

INQUIRY INTO 'ENERGY FROM WASTE' TECHNOLOGY

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Dear Sir/Madam

Please do not let this waste to energy incinerator get built. It is a dangerous proposal that has been put forward with only some of the western Sydney community knowing about it. It is so close to urban living and will affect not only adults but children and small babies. I fear of the consequences if asbestos is burnt and particles infiltrate the quality of air that we Sydney sides will breathe and if it will increase cases of lung cancer or lung disease.

I fear that Next Gen/Dial a Dump is creating a the worlds biggest incinerator for mostly ego purposes. Mr Ian Malouf claims that the incinerator is better for Sydney as it is "cleaner" than land fill. May i ask how is an incinerator burning rubbish cleaner than land fill which does not release gas, asbestos and other small particles into the air.

This incinerator is within 5.6km of my local school and within a kilometer of Minchinbuty primary school. I can not begin to imagine how toxic the environment will be, if this incinerator goes ahead, for our children.

Western Sydney does not want this. We do not want high rates of cancer in our community nor do we want house prices to be affected by this Incinerator especially when Sydney does not produce enough rubbish for this incinerator to run and be a successful business venture.

There is no guarantee that this incinerator is a safe or better alternative to land fill. As far as I am aware the incinerator follows the UK standards as opposed to abiding to Australian standards.

Please do not let this incinerator get the "green light" as quoted by Mr Malouf. The people of Sydney do not want it and I truly believe that it will affect the prices and air quality of all of Sydney including Kirrabilli, Potts Point, Bondi our beautiful beaches at Bondi, Manly and Coogee. We do not want to lose foreign investors who may be unwilling to invest in Sydney because of the reputation that Sydney has the worlds largest incinerator.

Please reconsider Mr Maloufs Incinerator proposal

Regards