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Dear Benton County Commissioners Wyse, Malone and Shepherd,
My name is Mark W. Baldwin and I live at 1700 NW Hawthorn Place, Corvallis, OR 97330.

I strongly oppose this expansion.

This proposed Coffin Butte landfill expansion clearly violates the Benton County Comprehensive Plan policies 5.1.2, 5.2.1, 5.7.4 and 5.9.4.

Current levels of “forever chemicals,” (PFAs or per- and poly-fluoroalkyl substances) in the leachate coming from Coffin Butte landfill grossly exceed recently established allowable standards for drinking water. This leachate, at least that which is captured, is taken to water treatment facilities in Corvallis & Salem where it

Respectfully,

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