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John Dawson: Good afternoon my name is John Dawson, and I am the engineering manager at Puget Sound Clean Air Agency.

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John Dawson: This is the public hearing for draft order of approval. Number 1, 1, 5, 7, 3 for Cedar Grove, Maple Valley.

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John Dawson: This hearing is being recorded.

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John Dawson: The draft order of approval has several components.

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John Dawson: First, it changes to the monitoring requirements on biofilters at the facility to focus only on the variables that the agency has determined are indicative of proper performance and to add new requirements for what happens when biofilter temperatures go outside acceptable ranges

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John Dawson: second. There's a the draft permit includes a decrease in the frequency of

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John Dawson: required 3rd party biofilter evaluations while adding new additional requirements for

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John Dawson: for when these evaluations show biofilter parameters going outside of acceptable ranges

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John Dawson: additionally the draft permit allows for the second bay door of the tipping building to remain open more than was previously allowed, but also adds requirements regarding the storage of materials in the tipping, building and limits visible emissions from the tipping building also changes the tipping, building, capture, compliance, method.

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John Dawson: demonstration away from a smoke test and to a verification of proper adequate airflow through the tipping building.

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John Dawson: And then, finally, it includes the replacement of a grinder.

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John Dawson: The draft permit the agency's reasoning behind these changes and the supporting materials are all available on the agency's website.

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John Dawson: You may also submit comments

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John Dawson: by email to the agency at publiccomment@psccleanair.gov.

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John Dawson: By January 31st at 4 30 Pm.

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John Dawson: This hearing is one way of one way to submit comments on the draft order of approval.

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John Dawson: Now in in just a minute we'll begin the public comment portion of the hearing.

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John Dawson: If you would like to make a comment, please use the raise hand function in zoom, and then I'll recognize speakers one at a time.

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John Dawson: Please limit your comments to no more than 5 min. Also this hearing will extend all the way to 6 Pm. If we run out of speakers before then, then we will go into a break of approximately 20 min.

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John Dawson: and then we will check to see if any new speakers have arrived. Just give me one moment to prepare, and then I will call on speakers with their hands raised.

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John Dawson: We have a hand raised by Sriram Baya.

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John Dawson: Sriram, if you're ready, may feel free to unmute yourself and begin speaking. Begin your comment.

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Sriram Bhaiya: Alright, great so! And how much time do I have.

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John Dawson: You can. You have up to 5 min.

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Sriram Bhaiya: Okay, perfect. So yeah, I stay in the on the Isoka Hobart road a little bit you know, from away from Cedar Grove. facility.

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Sriram Bhaiya: you know a few comments here. There's nothing non-significant regarding the compost operations that have not significantly impacted and directly affected the surrounding property owners. I'm 1 of the surrounding property owners and by Washington State statute. Offensive orders are not to travel beyond a property owner's property line.

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Sriram Bhaiya: and by firsthand experience. We. We experience odor all the time. We have kids who want to go play outside, and they are not able to do that most of the time, because of the odor.

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Sriram Bhaiya: I see all the numbers and microns, etc. But I would really urge whoever is looking at this, to actually come to the properties and smell the air when the operations are happening at the cedar grove. Compost facility, and it's not bearable. It's not possible for us to go out. So when this is the current condition to see that some of the things are being relaxed and and the emissions are actually going up is not acceptable.

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Sriram Bhaiya: The majority of the land surrounding Cedar Grove compost is medium density, residential properties of quarter acres or more elementary school Maple Hills elementary school is located one and a half mile west of the Cgc. Facility. And then all the residential communities have been adversely affected and impacted. You know, you know, because of this facility.

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Sriram Bhaiya: And you know, since 1997 the compost facilities has continued to allow offensive odors to travel several miles.

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Sriram Bhaiya: you know, in 2,001 they settled a class action lawsuit in 2018. Again, they settled the class action lawsuit of Avila versus 0 groove composting, and, you know, removal of continuous monitoring of biofiltering operations

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Sriram Bhaiya: is like giving an open license for the composting facility to to break the clean air statutes. Again, the actual experience of the residents living in the area. That is what should be should be looked into, and also the composting facility is requesting the reduction of monitoring frequency.

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Sriram Bhaiya: I'm not sure like if the current situation itself is not acceptable, how can we increase the monitoring frequency from 30 days to 60 days?

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Sriram Bhaiya: So again, for decades, the facility has actively demonstrated that it cannot monitor and police its operations to prevent odors from traveling off its property. The current things that are in the current measures are that are in place are itself not enough.

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Sriram Bhaiya: So you know the need, for you know on-site monitoring needs to be actually improved and not relaxed. So the proposed changes should not be approved. The 3rd party evaluation should not be reduced from 3 months to 6 months.

