Dear Mr Hanlon, FEB 21 2011

I'm writing today to submit my comments on the EPA Study on Hydraulic Fracturing.

I'm a landowner in The Fingerlakes. As the debate develops around my community, I'm seeing the wealthier towns able to pass local legislation to help protect them. No doubt the gas companies that want to pollute our beautiful area for profit, have noticed this too.

I'm telling you this because this phenomenon of "go under the radar by exploiting the poorer areas", makes your study even more important.

Please be cognizant of the fact that when the damage is done to our environment, the areas that will suffer the most, also will not be empowered to repair.

Thank You.

Sincerely,

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