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Subject of Testimony: Support of landfill expansion

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Written Testimony:

While it would be great if all the garbage and trash just disappeared, it won't. The current landfill site is developed to support waste water and gas collection resulting from its operation. This support will have to go on for years no matter what. If we can't continue to use this site another site will have to be opened somewhere. Why contaminate another location when adding to our current one is an incremental increase to the existing area. We cannot continue to just "not in my back yard" to take care of problems.

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