Individual

Mailing Address 375 North Shore Drive	City Pittsburgh	State PA	ZIP + 4 15212
Contact Person – Last Name Denny	First Michael	MI	Suffix
Telephone (412) 208-6627		Email Address Michael.Denny@peoples-gas.com	

SECTION B. CONSULTANT INFORMATION (If applicable) N/A

Contact Person – Last Name Heyl	First John	MI R	Suffix P.E.	Consultants Title Engineering Manager	Consulting Firm LSSE, Inc.
Mailing Address 846 Fourth Avenue	City Coraopolis	State PA	ZIP + 4 15108	Telephone (412) 264-4400	Fax (412) 264-1200
Email jheyl@lsse.com		Employer ID# (EIN) 24-1496249			

SECTION C. PROJECT INFORMATION

Project / Site Name Boston Hollow Road Gas Line Relocation	DEP Site ID# (if known or leave blank)		
Client Relationship - Please select Site-to-Client Relationship / Code from drop down box to the right. (or may be written in) →	Double-click on shaded area below to select correct Site-to-Client Relationship / Code ↓ OPR Operator		
County Allegheny	Municipality <input type="checkbox"/> City <input type="checkbox"/> Borough <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Township Elizabeth	Note: Municipal & County Notification is Required	
Site Location / Address Boston Hollow Road near Finney Road	City Elizabeth	State PA	ZIP + 4 15037
Collection Method: <input type="checkbox"/> EMAP <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HGIS <input type="checkbox"/> GISDR* <input type="checkbox"/> ITPMP <input type="checkbox"/> GPS <input type="checkbox"/> WAAS <input type="checkbox"/> LORAN			
Check the horizontal reference datum (or projection datum) employed in the collection method.			
EMAP and HGIS (PNDI) have known datum and do not require checking here. <input type="checkbox"/> NAD27 <input type="checkbox"/> NAD83 <input type="checkbox"/> WGS84 (GEO84) LAT.: _____ LONG.: _____			

NOTE: A Submerged Lands License Agreement (SLLA) with an annual fee, if applicable, may also be required for your project. You will be notified if an SLLA is required.

The Aquatic Resources Impact Table (SECTION E. PROPOSED IMPACTS) must be completed or equivalent submitted for this registration to be complete.

SECTION D. REGISTRATION CHECKLIST AND REQUIREMENTS

Please place an "X" next to each item (1-9) to ensure it is completed and/or provided.

Unless otherwise specified, all items are required to ensure a complete Registration package.

****Provide ONE (1) ORIGINAL and ONE (1) COPY of the Registration package****

**Please provide a copy of the Registration form to the Municipality & County in which the work will be performed.
Proof of receipt is not required to be provided to DEP.**

1. REGISTERING A GENERAL PERMIT (GP) check all that apply

Federal, State, county or municipal agencies or municipal authorities:

EXEMPT from fees

- GP-1 Fish Habitat Enhancement StructuresPer Project \$ 50 = \$ _____
- GP-2 Small Docks and Boat Launching Ramps Per Dock / Ramp _____ (#) X \$ 175 = \$ _____
- GP-3 Bank Rehabilitation, Bank Protection and Gravel Bar Removal Per Project _____ (#) X \$ 250 = \$ _____
- GP-4 Intake and Outfall StructuresPer Structure _____ (#) X \$ 200 = \$ _____
- GP-5 Utility Line Stream Crossings Per Individual Utility 2 (#) X _____ (#) X \$ 250 = \$ 500
- GP-6 Agricultural Crossings and Ramps..... Per Crossing / Ramp _____ (#) X \$ 50 = \$ _____
- GP-7 Minor Road Crossings² Per Crossing _____ (#) X \$ 350 = \$ _____
- GP-8 Temporary Road Crossings²..... Per Crossing _____ (#) X \$ 175 = \$ _____
- GP-9 Agricultural Activities..... Per Project \$ 50 = \$ _____
- GP-10 Abandoned Mine Reclamation..... Per Project \$ 500 = \$ _____
- GP-11 Maintenance, Testing, Repair, Rehabilitation, or Replacement of Water Obstructions and Encroachments¹ \$ 750 +
 - Temporary Disturbance (\$400/0.1ac)..... _____ acres x \$4,000 = \$ _____ +
 - Permanent Disturbance (\$800/0.1ac)..... _____ acres x \$8,000 = \$ _____ = \$ _____
- GP-15 Private Residential Construction in Wetlands¹ \$ 750 +
 - Temporary Disturbance (\$400/0.1ac)..... _____ acres x \$4,000 = \$ _____ +
 - Permanent Disturbance (\$800/0.1ac)..... _____ acres x \$8,000 = \$ _____ = \$ _____

