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Chief Rick Simmers  
Ohio Department of Natural Resources  
Division of Oil and Gas Resources Management  
2045 Morse Road, Building F-2  
Columbus, OH 43229-6693

September 5, 2013

Dear Chief Simmers,

I am writing to express my support for a public hearing concerning K&H Partners of West Virginia's permit application: APATT022697. I am aware that the public comment period will end on September 9<sup>th</sup> and I believe it would be in our region's best interest to have public input on the issue.

Many of my constituents have raised concerns about this specific injection well application, and have requested the opportunity to speak at a public hearing. With that in mind, I ask that you give serious consideration to holding a public hearing on permit APATT022697.

Please feel free to contact my office if you wish to discuss this further, or if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,



Debbie Phillips