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**TOF. It’s an energy source that is plentiful an relatively cheap and directly beneath the land of people who could use some money right now…**

**And since it’s produced here, it’s immune to talk of war or international politics. But it is not immune to domestic politics. And the State of New York now finds itself at the epicenter of a debate between farmers who say frack away, and environmentalists who say frack off. (Can we say that?) More after this from Charlie:**

**(((SPOT)))**

**It’s what a lot of Americans have wished for: that someday we would find ourselves the Saudi Arabia for energy. Well, wish granted.**

**Just one little catch: to get it, engineers have to fracture the bedrock… and now regulators in New York are reportedly on the verge of**

 **farmers versus the environmentalists**