

Virginia Clinicians for Climate Action has long been on the record opposing the Atlantic Coast and Mountain Valley Pipelines and the Buckingham Compressor Station as harmful to the health and welfare of families and communities across the Commonwealth.

As an organization representing over 250 doctors, nurses and allied health professionals across Virginia, we are deeply disappointed in the State Air Pollution Control Board's decision to approve the construction permit for the ACP compressor station in Union Hill. Virginia's continued investment in fossil fuel infrastructure such as natural gas pipelines perpetuates a commitment to energy sources that endanger the health of our patients and communities.

The decision puts entrenched corporate interests above the safety and health of Virginians and takes us backward in the transition to the clean energy economy which is urgently demanded given the looming climate crisis we face.

Virginia Clinicians for Climate Action will continue our work fighting for the clean energy future for all Virginians.