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Dear Ms. Webb and Pollution Control Board Members:

I was unable to attend this morning's public hearing in Peoria regarding the Peoria Disposal Company's appeal to expand their waste facility in Peoria County. I thank you for the opportunity to express my views in writing on this very important matter.

I am opposed to the appeal for the following reasons:

1. PDC's appeal as a new pollution control facility is a weak attempt to circumvent their earlier rejection by elected officials, (our Peoria County Board). In effect, they are attempting to negate local authorities right to regulate the site of such a facility.
2. Citizens in Peoria have consistently opposed both the lateral and vertical expansion of this landfill because of substantial concerns regarding toxic effects.
3. Our county board has already voted down a similar design proposal in June 2007. I see no need for granting this appeal.

Thank you for your time and I hope your agreement that this appeal should not be granted.

Respectfully,


Nelda M. Waddell