



# **Lewiston-Porter Central School District**

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## **RESOLUTION in Opposition to the expansion of Hazardous Waste Landfill Capacity**

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### **Lewiston-Porter Central School District's Boundaries**

**Whereas,** the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education believes that assuring the safety, health and welfare of its students, faculty, employees, parents and persons visiting the campus as well as those residing within the district's boundaries is one of its primary duties; and

**Whereas,** hazardous waste has been continually dumped within the boundaries of the Lewiston-Porter School District for over 35 years; and

**Whereas,** trucks hauling debris containing hazardous materials pass the Lewiston-Porter campus on a daily basis; and

**Whereas,** the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education wishes to ultimately eliminate hazardous waste truck traffic past its campus,

**Let it be known that,** the Lewiston-Porter School district has maintained a cooperative relationship with the management of the current hazardous waste site located within the school district's boundaries

**And that,** in light of the foregoing, the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education considers itself a stakeholder and is entitled to have its opinion considered by the DEC in any permit and expansion application

**And that,** the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education encourages research and development of alternative methods of treating hazardous waste thus by limiting the amount that is transported past the school district facilities and dumped within its boundaries

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**And that,** the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education desires to limit the amount of hazardous waste dumped within its district to only that the landfill capacity for which present permits are in place as of the date of this resolution

**Now, Therefore, Let it Be Resolved** that the Lewiston-Porter Board of Education opposes the expansion of hazardous waste landfill capacity within the boundaries of the Lewiston-Porter School District and that the District Clerk be requested to forward a copy of this resolution for consideration involving any request for permit or expansion.

Authorized by duly elected Board of Education Members of the Lewiston Porter Central School District on April 21, 2009

  
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Elizabeth Bajor  
District Clerk