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Dear Rules Coordinator Leslie Savage,

I would like to express my great concern of introducing carbon injection under Texas soil.

Firstly and most importantly, I do not believe the science is out there that proves that carbon sequestration can be done safely. There has been no proof that over time the injected carbon won't migrate to trespass on neighbors' properties or into mineral owners' pore spaces or into incredibly important drinking water sources. All of these migrations would be extremely costly and damaging to Texas and its residents. In addition, there is also no proof on if the carbon injected will not find its way back into the atmosphere making the pricey credits from the federal government pointless except to place the United States citizens' into a deeper debt.

Secondly, it is so very important that until the Railroad Commission of Texas can prove that it can protect Texas' waters, mineral owners, land owners and residents from the current activities of oil and gas companies then the RRC should NOT receive primacy to govern this very risky venture. We have had years and years of begging the RRC to help us get leaking wells shut-in, spills incorrectly cleaned, legal notices correctly given, commingling permits restricted, disposal/injection wells corrected oversight and so much more. Over those years, we have seen no to little improvements and a general unwillingness to act for the good of the land, minerals or stakeholder when it involved acting against the oil and gas companies. So we beg of you, please look at the records and the Sunset Reports and so much more to see that the RRC is not in a place where it can responsibly govern carbon sequestration.

Thank you for your diligence on this item and your time,

Sincerely,
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