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U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Clerk of the Board, Environmental Appeals Board (MC 1103B)
Ariel Rios Building
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20460-0001

Dear Representatives:

My concerns regarding the "Permit" for the Oil Refinery are lengthy and just too complicated to be detailed, but I will do my best to voice my concerns.

I was not aware of any public notices regarding the changes to the "Proposed Refinery" to include the "Bakken."

Received EPA Issues Record of Decision and NPDES Permit for the MHA Nation Refinery and could not find any information regarding the processing of the original request of the "Tar Sands."

Once the permit is issued and the land and water have been contaminated the cost will be far greater to repair or undo any damage to the environment.

Already with the Hydraulic Fracking there have been numerous reports and complaints of murky, cloudy water, black or gray sediments, iron precipitates, soaps, black jelly-like grease, floating particles, diesel fuel or petroleum orders, increased methan in water, rashes from showering, gassy tase and decrease or complete loss of water flow.

There is already dangerous and fatal accidents that have occurred on our Reservation, the impending increase to traffic flow this refinery will bring will also add to the dilemma.

Lastly I would like to close with a scripture from the last book in the Bible, the book of Revelation which states in chapter 11 verse 8: "The nations were angry, and Your wrath has come, and the time of the dead, that they should be judged, and that You should reward your servants and prophets and the saints, and those who fear Your name, small and great, and should destroy those who destroy the earth."

We are approaching the millennium as majority of the nation is aware of the year 2012 to be a historical event. Whatever decision we make on behalf of the people, there will be consequences I hope and pray that you will seriously take into consideration the impact you will make on the lives of our families.

In Christ Service


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