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Marvin Switzer, Supervisor
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Dear Supervisor Switzer:

Re: DEC Facility No. 8-4432-00085
Draft Scope
Finger Lakes, LLC Underground LPG Storage Facility
Town of Reading, Schuyler County

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, as Lead Agency, has issued a draft Scope for this project and an opportunity for written comment by involved and interested agencies and the public is hereby provided. Copies of the draft scope can be obtained either from me or downloaded from the Department's website at http://www.dec.ny.gov/permits/6061.html. Comments on the draft scope can be sent via surface mail or e-mail to me. The end of the comment period for the draft scope is January 31, 2011. The purpose of scoping is to narrow issues and ensure that the DSEIS will be a concise, accurate and complete document that is adequate for public review and agency decision-making. I encourage the Town of Reading to participate in this review and welcome your comments on the enclosed scoping outline.

Enclosed are a Notice of Availability of a Draft Scope and several copies of the draft Scoping Outline for your review and comment. I would also appreciate if you could make some of these copies available to local citizens who may have an interest in this proposal. Please let me know if you need any additional copies.

If you have any questions concerning this letter or about this process, please do not hesitate to contact me at 585-226-5401 or e-mail (dlbimber@gw.dec.state.ny.us).

Sincerely,

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