

MARINER EAST 2 NEWS & VIEWS

A pipeline of information to keep you updated on developments across the project | May 2020

Supporting Those Who Serve Our Communities

These unprecedented times have highlighted that there are heroes all around us. We would like to take a moment to thank all the men and women in service industries — they are the true heroes of this challenging time.

Our first responders and healthcare professionals are on the front lines, demonstrating bravery, dedication and compassion as they care for our friends, families and neighbors. They are proudly doing their jobs to keep us healthy and safe.

Energy Transfer has a long-standing partnership with our first responders through programs such as the First Responder Fund, and we will continue to find ways to support those who keep our communities safe. That includes our recent purchase of smart glasses for the Marcus Hook Trainer and Upper Merion fire departments. Since 2016, the First Responder Fund has provided over \$900,000 to Pennsylvania first responders.


The list is long of the incredible people who continue to serve the public and make sacrifices to support the COVID-19 fight. We are grateful to every single one of them.

View Energy Transfer's tribute video to our heroes: <https://youtu.be/vTYwhWZF3W4> 

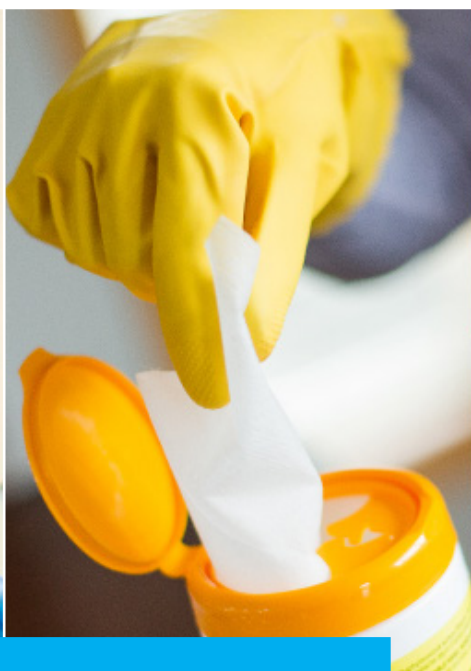


Meeting Construction Industry Safety Standards

We are continuing to take all necessary precautions to keep our employees, contractors and community residents safe and healthy. This includes temperature checks prior to entering work sites; masks for all employees and contractors; social distancing; and following other public health guidance, as directed by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration and the Pennsylvania Department of Health.

As a public utility building, operating and maintaining the infrastructure needed to transport essential products we rely on every day, we remain committed to serving Pennsylvanians by safely and reliably delivering life-sustaining products to all those who depend on them during this critical time. 





Industry Perspectives

Providing Protection for Pennsylvania


As an industry, we are incredibly proud to continue working and supplying Pennsylvania with locally produced, affordable energy that is used to heat our homes, cook our food and manufacture the health, hygiene and safety products needed to combat COVID-19.

Our pipelines and related facilities throughout the United States remain in operation, safely transporting the raw materials that are used to produce PPE, sanitizers, disinfectants and other cleaning products.

In fact, our Marcus Hook neighbor, chemical company Braskem America, recently had a crew of more than 40 employees living and working at its Delaware County facility for nearly a month, so they could make protective gear for healthcare workers on the front lines of the coronavirus pandemic. For 28 days, they took turns working 12-hour shifts to make polypropylene, the building block used to make N95 masks, hospital gowns and sanitary wipes.

The raw material used to make polypropylene is propane — one of the natural gas liquids moved through the Mariner East pipeline system.

That is just one example of how industry partners are banding together to help Americans get through this pandemic and come out stronger on the other side.

We are proud to be a part of the Pennsylvania business community. Throughout the commonwealth, we see manufacturers, distributors and suppliers ramping up their supply-chain capabilities and evaluating healthcare system needs, workforce gaps and potential opportunities. They are working hard every day to get critical supplies to healthcare systems and first responders in the state. 

From the Field

Across Pennsylvania, we continue to make progress on the restoration of areas along the Mariner East pipeline system. Check out photos of a few of those areas below.



Salem Township, Westmoreland County



Londonderry Township, Dauphin County



East Goshen Township, Chester County