

Mr. Mark Fesmire, Chairman  
New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission  
1220 South St. Francis Drive  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504

Re: Duke Energy Field Services Proposed Linam Acid Gas Injection Well  
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

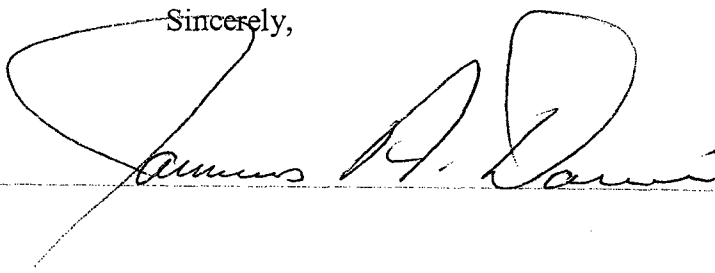
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I am very concerned that the planned pipeline transmission and injection of carbon dioxide and hydrogen sulfide involves a serious threat to human health and safety. I am also concerned that there is a significant possibility that the proposed injection well may result in the contamination of air and water in the area. The handling of carbon dioxide and hydrogen sulfide, as planned, is inconsistent with the agricultural and residential land use in the area.

I was only made aware of the plans for the well and Duke Energy Field Service's application to your agency through conversations with my neighbors. Duke Energy did not notify me of its injection well and has made no effort to communicate with me. I have not been made aware of what emergency actions I must take if there is a release of hydrogen sulfide or carbon dioxide gas.

I ask that the Commission deny the application of Duke Energy Field Services for its proposed pipeline and injection well.

Sincerely,

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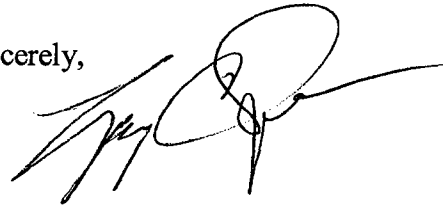
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