



# UPPER UWCHLAN TOWNSHIP

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## ADMINISTRATION

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### HYDROSTATIC TESTING OF SUNOCO PIPELINE

CHESTER SPRINGS, PA – Beginning Friday, August 31, 2018, weather permitting, Sunoco Pipeline, L.P. will begin a hydrostatic test of an existing 12" pipeline. A portion of this pipeline segment runs through Upper Uwchlan Township.

The hydrostatic test involves filling the pipe with colored water and pressurizing the pipe to levels higher than the normal operating pressure to verify the strength of the pipe. The public should stay clear of the pipeline right of way during this process. Residents may observe activity related to this testing, including signage, in the vicinity of the 12" pipeline right-of-way. Residents who live near this pipeline right-of-way should have received a letter from the pipeline operator regarding this test.

Resources regarding pipeline safety and regulation, as well as a list of Frequently Asked Questions, can be found at [www.upperuwchlan-pa.gov/pipelines](http://www.upperuwchlan-pa.gov/pipelines). Residents are encouraged to visit the Chester County Pipeline Information Center website at [www.chescoplanning.org/pic/introduction.cfm](http://www.chescoplanning.org/pic/introduction.cfm). There, you can find a map of all the pipelines in the county and contact information for each of their operators.

Upper Uwchlan Township is a Township of the Second class, population 11,500, located in central Chester County, PA. Visit us on the web at [www.upperuwchlan-pa.gov](http://www.upperuwchlan-pa.gov). Like us on Facebook and Twitter @upperuwchlan.

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