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### Comments concerning draft rulemakings

Hello, Thank you for taking the time to consider objections and public comments on these regulations. As a resident of our great State, I understand the value of readily available energy and the issues that can arise from current methods of procurement. While I believe it is important to allow private industry to function, I am concerned that the current regulations do not provide specific enough oversight or guidelines for the proper disposal of waste generated in the collection process. I would prefer guidelines with specific testing requirements, acceptable measures back by environmental experts outside of the energy industry, and a clearer process for the testing and implementation of new methods and technologies. I would also request that you strengthen these protections using a tiered system of regulations. It is my opinion that new methods and technologies can and should be tested, but that Texans will benefit more from their strategic rollout if those new methods are isolated to fields that have minimal effect on local groundwater, crops, livestock, or residents. For that reason, I would prefer a stair-step guideline with more room for experimentation in remote areas and tighter control over drilling and disposal methods as the population near the wells in question rises. Thanks again for your time. Sincerely, Steven

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