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Tonawanda Landfill Vicinity Property FUSRAP Site

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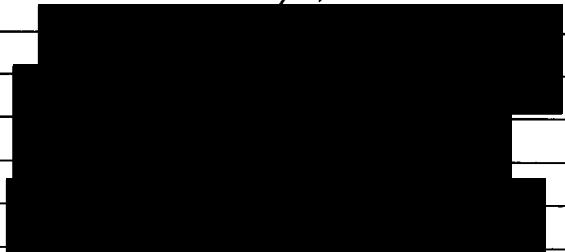
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Comments:

WHEN I WAS GROWING UP (TEENAGER) AT [REDACTED] MY MOM AND 3 NEIGHBORS ALL GOT CANCER AND DIED. THESE WOMEN ALL LIVED WITHIN 100 yds OF EACH OTHER AND ALL WERE IN THEIR THIRTIES. THESE YOUNG WOMEN WERE ALL DEAD IN THE MID + EARLY 70'S. ALL WERE ORIGINAL HOME OWNERS. MURRAY TERRACE WAS THE LAST STREET BY THE DUMP IN THE 50'S - EARLY 60'S. THEN THEY BUILT COSHWAY + HACKETT DR. I BELIEVE AND STRONGLY SUGGEST THAT THE YARDS IN THE DEVELOPEMENT BE TESTED (DRILL) SINCE THE 60'S - 70'S ALL YOU HEAR IS OF THE DEATHS FROM CANCER IN THE AREA (RIVERVIEW HEIGHTS) WHERE I GREW UP AND LIVED. I CAN SUPPLY NAMES AND DEATH CERTIFICATES OF ALL THE PEOPLE I'VE MENTIONED. YOU NEED TO DO A HEALTH STUDY OF TAX RECORDS, MORTGAGE RECORDS AND CURRENT RESIDENTS MEDICAL PROBLEMS. THEY HAVE COVERED UP THE HIGH CANCER RATE IN THE RIVERVIEW HEIGHTS (CLAY HILL) CITY OF TONAWANDA FOR MUCH TOO LONG. I THINK ITS CAUSE THE HEALTHY RESIDENTS ARE WORRIED ABOUT PROPERTY VALUES. →

I WAS IN THE ORIGINAL KINDERGARDEN CLASS AT RIVERVIEW SCHOOL. MY FRIENDS PARENTS WERE TEACHERS THERE AND HAVE SINCE DIED OF CANCER. I AM WILLING TO HELP IN ANYWAY I CAN. I MOVED TO THE COUNTRY IN 2003 BUT STILL KNOW PEOPLE IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD. ALL MY FRIENDS FROM CHILDHOOD AND I HAVE ONE THING IN COMMON. ALL OUR PARENTS WHO STAYED DIED OF CANCER AND I CAN SHOW YOU THE PROOF (MEDICAL RECORDS + ADDRESS OF DECEASED + YRS RESIDENCY) THESE NEW PEOPLE WHO ARE COMPLAING ABOUT A CLEAN-UP HAVE KNOW IDEA OF THE HISTORY OF CANCER THAT EXISTS IN THAT NEIGHBOR HOOD. THERE IS A LARGE FRENCH DRAIN THAT IS COVERED UP BEHIND MY DADS HOUSE. I THINK IT GAVE THE BAD STUFF A PLACE TO VENT. I REMEMBER MY MOM + MRS. BENNETT HAVING TO TAKE DOWN THEIR WASH OF THE CLOTHES LINE, BECAUSE THE BULLDOZERS WERE STIRING UP SO MUCH DUST. (PRIOR TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF CORNWAY + HARLETT ST.) SOME OF MY CHILDHOOD FRIENDS HAVE ALSO DIED OF CANCER. ALL PRIOR TO THEIR 50th birthday. I'VE READ THAT THE CURRENT CANCER RATE IS 80%, I DO NOT ~~BEHAVE~~ BELIEVE THIS IS ACCEPTABLE ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD. I WAS TOLD IN 1992 BY AN ARMY CORP. ENG. THAT THEY WOULD NEVER ADMIT TO ANOTHER LOVE CANAL AND I ACTUALLY ~~BEHAVE~~ BELIEVE THIS STUFF SHOULD NOT BE AS BAD OR UNCOVERED AS IT WAS IN THE 50'S. YOU (ARMY CORP.) HAS THE POWER AND THE RESORCES TO HELP THESE PEOPLE. NO JOB IS MORE IMPORTANT THAN THE PEOPLE ESPECIALLY THE CHILDREN WHO ARE BEING SUBJECTED TO THIS DAILY. HOMES SHOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN BUILT IN SUCH A PLACE.

Sincerely,

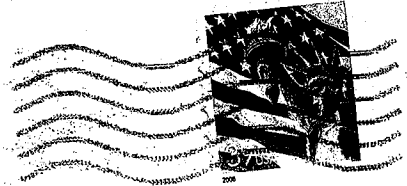


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