



Environmental News

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Welcome to the March issue of the Delaware County Environmental Clearinghouse newsletter, which brings you local and national environmental news and events. As of now, the newsletter is being sent to the leaders of Delaware County environmental organizations. We urge you to forward the newsletters to your members so they can sign up for it as well. And please visit our website, envirodelco.org. *The Clearinghouse Team.*

[Check out these Upcoming Events on \[envirodelco.org\]\(http://envirodelco.org\)!](#)

[Feature Video: What Can We Do About Plastics in Our Waterways?](#)

March 16, 2025

National Geographic Explorer and Explorers Club Fellow Rachael Z. Miller told us about her work to keep both macro and microplastics out of our public waterways, in a Zoom presentation recorded March 13 for the League of Women Voters of Central Delaware County. [Read more](#)



[Delco Health Department Launches Lead Poisoning Awareness Campaign](#)

March 5, 2025

The Delaware County Health Department (DCHD) has announced the launch of "Lead-Free in 1-2-3", a comprehensive awareness campaign designed to reduce lead poisoning in Delaware County. The campaign's theme "Is Lead Lurking in Your Home?" seeks to educate residents on the dangers of lead exposure, encourage testing, and promote prevention strategies. [Read more](#)



[Delco Residents, Activists Support Proposed Environmental Justice Bill](#)

March 4, 2025

More than 80 people from all over the area turned out March 4 to support the passage of PA House Bill 109, which would require the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection to impose additional requirements when considering permitting requests from polluting industries in environmental justice areas.

[Read more](#)



[PA Climate Action Plan: Come to The Delco Workshop March 20](#)

February 26, 2025

The PA Climate Change Plan Community Climate Conversations is a series of in-person workshops hosted by the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (DEP). These workshops are being held around the state. Come to the only one to be held in our area, March 20 in Chester. [Read more](#)



[DEP Hears Public's Complaints and Ideas over Marcus Hook Energy Transfer Permit](#)

February 21, 2025

Concerned citizens filled the folding chairs at the Marcus Hook Community Center Feb. 18 to voice their opinions about air pollution emanating from the Energy Transfer Marketing and Terminals (ETMT) industrial complex there. [Read more](#)



[DOE Extends Comment Period on LNG Export Terminals Until March 20](#)

February 20, 2025

Press Release from the Action Network! This is a last call for submitting comments to DOE to STOP LNG Exports! Let's build the record on truth and facts! [Read more](#)



[Pipeline Safety Trust: Safety Needs to Be a Factor for LNG Pipelines and Export Terminals](#)
Pipeline Safety Trust

[Trump Unfreezes \\$2 Billion in Federal Funds for PA, Most for Environmental Projects](#)
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[Data Centers Will Overwhelm the Grid. Can They Help It Instead?](#)
Canary Media 2-24-25



[New York to Bill Fossil Fuel Industry Billions for Climate Damage](#)
Floodlight 2-13-25

[Commentary: Reason for Hope in Turbulent Times: Activists Edge PECO Toward Renewable Energy](#)
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[How to Get the Most out of Your EV in Winter](#)
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[Montana Aviation Biofuel Project Gets Green Light on DOE \\$1.4 Billion Loan Guarantee](#)
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[Trump Moves to Halt \\$5 Billion EV Charger Program](#)
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TAKE ACTION!

Tell Our Legislators to Move to 35% Clean Energy by 2035

Conservation Voters of PA

Climate change is wreaking havoc and destroying people's lives. We'll see more wildfires, more massive floods, and more deadly heat waves if we don't transition to clean energy.

Transitioning the power we use so that 35% of our electricity comes from clean sources by 2035 will create thousands of good-paying jobs, lower energy bills,

TAKE ACTION!

Help Make Sure PA Budget Prioritizes Environment

Clean Air Council

February kicked off Pennsylvania's budget season, with Governor Shapiro announcing his Lightning Plan for energy and his proposed budget for the coming year. The Governor's energy plan and budget will help plug abandoned oil and gas wells, support public transit, and boost energy efficiency and renewables, but will also support the use of fossil fuels and does not adequately address the health, environmental, and climate harms caused

and improve the health of our communities.

Send a message now urging lawmakers to pass PRESS and invest in Pennsylvania's clean energy future.

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by the fossil fuel industry.

Tell your legislator that more funding needs to go towards environmental protection, clean energy, healthy homes, and public transit.

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