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Sriram Bhaiya: and all these requirements of removing the bay door when the operations are happening again. The current, you know, odor itself is unacceptable, so I'm not sure why some of these things are being being accepted, and odor. Neutralizing spray is not a substitute for this.

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Sriram Bhaiya: you know. So so these are like some of the some of the things. So in conclusion, like, we really need to test the orders in the residential properties. We need to look at what kind of codes they are violating. And we should actually do a study to improve how such odor needs to be controlled. Even further, leave aside like this this change which will actually make the situation even worse. So thank you for the time.

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John Dawson: Thank you for your comments.

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John Dawson: Do we have anyone else? If anybody else would like to make a comment feel free to

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John Dawson: use the the raise hand function in zoom, and then I'll I'll recognize commenters one at a time.

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John Dawson: Is there anybody wishing to make a comment

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John Dawson: right at this time. It looks like we have no other commenters currently in the meeting. So we will temporarily take a break.

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John Dawson: We'll go into a break until 4 30 Pm. And then we will continue at 4 30.

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John Dawson: It's now 4, 30. Welcome back to the public. Hearing

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John Dawson: on Puget sound, clean Air Agency proposed order of approval. Number 1, 1, 5, 7, 3 for Cedar Grove, Maple Valley.

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John Dawson: If anybody here has a comment they would like to make on the draft permit.

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John Dawson: Please use the raise hand function in zoom, and then I will call on people one by one.

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John Dawson: At this point there are no hands raised.

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John Dawson: let's try this. If anybody would like to make a comment, feel free to simply unmute and deliver your comment. Now.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: Hi.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: My name is Anne Newcomb.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: Thanks for taking our comments.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: I have lived at 1, 6, 6, 5, 0 2, 46. Place southeast in Issaquah, or

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: since 1991, and have experienced

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: the strong order of Cedar Grove off and on.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: But I believe it was the last lawsuit that brought things down and haven't really been experienced. The odor experiencing the odor much in the past few years, although I have been noticing it lately and

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: this today even went out onto my deck and

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: smelled it really strongly around 1230 pm. So

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: when it was at its worst.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: if if our windows were open, or if I went outside.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: or if we were outside, my husband and I would

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: have to come inside and shut the windows because we would get ill. We felt got headaches and nausea

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: and some dizziness.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: So it's a pretty serious, a serious subject for us, so that

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: cedar grove composting is thinking about.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: putting more emissions into the air is kind of mind blowing to me that they want to loosen.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: are asking to loosen their monitoring and restrictions. So one thing that popped out to me that was in your notice is that

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: a.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: The estimated potential emission increase associated with the change in method of operation of the tip.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: A tipping building is 1 point or 8.4 tons

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: a year of vocs and point 7 tons a year of ammonia.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: This is very concerning for my husband and I, and I'm sure our neighbors. So we are really hoping

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: that the Clean Air air agency is going to

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: keep our air clean and safe to breathe.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: And also, I think, as you know, Washington State

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: statute states that offensive odors are not to travel beyond a property owner's property line.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: We live about 2 miles away from Cedar Grove, composting as the crow flies, and there are hundreds of other homes in the area.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: They've experienced the smell as well.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: Cedar grove composting air pollution, negative negatively affects our health and well-being and our property values. So that's a big deal is that if

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: if the smell continues and gets worse.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: then it's it's definitely going to negatively affect our property values, because nobody wants to live in an area where not just the smell is bad, but they could get sick from it. And we don't really know

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: like we're learning more about the

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: particles that come from Wildfire.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: And I think, as we learn more about that, we're probably going to learn more about the particles and emissions that are coming from

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: composting, which I am a huge proponent of. We do a lot of composting here.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: but Cedar Grove just really needs to keep up.

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: you know, with all of their filters, so they can be good neighbors. Thank you so much for all of your great work that you've done really appreciate it hadn't planned on commenting

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Anne Newcomb she/her/hers: tonight. But since nobody else is there you go. Thank you so much. Appreciate it.

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John Dawson: Alright, thank you, and if we have any other commenters, please feel free to unmute and deliver your comment.

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charlesnevi: Can you hear me?

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John Dawson: Yes, yes, I hear you.

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charlesnevi: Hey? My! My name's Charles Nevi.

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charlesnevi: I live 1, 4, 8, 4, 9, 200 and 4th Avenue, southeast in Renton.

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00:16:15.710 --> 00:16:18.420

charlesnevi: and I'd just like to say the lady who just spoke.

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charlesnevi: I hope you listen to what she had to say. She said it very well, as I said in a note to you. If this stench were to enter the rooms that you guys are in, you would adjourn the meeting. You would not put up with it. And yet you're asking us to put up with it every day. And it's just it's just unbelievable that you're doing this.

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charlesnevi: Thank you.

