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Projet d'établissement d'un lieu d'enfouissement technique à Danford Lake

Alleyn-et-Cawood

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Poliquin, Renée (BAPE)

Objet: TR: - Danford Lake Dump BAPE Hearing - comments - Bayesian Filter detected spam

Dear Ms. Poliquin,

I am writing as a taxpayer in the Alleyn-Cawood region. I was given your email address when I attended BAPE session on the Danford Landfill project in Otter Lake on Saturday June 16. I was unable to register to speak, due to family/scheduling reasons.

However, I did want to make sure that my voice is heard in this process. I will be brief.

I have 2 main concerns about the landfill project. The first one concerns the location- this is an area of many lakes and rivers, which is the worst possible spot for a landfill. I am concerned that the water table will be contaminated, affecting communities for miles around.

My second concern is the increased truck traffic that will be present on the area highways. These roads are already very busy particularly in the summer months with holiday and vacation traffic including children. Adding additional significant heavy traffic to this mix raises serious safety concerns and I know this is a major concern for other constituents based on the previous meetings I have attended on the proposal.

I know that other alternatives have been presented such as plasma gasification, which is becoming a solution for other communities with similar waste issues.

I urge the Quebec government not to make a rushed decision to proceed with a landfill in a location that could lead to environmental problems and traffic safety issues for years down the road.

Thank you for taking my views into consideration.

Yours Sincerely,

James McCabe

Ottawa, Ontario