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Proposed Delaware River Basin Commission (DRBC) rule changes will severely limit public disclosure and participation in the decisions that the DRBC makes regarding the Delaware River, the Delaware River Watershed and our communities. For those living in New York, Philadelphia or surrounding areas, this is our drinking water! For those living in the Delaware River water basin area, this is our home! In the interest of protecting our precious environment and drinking water, these changes are NOT acceptable!

Decisions made by the DRBC have a substantial impact on our environment and the health and quality of life of people living in the Delaware River Basin, and for those drinking water from the Delaware River. DRBC proposed rule changes, if adopted, will severely limit public disclosure and participation, and even bypass the DRBC commissioners, the representatives of the DE, NJ, NY and PA Governors and the Army Corps of Engineers. This is unacceptable!

The people that are impacted by DRBC decisions must be kept informed and allowed to participate in the decision making process! We demand that our right to inclusion in these decisions be codified, and Not abolished!