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Ledyard Planning and Zoning commissioners Liz Burdick, Ledyard Director Land Use & Planning Ledyard, CT.

Dear Commissioners and Ms. Burdick,

I am respectfully writing in strong opposition to the Cashman/GFI proposed implementation of a quarry in the middle of our town, Gales Ferry.

My specific concern is:

~Polluting the air with cancer causing dust thus causing harm to not only people but animals as well.

~ According to the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) in 1996 they concluded that in fact, silica dust is carcinogenic to humans.

I would like to cite the following regulation as it pertains to my concern:

 $\sim$  - 9.2.C.1 No dust, dirt, fly ash or smoke shall be emitted into the air so as to endanger the public health, safety, or general welfare, or to decrease the value or enjoyment of other property or to constitute an objectionable source of air pollution.

Thank you for your time!

Lori Edwards

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