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Subject: Lehigh Southwest

As a resident in the vicinity of the Southwest plant for over 25 years, I cannot object strongly enough in opposition to a renewal of the permit for their operations. I have lived with a constant cloud of dust from the plant, and I do not even know what chemicals might be contained. The dust settles in our house whenever windows are open.

Additionally, the constant onslaught of trucks on Foothill Blvd. and Stevens Creek Blvd. contribute heavily to dust and noise pollution. There is a constant flow of dirt, dust and debris falling off the trucks. The meager attempts to use a streetsweeper to mitigate the problem are almost a joke.

Please do not allow a permit renewal for the Southwest plant. What might have been OK in 1939 is no longer acceptable in an urban neighborhood.

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