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Your Comments or Concerns

Across Texas, it's clear that citizens have lost confidence in TCEQ's ability to protect us and our natural resources

When considering permit applications for quarries, TCEQ should take into account all sources of pollution—not just the rock crushing machinery: haul roads, blasting and mining operations, and

fugitive dust should all be considered

Your Proposed Solution

TCEQ should consider cumulative impacts of nearby facilities instead of treating each facility as a lone source of air pollution

TCEQ should supervise aggregate mining activities—or let the Railroad Commission do it

TCEQ should hold an additional public meeting before reviewing a permit application

Hold TCEQ accountable: commissioners should be elected, not appointed

Next sunset review for TCEQ should happen in six years, not twelve

Tell the commission you support the recommendations made by TRAM (Texans for Responsible Aggregate Mining)

My Comments Will Be Made Public

Yes