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Dear Members of the Illinois Pollution Control Board,

I urge you to deny Citgo's request for an adjusted carbon monoxide standard. I am a Lemont resident and mother to 3 young children.

Carbon monoxide is a dangerous air pollutant that can reduce the amount of oxygen delivered to the body's organs and tissues. Exposure can cause headaches, dizziness, fatigue, and impaired cognitive function. Children are especially vulnerable because their developing bodies require more oxygen and they may experience more significant health impacts from exposure. Increased carbon monoxide levels can also pose serious risks to older adults and individuals with heart or respiratory conditions.

Residents living near industrial facilities deserve strong protections for clean air and public health. Granting an adjusted standard could increase pollution burdens on surrounding communities and undermine the purpose of existing air quality safeguards.

Please prioritize the health and well-being of Illinois families and reject Citgo's request.

Thank you for your consideration.

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Sent from my iPhone