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Subject of Testimony: Do not expand the dump

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Written Testimony:

I think expanding the dump would be a poor decision.

I would go in the other direction, and work to keep material from outside Linn/Benton out of our community.

It seems that the professional negotiators from Republic are able to overpower the negotiating skills of our volunteer commissioners and their support staff.

I believe based on the last contract and the current negotiations that the commission is being very much shortsighted.

Trading small payments for unimagined future consequences.

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