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Subject: RE:11-AFC-03, Quail Brush Power Plant, City of San Diego Project #270282

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Dear Eric,

VOTE NO - We Oppose this project

Repeated expansions reveal Sycamore Landfill as a “Trojanhorse” capable of destroying Santee’s health, quality of life and property values. Any further expansion has severe adverse impacts and should be rejected.

Why would San Diego trade the civic pride of Mission Trails Park for the reputation of heaping the state’s largest mountain of trash? The elevation of this eyesore would create a permanent ghastly boil upon the face of the park and adjacent community. The current size of the landfill emits noxious gas and odors – further expansion is not reasonable.

The increase in truck traffic induced by daily tonnage allowance increases will quickly overwhelm the intersection of Mast Boulevard/the landfill entrance and overwhelm the nearby ramps of SR-52. Current conditions create back-ups on Mast Boulevard during morning commute hours that impacts the access to West Hills High School. Daily tonnage should be limited to 4,000 tons/day just to prevent traffic chaos at West Hills High School and SR-52 ramps. Limiting daily tonnage also provides incentives to produce less waste and extend the life of the landfill.

What is the cost of lining the older portion of the landfill and what other measures can be taken to protect groundwater sources from leachate?

How much additional dust will be generated and how will dust be controlled?

How will waste be kept out of the view of neighborhoods and park users?

What violations have been issued over life of landfill operations and what actions were taken to correct the problems?

I live very close to this area and I am very concerned and oppose such a project.

Thank you for considering these comments,

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