

NO MORE DUMPS

We do not need or want NCL to add a 3rd landfill to Madison County

Why is the 1 mile setback not being enforced?
Did someone not count Woodland Springs homes?

- **CONFIRMED:** Neighborhood setbacks are not met. Landfills cannot be located within one mile of a residential neighborhood of 20 homes or more. Woodland Springs is less than a mile from the proposed site and has more than 20 homes.

What is the need for this new landfill to be allowed west of Ridgeland in Madison county?

- CONFIRMED: MDEQ requires new landfills to fill a need. Madison County has 2 solid waste landfills with an estimated life that will meet the needs of Madison, the City, and surrounding areas for far more than 100 years.

How can NCL claim our roads and lives will not be impacted by increase in traffic this landfill will cause?

- **CONFIRMED:** This landfill would increase traffic on Highway 463, Coker Road, Lake Cavalier Road, North Livingston Road, Green Crossing Road, Rouser Road, Old Agency Road, and West County Line Road.

How will this landfill benefit Madison county and its residents?

- **CONFIRMED:** A new landfill would hurt Madison county economic development, including negatively impacting the Natchez Trace Parkway. The US Department of the Interior, which manages the Natchez Trace has already submitted public comments opposing this landfill.

Why is this decision being made by NCL and MDEQ with little or no minority voice?

- CONFIRMED: Minority support looks to be lacking in this decision. Woodland Springs will be negatively affected and is a minority community, yet all NCL owners and MDEQ decision makers are white.

Do you feel this landfill being allowed to Ridgeland's west, seriously limiting the growth of Ridgeland, is good for Ridgeland?

- **CONFIRMED:** This landfill would make west of Ridgeland unattractive to just about every non-landfill business. Ridgeland is blocked by Madison to the north, Jackson to the south, and the Ross Barnett Reservoir to the east, so western expansion is the only viable way to grow the city.

How can MDEQ approve this landfill when that buffer requirement is not being met?

- CONFIRMED: MDEQ set a 500-foot buffer for new landfills in this area.

When will backup beepers for heavy equipment be added as a requirement in NCL's application and when will a noise study be done that includes sufficient backup beepers?

- **CONFIRMED:** Heavy equipment backup beepers negatively impact our quality of life. NCL's application did not include any backup beepers. OSHA requires backup alarms on the heavy equipment used within landfills and requires the alarms to be louder than all trucks, bulldozers, compactors, etc.