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Dear Comments,

I am a concerned citizen writing to say that I strongly oppose the DRBC\'s proposed rule to limit and thereby effectively ban hydraulic fracturing within your jurisdiction.

Our energy industry serves the nation as a whole and helps keep energy affordable for millions of Americans. While producing and delivering energy is what the industry does, it works hard to ensure that our communities, work sites, and the environment are not put at risk.

Government data and scientific research make it clear that hydraulic fracturing is safe and does not contaminate drinking water. Given this evidence, your proposed rule goes too far. Please do not give credence to the misinformation promoted by extreme anti-energy wacos. Let science, facts and common sense prevail.

The risks of allowing energy development in the DRBC region are minimal, but the benefits are certain. Domestic energy development is critical to our nation\'s and the DRBC region\'s strength---to the economy, to job creation, and to security. Households have extra money every year because we produce much of our own energy.

The DRBC\'s proposed rule would take the DRBC region and our nation in the wrong direction. Recognizing the strong safety record of energy development, the federal government has rightly begun to limit unnecessary regulations. The DBRC should go in the same direction.

I respectfully ask the Commission to withdraw its new draft regulation and replace it with rules to support, not restrict, American energy development. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,  
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