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To Whom It May Concern,

We have lived at our home, 1109 Humbert Schoolhouse Road, Westminster, Maryland 21158 for just shy of 21 years. We greatly enjoy the rural environment that Carroll County landscape provides us. Unfortunately, over the past year there has been an unusual uptick in activity of tanker trucks driving up and down Humbert Schoolhouse Road. One summer day into the evening I counted thirteen trips. As the tanker trucks come and go, our family notices a horrendous stench, equivalent to putrid carrion. The air is thick with this smell of death, even lingering into the house. The quality of life for the families living around the location of the dump site is diminished, as concerns about disease and health increase. We support the local farmers, but this procedure seems excessive and unnatural to fertilization practices.

R/S Sally Whittington