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SUBJECT: Please deny permit for Cross Bar Energy injection well in Greenwood County

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Dear Rene Stucky,

I live in Madison Kansas in Greenwood County and am writing to protest and request a hearing in the matter of the Application for an Injection Well and Application to Amend Injection Permit by Cross Bar Energy for the Vigle VW-6 and VW-8 wells in SW/4 of Section 14, Township 23-South, Range 10 East, Greenwood County.

Docket number is 17-CONS-3689-CUIC.

Injecting toxic wastewater into the Bartlesville formation is dangerous and may pollute the natural resources of the state of Kansas.

In addition, the US Geological Survey states that injection wells are the cause of the recent earthquakes in Kansas. Those earthquakes continue to cause uncompensated damages to private and municipal property, and they are moving northward in the state, with several this month epi-centered near the Nebraska border.

Please consider erring on the side of caution to protect the land and water of the Flint Hills for grazing and tourism by denying the permit to Cross Bar Energy.

Respectfully,

Daphne Mertens