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To Whom it may concern,

An article in the Canberra Times reports on a proposal to establish a Recycling Plant- aka a Rubbish Dump- in the middle of a commercial and industrial area of Fyshwick. On the face of it this appears to be absurd. No modern city will mix rubbish dumps and commercial or residential areas: they are quite rightly kept well away from businesses or residences that they would adversely affect eg. at Mugga Lane.

The impact on businesses and the customers they attract would obviously be dire if there are several hundred rubbish trucks per day dumping waste for recycling next door: the smell, noise and dust is more than an inconvenience, it represents a health hazard especially for employees of adjacent businesses.

What possible reason would such a site be selected? Because it is adjacent to the railway line for onward shipment? It is rather a long railway line, so many other sites adjacent to the railway line would be more appropriate if this is the reason, not including Kingston and Causeway of course!!

Surely this requires a rethink.

I look forward to a reply: with sound reasoning behind any new proposal.

yours sincerely

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