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The Delaware Riverkeeper Network Presents Second Segment of Shale Truth Interview Series

Bristol, PA - Please be sure to watch the second installment of the Delaware Riverkeeper Network's Shale Truth Interview series this Wednesday, June 26th. In this week's segment, Delaware Riverkeeper Maya van Rossum continues her interview with energy analyst Arthur Berman, who discusses the profitability of shale gas extraction in the United States.

Berman, who is an oil industry analyst with Labyrinth Consulting Services is the first expert to be interviewed for this series.

A new Shale Truth Interview segment will be released every Wednesday on the Delaware Riverkeeper Network's YouTube Channel at <http://bit.ly/17xLgio>.

The natural gas industry is spending millions of dollars on television, radio and online advertisements trying to convince viewers that shale gas extraction is safe and valuable. The Delaware Riverkeeper Network is presenting this interview series on the true impacts of the shale gas industry in order to bring another perspective to the dialogue about natural gas extraction. According to Maya van Rossum, the Delaware Riverkeeper, "The natural gas industry has hyped the economic benefits of shale gas extraction. What we really see are oil and gas companies who are actually losing money."

Along with Arthur Berman, the Delaware Riverkeeper Network will interview several other experts on the true impact of the shale gas industry.

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Leslie Sauer of Andropogon Associates is an expert on landscape restoration. In the second interview series, Sauer will discuss habitat destruction caused by shale gas pipeline construction and steps that can be taken to reduce the impact of pipeline installation.

Cornell University Professor Anthony Ingraffea has also been interviewed. Dr. Ingraffea has debunked industry claims that shale gas is a cleaner alternative fuel source similar to solar and wind power. Dr. Ingraffea discusses the true pollution load from shale gas operations.

The Delaware Riverkeeper Network, a 501(c)(3) non-profit environmental organization, has been working since 1988 throughout the four states of the Delaware River watershed including New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania and Delaware. With more than 10,000 members, the Delaware Riverkeeper Network is a vital force in the Watershed, working to ensure the rich and healthy future that can only exist with a clean, healthy and free-flowing river system.

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