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INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION

Dear members,

Thank you VERY, VERY much for the hard work you are doing for all Pennsylvanians and our environment.

This letter is in support of your consideration of banning the use of ANY OWB's form May 1st to September 30th each year.

I live in a close community and we have OWB, on 2 sides of my house so if the wind blows from the north or south my home is bathed in smoke all year long.

In the summer we tried staying in the house with a window air conditioner running but the air conditioner just sucks the smoke in from the out side and distributes it through out the house so we can't even get relief by staying indoors. (I bet this is happening to many people with hot air heating system, that live close to a OWB, without them even knowing it)

If my wife and I sit on our deck, her eyes start to tear and we both get soar throats very quickly. I know that people are burning trash also because one of the people that run their OWB stopped their trash pick-up service and the other puts out very little trash than he did in the past. What does that tell you?

Thank You, for your work and consideration of my comments.

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