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00:16:50.910 --> 00:16:52.299

John Dawson: Hey? Thank you, Charles.

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John Dawson: somebody else would like to comment. Please feel free to unmute yourself.

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John Dawson: Do we have any other commenters?

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John Dawson: It appears that is all the commenters we have for now. So we will go into a break until 5 o'clock

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John Dawson: is now 5 0. 1. Welcome back to the public hearing

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John Dawson: on proposed order of approval. Number 1, 1, 5, 7, 3 for Cedar Grove, Maple Valley.

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John Dawson: If anybody has joined and would like to make a comment on the draft order of approval, feel free to unmute yourself and deliver your comment. Now.

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KG: Hi, John! Can you hear me?

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John Dawson: Yes, I hear you.

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KG: Perfect. Hi, John! My name is Kasia Grisbeck. 1st of all, thank you to you, John, and to the Puget sound clean Air Agency for organizing this meeting, and really for taking the time to listen to our comments.

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KG: So I, I live at 1, 2, 9, 0 3, 229th Avenue, southeast in Issaquah, which is about

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KG: 2 miles or so north of the Cedar Grove facility. I like to think of myself as an avid composter, and I totally, wholeheartedly support the act of composting when it's being done correctly, and when it's being done respectfully, I should say.

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KG: and I guess I'll start with a general comment, and that is, to be quite frank, I really do think that this meeting should be about mitigating the current air emissions coming from Cedar Grove and not talking about adding to those emissions. I don't think I need to say this, but access to clean air is a basic human right, and it is a right that I think the neighboring community, and not to mention the neighboring elementary school, are consistently deprived of.

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KG: So I'm deeply concerned about these proposed modifications. To put it lightly, these changes raise significant environmental and community health issues that weren't careful scrutiny. And it's scrutiny that I worry really hasn't been employed here. The permit proposes a reduction in monitoring frequency, as I understand it, for a facility that, again, as I understand, is often in violation of their current permits. And if that's the case, I really

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KG: fail to see how this is a reasonable or even a logical request. At that

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KG: the Department also proposes to open the second bay door during operations which to me seems to prioritize operational convenience of the facility over environmental protection over public health. Despite the employment of any type of best available current technology like spray curtains or biofilter media.

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KG: The environmental impact determination of non-significance appears really premature. The the aggregated environmental impacts of these operational changes, including the increased emissions, the reduced monitoring, I don't think, have been adequately addressed. And I wonder what sort of detailed environmental review supports this determination of non-significance and and I'll end with saying that

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KG: the request being made in this permit and your agency's responses really raised many questions that I would like to ask. I'm kind of new to these venues to be totally honest with you, John, and I wonder if this is the proper venue to be able to ask these questions and get get these answers.

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John Dawson: Well, you can feel free to ask questions. We won't be able to respond here in the moment, but we will respond. When we respond to all the comments in general in in the coming weeks.

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KG: Okay? Well, then, I have a. I have a list of questions that I guess I will just read out now.

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KG: and I guess, await your response. So one of the 1st questions I have is about air quality modeling. And I wonder if any type of modeling has been done to properly assess these proposed changes the public notice mentions increases in vocs and in ammonia. I don't see much about odor there, and so I'm wondering if the agency has modeled odor impact associated with these changes, and if not, I wonder why not?

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KG: I wonder why as well that it is not being required to Cedar Grove to install the curtain and the 12 inches of biofilter. Why, it's an either, or situation at least that's what it seems like to me, after reading this notice, I wonder what it means that the biofilter will only be used on surfaces of the feedstock pile accessible by the front loader. So essentially. How much would that biofilter be covering?

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KG: And I wonder how much the curtain and or the biofilter would actually reduce the odor and the voc emissions? I would really want to see some quantitative data related to that

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KG: with respect kind of more generally to odor complaints filed with your agency. I wonder how your agency handles odor complaints. I wonder if you investigate odor complaints, and to what extent I wonder how odor is measured, how it's quantified. I wonder if there's a database of these complaints, and I wonder if over time the complaints have been trending up or down. I wonder if there's a database of odor measurements. If maybe there's like a data dashboard to monitor monitor some of these clean air complaints.

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KG: I wonder what is used to measure odor? Is it field Ulflectometers, nasal rangers, those sorts of those types of equipment.

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KG: And I wonder if the Fidel method is employed when any type of odor measurements are done. So essentially frequency, intensity, duration, offensiveness, location.

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KG: and in terms of current air quality monitoring around Cedar Grove. I have a lot of questions as well. I wonder what type of air quality monitoring is being done. I wonder how often air quality is being monitored around Cedar Grove. What sorts of constituents are monitored during any type of monitoring events. Is there a database that's publicly available? Where is the monitoring being done? How far from the facility is being monitored?

