

To Legislators on the Natural Resources Committee:

I encourage you to vote "NO" on HB170. Carbon capture and storage is an unproven technology, and the residents of our state should not be forced to be guinea pigs. I do not want carbon dioxide waste stored anywhere near where I live or travel, not even deep underground. Do you? Why are you risking your constituents' health and even lives--or those of future generations? Carbon capture and storage is a bad idea, a horrible accident waiting to happen. We don't want it here.

If this bill passes, and if we get carbon storage imposed on us, and an accident happens, who will pay for it? Your constituents, and all Ohio taxpayers. Do you seriously think this is a wise or fair course of action? I sure don't.

Please consider the number of abandoned oil and gas wells in our state. Consider that our geology is under pressure from HOW MANY injection wells already?

Again, I implore you to vote "NO" on HB170.

Sincerely,

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