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To: Benton Public Comment

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Subject of Testimony: Landfill

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Written Testimony:

I am writing for my support for the landfill expansion. If this does not pass our current rates will double or triple when they are forced to haul our garbage away (probably to eastern Oregon). the amount of fuel they will use to just haul away our garbage away and the amount of trucks used to haul it away would double or triple what they are currently using. If Benton county truly cares about the environment then I'm curious why your trying to harm it by doubling the emissions and doubling the trucks on our roads? This makes no sense to me. You say your for the environment yet this is one of the more harmful things you can do. Nobody seems to look at the future and how much more damage you will be causing in the future if this does not pass.

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