GP(s) FEE subtotal (b) \$ 500

	Applicant Entry	DEP Use Only
2. Location Map (USGS quad map) with project site marked:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Color Photographs with dates, locations, and descriptions: <input type="checkbox"/> GP-3 <input type="checkbox"/> GP-11 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Project Description: (Example: Linear pipeline project using multiple GP-5's and GP-8's; One GP-7 for an access road to my property) <u>Linear pipeline project using multiple GP-5s</u> _____ _____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Site Specific and/or Standard Drawings are (required for all) project's GP activities. For Activities that qualify for GP-7 or GP-11 Plans, specifications, and reports for bridges and culverts across a stream which are to be used by the general public such as an access to an industrial, commercial or residential development, etc., shall be prepared by a registered professional engineer and shall be affixed with their seal and certification which shall read as follows on the drawings: If the project includes a bridge or culvert replacement or the proposed work will change the waterway opening, please complete and provide the <u>Bridge and/or Culvert Replacement Projects or Projects That Change the Waterway Opening (3150-PM-BWEW0552B)</u> worksheet. If the project consists of similar work (replacement or change in waterway opening) on more than one structure, provide the data requested for each structure included in this Registration package. <i>"I (name) do hereby certify pursuant to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S.A. Sec. 4904 to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, that the information contained in the accompanying plans, specifications, and reports has been prepared in accordance with accepted engineering practice, is true and correct, and is in conformance with Chapter 105 of the rules and regulations of the Department of Environmental Protection."</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Proposed Project Purpose depicting the site of the projects GP activities and impacts. Briefly discuss the need for the authorization.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Erosion & Sediment Control Plan (E&S Plan) (Required for all GP's but specifically required with submission with a registration of GP-11 or GP's for oil and gas related activities submitted to DEP.)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Pennsylvania Natural Diversity Inventory (PNDI): PNDI Search Receipt and clearance letters, if available. See additional requirements for submission with Avoidance Measures and/or Potential Impacts.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Activities which impact wetlands: (For State Regulated Impacts) Please place an "X" next to the appropriate box indicating the information provided: ➤ N/A because no wetland impacts are proposed or no compensatory mitigation is necessary. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> ➤ A wetland delineation with complete data sheets in accordance with the 1987 Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual AND the appropriate Regional Supplements to the Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual for use in Pennsylvania. <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> ➤ If direct or indirect wetland impacts are greater than 0.05 acre, a compensatory mitigation plan in accordance with the Department's Replacement criteria which provides compensation for both affected acreage, and functions at a minimum of one to one ratio. <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> ➤ If compensatory mitigation onsite is determined not feasible: <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> A check, number _____, in the amount of \$ _____ payable to the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation, N.A. 1237, as compensatory mitigation for _____ acres of impact in wetlands, in accordance with the Pennsylvania Wetland Replacement Project. (Additional Mitigation May Be Required by U.S. Army Corps) <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>		
NOTE: If the Pennsylvania Wetland Replacement Fund is proposed to be used as compensatory mitigation for waters of the Commonwealth the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers may also require additional mitigation if the proposed activity impacts waters of the United States.		

SECTION F. CERTIFICATION

I certify under penalty of law that the information provided in this permit registration is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and information and that I possess the authority to undertake the proposed action. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations. (If any of the information and/or plans is found to be in error, falsified, and/or incomplete, this authorization/verification may be subject to modification, suspension, or revocation in accordance with applicable regulations.) I further certify that this project complies with all the conditions of the general permit.

Signature of Applicant / Owner

Date

Typed / Printed Name

Typed / Printed Title

This General Permit shall not be effective until the owner has had their E&S Plan reviewed by the appropriate Regional Office or District, and, where required, obtained an SLLA from DEP.

