



Learn More about the Proposed Pilgrim Pipeline in our Community on Dec 2nd!

Pilgrim Pipeline LLC has proposed a **brand new oil pipeline** to connect Albany, NY and Linden, NJ. Join us December 2nd to learn more about the Pilgrim Pipeline project, where the oil is coming from and going to, the risks of pipelines, and how you can get involved.

Pipeline construction could have potential **effects on the environment and public health and safety**, passing through Highlands & open spaces and densely populated communities.

The pipeline will carry North Dakotan Bakken shale oil which is produced through fracking. On January 2, 2014, the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA) issued a major safety alert, declaring **oil obtained via hydraulic fracturing (“fracking”) in the Bakken Shale may be more chemically explosive than the agency or industry previously admitted publicly**. This alert came three days after the massive Casselton, ND explosion of a mile-long freight train carrying Bakken shale oil in December of 2013 and was the first time the U.S. Department of Transportation agency ever made such a statement about Bakken crude. **Bringing this fuel into our state could endanger our residents and environment.**

The proposed pipeline route carrying this particular fuel is expected to cross through Watchung and a number of surrounding municipalities.

Learn more about the project and how you can get involved at our upcoming educational forum:

WHEN: December 2nd at 7:30 pm

WHERE: Watchung Borough Hall 15 Mountain Boulevard, Watchung, 07069, 2nd Floor

SPEAKERS: Kate Millsaps, Conservation Program Coordinator, NJ Sierra Club
Matt Smith, Regional Coordinator, Food and Water Watch

This Meeting is hosted by the Borough of Watchung.

For more information visit www.StopPilgrimPipeline.com or email Kate Millsaps with NJ Sierra Club at Kate.Millsaps@SierraClub.org.

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