

## Comments for DEP Hearing on July 27<sup>th</sup>, 2011

I would like everyone to step outside of their wallets for just a few minutes. That includes DEP employees, CRE employees, and those of you in leadership roles in this community.

It is not too late for any one of us to stop this incinerator from destroying this community. Any person who takes any amount of time to research this incinerator and others like it know darn well that those people and animals living in its sphere of influence will suffer greatly. EVERY SINGLE aspect of our lives will suffer.

Those of you with influence and decision making abilities, and those of you employed by the DEP and CRE literally hold our lives in your hands. YOU can choose to be the heroes of our community. YOU CAN save our lives.

And so, to every member of this community, but especially those in leadership roles, I invite you to look into your hearts, and do what you know is right.