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**From:** Conor Childers <conorchilders723@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, January 15, 2018 11:58 AM  
**To:** Cummins, Jeff (EEC)  
**Subject:** Agency Interest No. 998 and Agreed Order DWM - 160048.

Mr. Cummins,

As a concerned resident of Estill county, and a father to a child who will be forced to pursue his education a stone's throw away from a toxic waste dump I feel it is completely unacceptable and a betrayal to Kentucky citizens to allow Advanced Disposal Services to operate above the law without any accountability for their actions or consequential reprimand. During the investigation it was found that they illegally and against the agreement made with country imported and dumped TOXIC NUCLEAR WASTE not only into our community but across the roads from both our middle and high schools. It is a sad day when our youth are forced into potentially life threatening situations and subjugated to exposure from radiation for the sake of profit for an outside enterprise. The Blue Ridge Landfill has numerous times been found to be an inadequate storage facility for such waste. Why should Estill County residents be made to suffer in order to appease the wishes and desires of Advanced Disposal. The decision to allow them to continue operation even during an active investigation was made by a judge executive who has since been forced to leave office due to multiple criminal scandals and immoral actions. As the populous we do not want the dump. The monetary benefit to the county is so insignificant it is almost laughable. And I as one am not OK with being the butt end of a bad joke made by corporations and politicians. And I ask you Mr. Cummins if you wholeheartedly believe there is no danger present would you enroll your children in Estill County public schools, would you drink the public water supply in Estill County. We are not expendable. We are not a resource to be used up and thrown aside. And we are not happy to be sold out. Please use your conscience and your pride of being a Kentucky citizen and do not let us be taken advantage of any longer.

Thank you for your time and consideration,

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