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Absolutely I support establishing a task force to further study the impact of the proposed expansion of Coffin Butte Landfill. I live in Corvallis so I have a very personal interest in knowing everything about this issue. The CURRENT landfill negatively affects our livability (recreational areas impacted; increased traffic going to/from the landfill; stench; garbage along the highway leading in/out of the landfill; possible negative effect for housing values due to this monstrosity literally in our backyard) and our health (leachate in the groundwater/Willamette River; air pollution; being a "methane factory;" the use of toxic fly ash as daily cover).

There are very important and very real questions that must be answered in detail BEFORE allowing Coffin Butte landfill expansion (because after the fact it will be too late).

Thank you,

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