

TO:

Mr. Gaurang Rawal, Air Quality Engineer, Engineering and Compliance
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REGARDING THE BELOW PROPOSED PROJECT:

APPLICANT:

SUNSHINE GAS PRODUCERS, LLC. (Facility ID 139938)
APPLICATIONS NOS.: 480567 through 480572, 482510 AND 480628
LOCATION: 14747 San Fernando Road (at Sunshine Canyon Landfill) Sylmar, CA.
PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Landfill Gas Treatment and Landfill Gas to Energy System

Mr. Gaurang Rawal & SCAQMD Board,

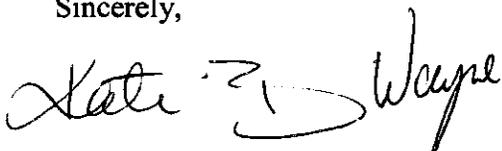
I strongly object to any approval of the above facility at the site of the Sunshine Canyon Landfill near my home, which will further endanger the health of this community, because it will only add to the pollutants already emitted by this facility and for which the SCAQMD has made no requirement or provision for this facility and new proposed Gas to Energy System and its operators to "scrub" the contaminants before the resulting emissions enter the air we and our children breathe.

Before this new so-called "green" energy facility is approved and built, the SCAQMD and all of the approving agencies must see to it that it is a CLEAN EMISSIONS FACILITY at least to the level of the existing flares, and not to exceed that level. The facility and its operators MUST be required to spend however much money is needed to post scrub the contaminants out of the air in order to bring the facility to at least the air content level of the existing flares, and not exceed it. We are reminded that Republic Services makes over \$500,000,000 in PROFIT annually, so they need to be responsible to this community and its residents.

I will personally hold the AQMD responsible for any decision they make and there is already widespread consideration of a class action lawsuit on behalf of the Granada Hills, CA, and Sylmar, CA, residents and businesses, who live and work in these communities, if remedy in the courts becomes our only avenue of protection.

It would be a smarter decision by the AQMD to REQUIRE THE SYSTEM AND ITS OPERATORS TO SCRUB AND LIMIT THE EMISSIONS TO THE REASONABLE STANDARD OF NOT EXCEEDING THAT OF THE CURRENT FLARES as a minimum requirement. This is an important decision that you must make.

Sincerely,



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