

November 21, 2013

Department of Environmental Quality
Attn. Todd Parfitt
122 West 25th Street
Cheyenne, WY 82002

Dear Mr. Parfitt:

I have received a certified letter about the solid waste plant that would like to open shop in my backyard. I have done some research and find it very hard to promote a business like this, in this area. Why not open it in an area that is not close to people's homes, a school and livestock? Trucking this material in from seven different states on a non paved twisting road seems pretty risky to me. Who is going to come on the scene when one of these truck rolls and will they even be able to get in? What about the animals that eats the grass where this is being processed and spilled on to the ground? Nothing is 100% safe so I am sure there will be, if there is not already ground contamination. Who is going to monitor and regulate this company to ensure safe business and environmental practices? And how often? I see how things are approved and never readdressed until a major event happens, by that time it is too late. I live in the county, but I work for the Town of Mills and have seen a number of complaints come across my desk for this proposed waste facility.

I feel it is important and necessary for the DEQ and you to come to this area and listen to the concerns of fellow citizens and tour this area. I expect as a citizen an opportunity to express my concerns face to face.

Regards,
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