THIS ACKNOWLEDGED COPY OF THIS GENERAL PERMIT REGISTRATION PACKAGE AND THE E&S PLAN MUST BE AVAILABLE AT THE PROJECT SITE DURING CONSTRUCTION.

SECTION G. DECISION / DISPOSITION – COMPLETED BY DEP

Decision Review:

DEP / District Reviewer Signature

GP _____

Reviewer's Typed / Printed Name

GP _____

NOTE: See Aquatic Resource Impact Table for any additional authorizations.

Disposition Status

Comments

- | | | |
|---|---|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> ACKNOWLEDGED | Date _____ | _____ |
| SLLA Required | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Attached <input type="checkbox"/> No | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> INCOMPLETE / DEFICIENCY | Date _____ | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> EXTENSION REQUEST | Date _____ | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> WITHDRAWN | Date _____ | _____ |

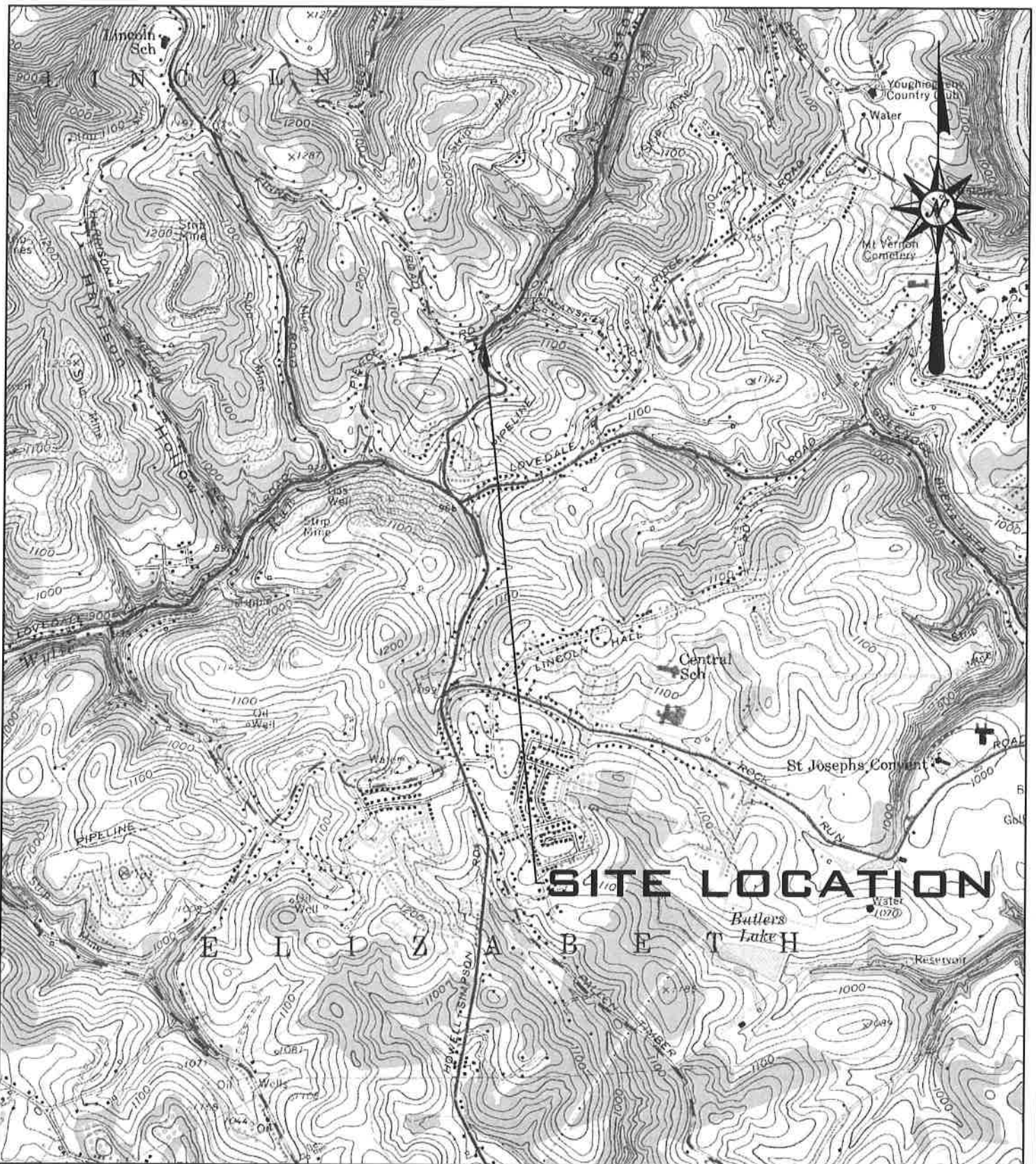
NOTE: If the GP registration information is incomplete a copy of this registration form and requested additional information will be sent to the applicant. A copy of the returned registration form and additional information must be re-submitted within 60 calendar days unless extended by the extension date listed above.

