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Gas Project, EJ Concerns Collide in the Florida Panhandle

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Mindy McGrath, a partner in Troutman Pepper’s Energy Practice Group, was quoted in the November 28, 2022 *E&E News/Energywire* article, [“Gas Project, EJ Concerns Collide in the Florida Panhandle.”](#)

“Small-scale projects like Nopetro’s can be developed into larger facilities over time,” said Mindy McGrath, a partner at the Troutman Pepper law firm in Charlotte, N.C., whose clients include pipeline developers, utilities and others in the energy business. “Nopetro indicated in a filing to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission last year that it would consider expanding its project after it was built.”

“[Small-scale projects] require lower upfront capital investments, so investors can see immediate and predictable returns,” McGrath said. “And then on an ongoing basis, smaller projects would have lower maintenance costs.”

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