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### Choose the agency that you would like to provide input about

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

### **Public Comments**

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### **First Name**

Katie

## **Last Name**

McGee

### **Title**

Ms.

### Organization you are affiliated with

N/A

**Email** 

### City

Dallas

## State

Texas

### **Your Comments or Concerns**

All across Texas, industrial facilities violate their Clean Air Act permits thousands of times every year, but TCEQ fines polluters only about 3% of the time. These measures are incredibly insufficient to the point of being hazardous. Our landfills are leaking into the water supply at an alarming rate. The city water source in many counties of Texas isn't drinkable, without additional filtration.

# **Your Proposed Solution**

Monitor facilities more stringently, enforce stricter standards, and require they're taxed for the cost.

# My Comments Will Be Made Public

Yes