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Subject: Water Quality in the Spokane River and Lake Spokane

I would like to voice my opinion regarding Discharge Permits for the Spokane River and Lake Spokane. I feel that it is very irresponsible to allow permits considering the problems which have been existing for years in this watershed. We need to clean up this watershed, not allow more discharge into it! You can drive along the Little Spokane River and the smell is awful. Long Lake itself is unfit to swim in.

I grew up living along Long Lake, it used to be a nice place, now I wouldn't swim or eat the fish out of it because it's so polluted! And yet you're still allowing discharges into this watershed! Get off the political aspect of all of this and do what is right for the environment. That is your job. It is going to take time to heal as it is, not adding more pollution to the river.

I will be waiting to see what decisions are made.

Best regards,

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