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From: [REDACTED]
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To: EPD, Customer Services
Subject: Recycling plant Fyshwick objection

Categories: Green Category

Good Afternoon,

I'm writing to you as a concerned resident of Narrabundah, regarding the proposed waste plant facility in Fyshwick. I have been a Narrabundah resident for over 5 years and in that time period we have invested in the community, made friends and are raising an ever increasing young family. The reason we chose Narrabundah was its rich community spirit, proximity to tourist hotspots, the excellent air quality and the multiple childcare facilities. I believe all this will be adversely affected if ACT government approve the Fyshwick facility which will be on a 24 hours a day operational cycle, at the door step of local businesses, the Narrabundah community, the local fresh food market in Fyshwick, surrounding businesses and local schools.

The Fyshwick location has many problems for workers, businesses and customers of the numerous and increasingly gentrifying retail and residential space, which are immediate neighbours to the proposed facility. The proposed location is less than 800 metres from the nearest residence in Narrabundah, and numerous childcare facilities and the Kingston Foreshore residential development. It is also close to the Fyshwick fresh food markets, the Kingston Foreshore development and a cluster of large reputable and highly sought after high schools. It's just over 3 kilometres from Australia's national government and parliamentary precinct which includes parliament house. This is clearly the wrong location and just not the right choice for the Canberra community.

I believe moving to Canberra has been the right decision for me and my growing family, we decided to invest and live in a beautiful city that was concerned in preserving and promoting green living, not to jeopardise the health of the community. Don't allow big money and glossy brochures influence your decision, the blatant shopping around for locations including Eastern Creek and Hume have been rejected, don't let Fyshwick and South Canberra be the place to allow this facility the green light and consequently give any future plans for the incinerator to be constructed with future plans. I respectfully request the ACT government not allow this processing plant be constructed under your stewardship, as I believe this will set the precedence for any future processing plants and big business taking advantage of our relaxed laws.

I understand that progress is expected. I believe in progress but progress that harms the local community, business and future generations is something that I will be against always.

Thank you for your time in reading this email from a concerned citizen, I look forward to your reply and I hope for a satisfactory outcome that benefits our local community, children and schools.

Please if you need any further information regarding my position, don't hesitate in contacting me.

Kind regards
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Sent from my iPhone