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US President Donald Trump's strong support for fossil fuels did not produce the results he had promised, especially for large-scale oil and gas pipelines. The administration's rush to streamline permits, eliminate many environmental regulations including water quality, environmental reviews, and methane emissions rules has left loopholes and openings for opponents to successfully challenge many energy infrastructure projects. Delays on the Dakota Access and Keystone XL oil pipelines - and the cancellation of the Atlantic Coast Pipeline (ACP) shows how effective opponents have become.



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