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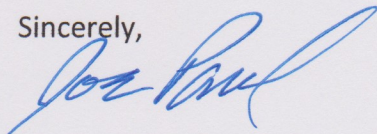
RE: Brown and Jackson
Project SE-20-00003

I am writing to voice my opposition to the Brown and Jackson project, SE-20-00003. The reasons for opposition are:

1. The contamination of irrigation and creek waters. In the spring it is not unusual for runoff from mountain snow to flood that property and will cause those sludge ponds to overflow and run into the highline canal and Parke Creek. This will contaminate water for crops and livestock.
2. Seepage. I am concerned that if their byproduct goes into the ground it will seep into our personal water wells on our property. If this happens who will be responsible for that?
3. Oder. Living less that 2 miles east of this project, "as the crow flies", we will have the sludge smell at our home and we cannot have this happening.
4. Health Issues. I am very concerned for the health of the State operated Boys Home that boards the project. I feel this is a terrible health hazard for those residents and staff and all citizens in our neighborhood.

Please share our written concerns to the appropriate person(s) and committee(s).

Sincerely,



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