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KG: And then I guess the last question I'll end on is, what type of transparency and community involvement besides these types of meetings can your agency provide?

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KG: Do you get all that, John.

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John Dawson: We are recording. So I my hope is that the the recording got all that.

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KG: Okay, well, thank you for your time, like, I said. And as I started, I really appreciate you all taking our comments and really hope we can work together to reach a resolution that makes everyone happy.

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John Dawson: Thank you, Kasha.

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John Dawson: If we have another commenter, feel free to unmute yourself and deliver your comment.

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charlesnevi: Yeah, I commented earlier.

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charlesnevi: I just like to make a comment about a couple of the minutes

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charlesnevi: one woman mentioned that she had her windows open, which really surprised me. We never open our windows winter, summer, day, or night. The stench is just too unpleasant

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charlesnevi: to have it be inside the house.

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charlesnevi: The second thing that was mentioned was.

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charlesnevi: there was improvement after the lawsuit in 2016, which indicates that

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charlesnevi: Cedar Grove can do something about the stench. They just don't want to, and it also tends to indicate. The only thing they respond to

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charlesnevi: is lawsuits.

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00:25:36.110 --> 00:25:37.140

charlesnevi: Thank you.

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John Dawson: Thank you, Charles.

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John Dawson: It's now 5, 30. Welcome back to the public. Hearing on proposed order of approval. 1, 1, 5, 7, 3 for Cedar Grove Maple Valley.

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John Dawson: This is another opportunity to deliver a comment. If you have a comment

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John Dawson: on the draft order of approval, feel free to unmute yourself and deliver your comment. Now.

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KG: Hey, John, this is Kasia Grisbeck again. Can you hear me?

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John Dawson: Yes, I hear you.

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KG: Thank you again for the opportunity to to chat if nobody else is going to make a comment. I do just have a procedural question that I was hoping you could answer. I'm wondering how your agency is going to respond to these comments, and kind of to what extent and what the timeline is on this, just so that I can be on the lookout for it.

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John Dawson: Sure we will. Prepare our response to comments. The comment period ends on January 31.st

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John Dawson: After that we will write up a response to comments. Document, it'll be part of the engineering worksheet. One of the documents that was up for up on our website for comment was the engineering worksheet.

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John Dawson: We will add our response to comments to that document, and then we will send it out to

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John Dawson: we'll we'll send that we'll we'll put the the

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John Dawson: new response to comments on our website and send that out to our permit actions email list.

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John Dawson: We will also send it to everybody who submitted written comments cause that way. We have. Obviously, we have email addresses for everybody who submitted written comments so we'll we'll send out the

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John Dawson: the website link to everybody on our permit actions email list.

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John Dawson: And we'll also send a a direct response to everybody who submitted written comments as well.

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KG: Does that? Does that make sense?

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KG: It totally makes sense. Thank you for explaining that. I'm wondering what the anticipated turnaround is for the responses.

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John Dawson: It's very hard to say it, really. Because there's another week and a half of the comment period. It really depends very much on the amount of comments that we receive.

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KG: Sure. Okay.

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John Dawson: It's hard to hard to anticipate.

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00:29:22.160 --> 00:29:24.110

KG: Okay, understood. Thank you.

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00:29:44.990 --> 00:29:47.940

John Dawson: Are there any additional comments at this time?

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John Dawson: It appears there are no additional comments at this time, so we will go into one more break, and we will reconvene at 5, 55.

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John Dawson: Welcome back to the public. Hearing

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John Dawson: on proposed order of approval. Number 1, 1, 5, 7, 3 for Cedar Grove, Maple Valley.

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John Dawson: This is a last chance for oral comments

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John Dawson: at this hearing. If you'd like to deliver a comment, feel free to unmute yourself and speak.

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John Dawson: As I mentioned previously. We are also accepting written comments

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John Dawson: and written comments may be submitted to the email. Address.

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John Dawson: public comment@psccleanair.gov.

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John Dawson: And written comments are due by 4 30 pm. On January 31, st

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John Dawson: I'd also encourage you if you are not subscribed to the agency's Permit Actions email list or any of our other email lists. We have a number of email lists that to which you can subscribe. And you can subscribe to them by going to our website, pscleanair.gov.

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John Dawson: and then at the top of the screen under the how do I menu each under sign up for choose email notifications.

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John Dawson: And one of the lists you can sign up for under email notifications is permit actions. We also have lists related to announcing air quality burn bans.

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John Dawson: grant programs. Other updates related to wildfire smoke regulation updates, we, we do have a number of email lists to which you can subscribe.

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John Dawson: We will keep this open until 6 o'clock, just in case there are any last minute comments.

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John Dawson: Thank you to all of our attendees. Thank you to all of our commenters. It's now 6 o'clock, and the hearing is now closed.