TAKE ACTION!

Now is the time to act. It is expected that Dynegy will have completed their studies this October, and will submit their final closure plan to the IEPA for review shortly thereafter.

Please do one or more of the following:

1. Speak at the hearing tonight. We’ve provided talking points that you can use to help shape your testimony, and you’ll have had the benefit of hearing the overview and presentations by speakers / experts.

2. Fill in a public comment form, included in this packet. We plan to collect and then submit public comments received tonight to the Governor’s office, the IEPA, and the IDNR.

3. Encourage others to provide comments. Friends, family and colleagues can go directly to our website http://ecojusticecollaborative.org to access a public comment form that can be sent electronically to Governor Bruce Rauner, IEPA Director Alec Messina and IDNR Director Wayne Rosenthal.

4. Send a letter to the Governor and IEPA Director via our website. Go to: http://ecojusticecollaborative.org. On the menu bar, click ACT NOW. Scroll to Protect the Middle Fork. Please take a moment to edit and personalize the letter before you click submit.

5. Send a letter to the editor of your local newspaper.

6. Make calls or send a letter. This is one of the best ways to connect with decision-makers. You can use the talking points or any of the materials on your website to help convey your opinion or concerns about a closure plan that would leave toxic coal ash in the floodplain of the state’s only National Scenic River.

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