

# Christopher Farabaugh

Dear Comments,

I am writing in disagreement today about your complete ban of horizontal drilling and hydraulic fracturing for the recovery of natural gas in your region. While some of your concerns are understood, I think this is a major overstep of your authority blocking something that not only is beneficial to landowners in your area, but also consumers of natural gas such as me. Natural gas now is one of the best values in the energy market now due to the fact the Marcellus shale has revolutionized the supply side of the market due to current drilling techniques. Continued and unfettered development of our gas resources will ensure those market prices will remain stable due to ample supply options. Please reconsider your decision to one that will balance both interests of a healthy environment and affordable energy.

Sincerely,  
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