U.S. Environmental Protection Agency - Mid-Atlantic Region Ground Water & Enforcement Branch (3WP22) 1650 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103

Sliverville Oil Company, LLC Permit No. PAS2R930BMCK

Public Comments will be accepted until June 6, 2018

NOTICE:

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Mid-Atlantic Region (EPA) plans to issue one Underground Injection Control (UIC) Class II-R permit to Sliverville Oil Company, LLC "Sliverville" for injection of produced fluids from Sliverville oil and gas operations. The action is being taken pursuant to the Federal UIC regulations at 40 C.F.R. Parts 124, 144, 146, and 147.

NEED and DESCRIPTION:

Sliverville submitted an application for one new UIC Class II enhanced recovery injection well permit, to be used for the injection of fluids produced in association with conventional oil and gas operations. The injection well is located in Lafayette Township, McKean County, Pennsylvania. The draft permit will allow Sliverville to convert one active production well into an operating injection well. The well is to be used for the injection of fluids produced solely in association with Sliverville conventional oil and gas production into the Lewis Run formation at a depth of 1,980 feet. The permit issued to Sliverville will expire ten (10) years after the date of issuance.

OPPORTUNITY FOR COMMENT:

EPA requests public comment on its findings that the proposed injection activity under the new draft permit is unlikely to pose a risk to underground sources of drinking water. Please mail public comments on the new draft UIC permit to the attention of Kevin Rowsey at the address listed above, or e-mail comments to rowsey.kevin@epa.gov, by **June 6, 2018.** *A public hearing has been tentatively scheduled for June 13, 2018 at 7:00 PM at the Lafayette Township Municipal Building located at 7524 Pennsylvania Route 59, Lewis Run, PA 16738. Requests to hold a public hearing must be received in writing by EPA by May 30, 2018.* When requesting a public hearing, please state the nature of the issues you propose to raise. EPA expressly reserves the right not to hold a hearing unless a significant degree of public interest on the proposed permit is evidenced by May 30, 2018.

AVAILABILITY OF INFORMATION:

The Administrative Record for the draft permit is available for public inspection during normal business hours at the offices of U.S. EPA Mid-Atlantic Region, at the address shown above. All information submitted by the applicant in support of the new draft permit, unless deemed confidential, is included in the Administrative Record for the permit and is available to the public for review. Copies of permit applications, the draft permit, the statement of basis, and the administrative record index are available for review and inspection at the Bradford Area Public Library which is located at 67 West Washington Street, Bradford, PA, 16701. A copy of the draft permit, statement of basis, and administrative index is available online at https://www.epa.gov/pa/epa-public-notices-pennsylvania.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:

Interested persons may obtain further information by contacting Kevin Rowsey at the email or physical address listed above or by phone at 215-814-5463.