Harrisburg has decided to build a $12 million water line to Dimock to serve a few residents...

ENOUGH, ALREADY!

It is time for common sense to govern us

NO WATER LINE

We are concerned citizens who oppose this terrible, big government decision.

Please visit one of the business locations listed below to **join us in signing a petition** showing your opposition to this expensive and unnecessary water line.

October 2010—Petition to the Members of the Board of Directors of the Pennsylvania Infrastructure Investment Authority (PENNVEST)

Re: Proposal to Construct a Pipeline from Montrose to Dimock, Pennsylvania

We, the undersigned citizens of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, respectfully request that the Pennsylvania Infrastructure Investment Authority (PENNVEST) deny any request by the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) for funding of a pipeline between Montrose and Dimock for the reasons summarized below.

- The logic behind the need for the DEP proposed pipeline has not been adequately subject to public scrutiny having only been made public in a September 30th press conference
- The Secretary of the DEP is a member of the board of PENNVEST, however, the Secretary has become a zealous partisan advocate for this pipeline and should accordingly recuse himself from voting on this matter
- The Pennsylvania Auditor General predicts that Pennsylvania faces a $5 billion dollar deficit
- Government funds should be used sparingly and wisely, particularly those available to PENNVEST
- Spending $12 million dollars (approximately $700,000 per household) to provide water where water could already be accessible at no public expense would be a clear abuse of discretion
- There is no compelling need for a $12 million dollar pipeline from Montrose to Dimock
- Adequate water supplies exist and permanent solutions to well water problems have earlier been agreed to by DEP and offered by a natural gas drilling company to the occupants of the concerned eighteen Dimock Township properties
- These solutions were offered at no cost to the Commonwealth or the occupants of the concerned eighteen properties
- Offered solutions include new wells, water treatment systems, filtering systems, well reconditioning and other appropriate actions
- The occupants of eleven of the eighteen properties have announced in the media their refusal to accept the provision of these solutions
- These same individuals have pending private litigation against the natural gas drilling company

- The Inn at Montrose
- Brunges Commercial Supply
- Flynn's Stone Castle
- Warner Quarries
- Taylor Rental
- The Choconut Market
- Guy Parrish's
- PJ's Cafe
- Gary's Sporting Goods
- Lockhart's
- Rock Mountain Sporting Clays

Come to Our Public Meeting on October 21st at 7pm in The Elk Lake High School Auditorium.