

## THE KENNETT PIKE ASSOCIATION, INC.

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## NOTICE TO MEMBERSHIP

The hearing concerning the rezoning proposed by Columbia Gas System, Inc., for the location of its headquarters office at the southeast corner of Montchanin Road (Route 100) and Barley Mill Road (Route 141), designated as matter #1237-Z, is scheduled to be held before the New Castle County Department of Planning and the Planning Board at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, May 7, 1968, at the County Engineering Building on the Robert Kirkwood Highway. Those interested may appear and express their views at the hearing. Letters concerning the proposal may be addressed to the New Castle County Department of Planning and Planning Board at Box 165, Wilmington, Delaware 19899. Following this hearing the proposal will be considered by the planning authorities and thereafter by the County Council.

In light of developments since the Board of Trustees of the Association previously considered this proposal and the diversity of opinion that has been expressed by members, the Board met again on May 1st and further resolved to take no position concerning this proposal. The Board has made the membership list available to the opponents and proponents who have requested it so that they may advise you directly concerning their positions.

From the experience gained in this important and controversial matter, the Board has concluded that its procedures must be improved, including the methods for informing the membership and seeking their advice. To this end, written suggestions of members concerning procedures are invited. As soon as concrete proposals are worked out, a meeting of the membership will be called to consider this subject and related changes required in the Charter and By-Laws of the Association.

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