

Steve Dee - Proposed Asphalt Plant

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Subject: Proposed Asphalt Plant

Dear County Planning Commission,

I am very concerned about a proposed Asphalt plant in Petaluma across the river from Shollenberger Park. I have noticed just in the past year and most recently the past few months, the expansion of the existing gravel company and the noise and visual presence of large machinery and trucks. As you might know the prevailing winds are constantly blowing the smells and dust and noise directly across the river to the park. It is disturbing for me to go to a park and have to be inundated with fowl smells, sounds of large machinery, and the visual pollution I cannot avoid. I think that an asphalt plant would worsen and intensify an already bad situation for the Park, the river, and all the wildlife. Please do not put an asphalt plant where it proposed in such a precious and sensitive area. Thank you. Patrick Schafer

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