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Dear Mr. Armstrong

DEP has failed to use full, accurate, and robust science to ensure a complete total site cleanup that will protect present and future residents at the site, downstream from the site, and in neighboring communities. The process of formal discussion of this site has always defended the use of the property for residential housing to produce monetary benefits to the developer and the township of East Whiteland, and has never directly addressed the many problems the people and other agencies (County Planning Comm., township EAC, federal ATSDR) have expressed about the risks to human and environmental health. This silence from DEP and East Whiteland Supervisors has been truly deafening, and its consistency, intransigency, and duplicity by the government to protect the welfare of the people is shattering. At no time has the actual reason for the refusal to protect this site been explained. The discussions and hearings describe a result that has been written in stone from the beginning – this is disturbing and both legally and morally wrong. It is heartless that the DEP and local government officials remain obdurate and uncaring, not even willing to explain or apologize for their decisions and willingness to put the health of the people and the environment at risk of both near-term and long-term harm

Sincerely,
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