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For Commercial Oilfield Waste Disposal should require all unbonded and grandfathered COWFDs to post financial assurance. 11 grandfathered COWFDs are without financial assurance. This is too expensive a risk for taxpayers and the State to bear the burden of coverage. The new rules would ensure that we would not be left 'holding the bag' if they default. We support DEQ's efforts to secure financial assurance on unbonded COWFD's. Bonds should cover the full cost of reclamation.