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I am writing to you today to voice my concerns regarding the expansion of the Coffin Butte Landfill.

I am a Corvallis resident that OPPOSES this expansion!!

Oregon is a big state, with many places where it is dry and uninhabited. Those are the places a dump should be located. The present dump is located very close to a residential neighborhood and in a wetter area, and its negative effects are many. If this dump were to be proposed today, it would never be permitted to be built so close to so many people.

I am concerned about the environmental effects this has on water, air pollution and wildlife in the area. I am an avid user of the Willamette River both for kayaking and enjoying swimming in and around the Corvallis area. This public resource has become a hazard to my health because of the leachate drained from Coffin Butte Landfill. The amount of leachate has continued and is expected to grow with this proposed expansion. It needs to stop immediately.

The operational activity violates BCC53.215(2) and Benton County Comprehensive Plan policies 5.1.2 ,5.2.1 and 5.7.4.

Please do not expand this Landfill!!

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