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**Choose the agency that you would like to provide input about**  
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**Public Comments**

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**First Name**

Mary

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Cato

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**City**

Arlington

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Texas

**Your Comments or Concerns**

TCEQ must actually do its job of protecting public health and the environment. TCEQ has historically rubber-stamped polluting projects from industry, and prioritized interests of polluters over public health and complaints. Industrial facilities violate their Clean Air Act permits thousands of times every year, but TCEQ fines polluters only about 3 percent of the time.

**Your Proposed Solution**

Sufficient staff with funding & power to investigate & penalize polluters.

**My Comments Will Be Made Public**

Yes