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TOTAL BAN ON ALL FRACKING AND FRACKING RELATED PROJECTS! STOP THIS INSANE POISONING OF OUR WATER, AIR, AND SOIL!

• The DRBC's draft regulations do not address pipelines or any of the other infrastructure build-out occurring in the basin. Nevertheless, the regulations that would allow fracking waste to be brought into the basin and clean water to be taken out enable more fracking. And more fracking means more pipelines, more infrastructure, more gas-fired power plants and processing facilities, more toxic wastewater injection wells, more radioactive drilling waste and discharge facilities, more export of fracking's pollution.

 \cdot The DRBC is considering fracking regulations it is not capable of enforcing. State regulatory agencies are chronically understaffed and underfunded. It is unreasonable to expect the burden of enforcement of dangerous practices like fracking waste processing and extraction of water for fracking on agencies that already can't keep up with the industry.

• DRBC's draft regulations do not specifically propose that injection wells that would hold frack wastewater be allowed in the Delaware River Watershed. However, they do propose storage of frack wastewater so it could occur. These dangerous wells are causing earthquakes and have leaked into aquifers but the industry and regulators still allow them. Injection wells that would store frack wastewater in the Delaware River watershed endanger the water supplies for over 15 million people now and for years to come.