FEDERAL AUTHORIZATION

- Non-reporting PASPGP verification / authorization attached.
- Reporting – A copy of this General Permit registration package has been sent to the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. Separate federal authorization may be required

NOTE: Please be advised that if the reporting box is checked you do not have Federal authorization for this project and such authorization may be required prior to starting your project. In accordance with Section 404 of the Clean Water Act, a Department of the Army authorization is required for the discharge of dredged and/or fill material into waters of the United States, including jurisdictional wetlands. Section 10 of the Rivers and Harbors Act also requires Department of the Army authorization for any work in, over, or under a navigable water of the United States. In accordance with procedures established with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, you will be contacted directly by the Corps regarding Federal Authorization.

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SOURCE: PORTIONS OF MAP TAKEN FROM MCKEESPORT, PA USGS QUADRANGLE



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Boston Hollow Road
 Gas Line Relocation
 Site Location Map

Situate In
 Elizabeth Township, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania

APPENDIX A

Land Use Information Questions

Responses to the following questions are required to determine applicability of DEP's Land Use Policy for Permitting of Infrastructure and Facilities.

Note: Applicants are encouraged to submit copies of local zoning approvals with their authorization application.

LAND USE INFORMATION		
1.	Is there an adopted county or multi-county comprehensive plan?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
2.	Is there an adopted municipal or multi-municipal comprehensive plan?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
3.	Is there an adopted county-wide zoning ordinance, municipal zoning ordinance or joint municipal zoning ordinance?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
<p><i>If the applicant answers NO to either Question 1, 2, or 3, the provisions of the PA MPC are not applicable and the applicant does not need to respond to questions 4 and 5 below.</i></p> <p><i>If the applicant answers YES to questions 1, 2 and 3, the applicant should respond to questions 4 and 5 below.</i></p>		
4.	Does the proposed project meet the provisions of the zoning ordinance or does the proposed project have zoning approval? <i>If zoning approval has been received, attach documentation.</i>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
5.	Have you attached Municipal and County Land Use Letters for the project?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

**APPENDIX C
SAMPLE MUNICIPAL LAND USE LETTER**

Date: _____

To: _____ (Name of Applicant)

From: _____ Township/Borough/City

Re: _____ (Name of DEP Permittee)

The municipality of _____ states that it:
_____ has adopted a municipal or multi-municipal comprehensive plan.
If yes, please provide date of adoption:

_____ has not adopted a municipal or multi-municipal comprehensive plan.

The municipality of _____ states that it:
_____ has adopted a county zoning ordinance, or a municipal or joint-municipal zoning ordinance.
_____ has not adopted a county zoning ordinance, or a municipal or joint-municipal zoning ordinance.

If applicable:

The municipality of _____ states that its zoning ordinance is generally consistent with its municipal comprehensive plan and the county comprehensive plan.

The above referenced proposed project
_____ meets the provisions of the local zoning ordinance

If zoning approval is required for the project to proceed, the above referenced project:
_____ has received zoning approval.
_____ has not received zoning approval.

If the proposed project has not received zoning approval:

What is the status of the zoning request for the proposed project? (e.g., Special Exception Approval from the Zoning Hearing Board required, Conditional Use approval from the Governing Body required)

Is there a legal challenge by the applicant with regard to zoning for the proposed project?

Name and Contact Information for Municipal Zoning Officer:

Additional Comments (attach additional sheets if necessary):

Submitted By:

Name	
Title	
Contact Information (Address & Phone)	
Signature	
Date	