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Friends,

People Protecting Communities wishes to thank you for your continued support in our battle to stop the RRLLC (Resource Recovery, LLC) landfill/interchange/industrial park proposal. The RRLLC proposal threatens our well-being, our way of life, and the wonderful outdoor recreation opportunities we have available in this beautiful region of central Pennsylvania.

In the past YOU came out in record numbers to convince the Centre County Metropolitan Planning Organization that RRLLC's proposed I-80 Interchange should not be part of Centre County's Long-Range Transportation Plan. YOU supported the great Peale Walk of 2006 so that many could see first hand the natural beauty and historical structures located on and near the proposed landfill site. YOU participated in our fundraisers, sent letters to the agencies and decision makers, and kept the fight alive!

We are now facing our most challenging obstacle. DEP (Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection) has found the RRLLC landfill permit application to be administratively complete. This means, at some point, DEP must review the application and issue a decision on whether or not to permit the landfill. The DEP review process, although currently suspended, will be a very long and complicated ordeal.

PPC is determined to prove that this 5,800-acre forested parcel is not a suitable site for a landfill/interchange/industrial park. Although PPC volunteers are willing to work long and hard, we do not have the legal expertise needed at this critical point in the process. The issue is so complex and multi-faceted that we have found it necessary to retain the services of an attorney. Our current attorney is knowledgeable about environmental law, municipal solid waste regulation and planning, brownfields, wetlands, and environmentally sensitive areas. He agrees with us—this is not an appropriate site for a landfill/interchange/industrial park. It should remain as it is, an outdoor recreation Mecca for residents and visitors.

Experienced and knowledgeable attorneys are expensive and once again we are counting on YOU to help us. We are asking for your gift of support for our Legal Defense Fund to help 'Stop the Landfill'.

Sincerely,

Terri Burbidge
Chairperson, Fundraising Committee
People Protecting Communities

Yes! I want to help 'Stop the Landfill'! Enclosed is my contribution of:

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Name: _____

Address: _____

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Email: _____ *PPC will send Dump Alerts via email if email address is provided*

_____ I would like to volunteer to assist PPC. My area of interest is _____

Please return this form with your contribution in the envelope provided. As always, thanks for your support!

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