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To: Thu Bui

Subject: Please do not renew Lehigh Southwest Cement Company's Permit

Ms. Bui,

We are a family of 2 children and live at 11876 Woodhill Ct, Cupertino which is close to the Lehigh cement factory. I am really concerned about the continued operation of a cement plant right in the middle of a community that consists of kids and seniors. Given the hazardous and toxic gases and the associated pollution, I and am sure several concerned citizens of Cupertino are strongly against the granting of permit to the cement company for another 5 years. Given the attention to global warming and air quality, an approval would be seen as a clear disregard to the concerns of us regular citizens. These cement factory and the associated trucking traffic in our community is also a serious hazard for us.

I am hopeful that the cement company will not be issued a permit to operate and be reallocated to another area that isn't in close proximity with so many citizens.

Thanks and Regards,
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