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Environment and Visual Considerations

As you may know, younger Joshua Trees are located on this site. I am hoping care will be taken to help preserve them.

The Dawn Road area along both sides of highway 14 is one of the county's most beautiful natural areas. It provides one of east Kern's last visually undisturbed natural desert landscapes and offers breathtaking seasonal wildflower blooms.

Is there any way to minimize the pending eyesore of a large facility? Possibly a decorative wall that is colored to blend into current landscape with natural drought tolerant and seasonal blooming vegetation to keep Kern beautiful. Desert pines or other similar trees can be used to mitigate air quality effects and offer a visual barrier for those who drive past this site daily.

Lastly, as this is a remote area, it has been used as an illegal dumping ground. Business activity may curb this but addition of motion activated camera may help identify those responsible.

Thank you for your consideration.