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The proposed site is simply unsuitable for such a heavy industrial site, especially given the potential for hazards related to the intended use. Minimal research would show that sites with similar operations have and inevitably will contribute to local pollution by deliberate or careless actions and through inevitable accidents. The proposed solution to the risk of safety regarding air pollution is ridiculous, as local residents should not ever need to 'limit time outdoors' as a health care strategy let alone as a precaution against risks to health and safety, from a third party. The scale of the facility is too large for the proposed location, and the downstream effects of any pollution would potentially cause further contamination to drinking water supplies for larger communities. The company behind this project is suspect to me for many reasons, namely lack of adequate qualification for such a facility and dubious business plan. I am not against such a facility, but we have a massive amount of less productive land outside of communities where families and young children live, that will not take up massive amounts of arable land which is limited, and so moving this facility to land where the consequences are very controllable and containable, and less risky or wasteful, is ideal. This facility does not belong in this community or any other community. It belongs in the outback, away from any community.