

Understanding Gas Drilling

A series of Public Forums on Natural Gas Development
in Sullivan County, New York

Presented by the Sullivan County Legislature

You should attend if you ... are interested in learning more about gas drilling / are considering a gas lease for your property / have questions about potential health and environmental impacts / are concerned how gas drilling may affect your community / are seeking accurate and current information.

Property and Landowner Issues

Tuesday - June 29 | 5:45pm-8:30pm | Monticello High School | 237 Route 42, Monticello

Understanding leases, land use and property rights of lease-holders, neighbors and municipalities.

Speakers Panel:

Chris Denton, Attorney, Denton Law Office, Elmira, NY

Bradd Vickers, President, Chenango County Farm Bureau, Norwich, NY

Todd M. Mathes, Attorney, Whiteman Osterman & Hanna LLP, Albany, NY

Environmental and Health Concerns

Thursday - July 15 | 5:45pm-8:30pm | Monticello High School | 237 Route 42, Monticello

This session will examine potential health and environmental risks associated with gas drilling and hydraulic fracturing and methods to prevent or mitigate these risks.

Speakers Panel:

Anthony R. Ingraffea, Ph. D., Professor of Engineering, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY

Adam Law, MD, Endocrinology and Metabolic Medicine, Cayuga Medical Center, Ithaca, NY

Kate Sinding, Deputy Director of Urban East Program, Natural Resources Defense Council, NY, NY

Paul Hartman, Director of State Government Relations, Chesapeake Energy Corporation, Albany, NY

Economic Development and Community Impacts

Thursday - Aug. 19 | 5:45pm-8:30pm | Monticello High School | 237 Route 42, Monticello

As a new industrial activity, gas drilling will inevitably have impacts on the economies and character of local communities. This session will explore impacts by examining a regional and national perspective.

Speakers Panel:

Jannette Barth, Ph. D., Principal, J.M. Barth & Associates, Inc., Croton-on-Hudson, NY

Anthony J. Ventello, Director, Progress Authority of Bradford & Susquehanna Counties, Towanda, PA

Jeffrey Jacquet, Department of Natural Resources, Cornell University

Craig Sautner, Resident, Dimmock, PA (Susquehanna County)

Each session will be moderated and will include time for Questions and Answers

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