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Dear 12<sup>th</sup> District Resident,

As your representatives, we would like to provide another update on the proposed New Jersey Natural Gas (NJNG), Southern Reliability Link Project.

For those of you who we have spoken with or met with over the past 10 months, please be assured that we share your concerns and continue to have discussions with the Governor's Office; the Board of Public Utilities (BPU); NJNG; JCP&L; the State Office of Legislative Services; the State Agriculture Development Committee; County and Municipal Officials; and most importantly, the residents we represent.

Most recently, we have opened discussions with the Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst.

In addition, Assemblyman Dancer has introduced the following three bills in the legislature concerning the use of existing right-of-ways, safety distances from homes and buildings and new requirements under the Open Public Meeting Act pertaining to utilities and pipelines. (copies available at [www.njleg.state.nj.us](http://www.njleg.state.nj.us), or at our legislative offices.)

**A4455 Requires certain gas companies to use existing right-of-way when constructing new transmission lines where practicable and to seek consent of municipalities prior to initiating certain projects.**

**Assembly Telecommunications and Utilities Committee (ATU)**

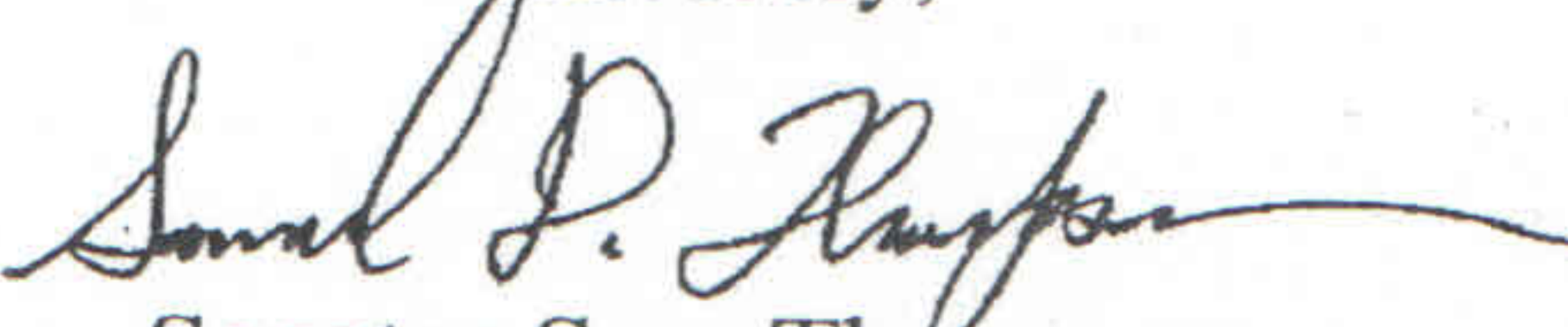
**A4501 Requires BPU to allow public comment at public meetings; establishes requirements for public meetings concerning installation of natural gas conductors and related facilities. (ATU)**

**A4503 Prohibits the placement of certain intrastate natural gas pipelines within 100 feet of buildings. (ATU)**

Many of you have asked what you can do to assist us with moving these bills through the legislative process. Since the next step is to have the bills posted for a vote in the ATU Committee, you can contact the Chairman, Assemblyman Wayne DeAngelo and ask him to place the bills on the agenda. You will find a listing of the Assembly Telecommunications & Utilities Members on the reverse side of this letter, along with the Chairman and Vice-Chairman's contact information.

In the meantime, we will continue to represent your interests. Please don't hesitate to contact us if we can be of further assistance to you in this or any other State matter.

Sincerely,

  
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