

Tuesday, April 30, 2013

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New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission
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Santa Fe, NM 87502

RE: Public Comment on Water Quality Rules for Copper Mining WQCC 12-01
(R)Commission Administrator Pam Castaneda

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I strongly oppose adoption of the New Mexico Environment Department's proposed rules as they will allow the mining industry to pollute our valuable groundwater resources rather than prevent pollution at mining operations as required under the state Water Quality Act.

Signed,

Susan	Agonar	Tyron	NM	
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Nicole	Allen	Corrales	NM	87048
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Rodema	Ashby	Albuquerque	NM	87104
Catherine	Baca	Albuquerque	NM	87123
David	Bacon	Santa Fe	NM	87501
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Dan	Bales	Albuquerque	NM	87110
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Adriana	Boulton	Albuquerque	NM	87106
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Kevin	Bratton	Albuquerque	NM	87106
Eleanor	Bravo	Corrales	NM	87048
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Kevin	Brown	Santa Fe	NM	87507
Marlene	Brown	Albuquerque	NM	87106
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Hue	Kirby	Albuquerque	NM	87108
Ronda	Butler-Villa	Santa Fe	NM	87505
Lana	Cain	Albuquerque	NM	87105
Judy	Calman	Albuquerque	NM	87123
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Carol	Canfield	Santa Fe	NM	87507
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Lewis	Casey	Albuquerque	NM	87108
Siri	Casey	Albuquerque	NM	87108
Liliana	Castillo	Santa Fe	NM	87507
Luke	Cate	Santa Fe	NM	87501
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Mark	Chalom	Santa Fe	NM	87505
Peter	Chapin	Santa Fe	NM	87506
Roger	Chavez	Los Lunas	NM	87031
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Deborah	Conge	Albuquerque	NM	87123
Janice	Convery	Albuquerque	NM	87102
Sophia	Coury	Santa Fe	NM	87505
Gary	Cronin	Santa Fe	NM	87505
Diana	Crowson	Los Lunas	NM	87031
Sandra	Cueysz	Kahului	HI	96733
Lara	Dale	Corrales	NM	87048
Oleg	Degenshein	Ojo Sarco	NM	87521
Michael	Deierchoi	Albuquerque	NM	87108
Alrie	Dennis	Albuquerque	NM	
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Amy	Dingman	Albuquerque	NM	87121
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Alyiah	Doughty	Santa Fe	NM	87594
Susan	Drobeck	Tesuque	NM	87574
Joseph	Dudziak	Santa Fe	NM	87505
Clark	Elliott	Santa Fe	NM	87501
Barbara	Endicott	Albuquerque	NM	87105
Natahlia	Enoah	Albuquerque	NM	87106
Angelisa	Espinoza	Santa Fe	NM	87501
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Allison	Fabara	Santa Fe	NM	87505
Peter	Fessenden	Santa Fe	NM	87508
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Stephen	Fischmann	Mesilla Park	NM	88047
Ashley	Fitzgerald	Albuquerque	NM	87112
Matt	Flemmel	Albuquerque	NM	87110
Deborah	Fox	Albuquerque	NM	87106
Marsha	Freeman	Albuquerque	NM	87196
Kelly	Gallagher	Los Alamos	NM	87544
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Geraldine	Glover	Santa Fe	NM	87505
Sharon	Gonzalez	Santa Fe	NM	87508
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Jen	Gorenflo	Albuquerque	NM	87123
Gregory	Gould	Albuquerque	NM	87105
Kristina	Graham	Santa Fe	NM	87508
Mark	Griffith	Santa Fe	NM	87505
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Stephanie	Hatfield	Santa Fe	NM	87501
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Linda	Heidig	Santa Fe	NM	87502
Catherine	Heyne	Albuquerque	NM	87108
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Jessie	Hox	Albuquerque	NM	87111
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Shmuel	Inbar	Albuquerque	NM	87122
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Max	Macanley			
Feliz	Madrugada	Albuquerque	NM	87110
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Victor	Martine	Albuquerque	NM	87106
April	Martinez	Santa Fe	NM	87594
Gerald	Martinez	Santa Fe	NM	87507
Virginia	Martinez	Los Lunas	NM	87031
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Susan	McGrew	Santa Fe	NM	87508
Marvin	McKenzie	Albuquerque	NM	87176
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Steven	Morgenstern	Santa Fe	NM	87507
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Bill	O'Connell	Albuquerque	NM	87120
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Luis	Orozco	Santa Fe	NM	87507
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Anne	Pentler	Albuquerque	NM	87106
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Becky	Pierce	Corrales	NM	87048
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Mimi	Stewart	Albuquerque	NM	
Ron	Raymond	Albuquerque	NM	87123
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Sondra	Redwood	Bosque Farms	NM	87068
John	Renna	Tijeras	NM	
Linda	Rescic	Albuquerque	NM	87108

Leo	Richard	Santa Fe	NM	87507
Sergio	Rivera	Santa Fe	NM	87507
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Lloyd	Covens	Albuquerque	NM	87108
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Sanford	Schemnitz	Las Cruces	NM	88007
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Judith	Shaw	Albuquerque	NM	87108
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Carolyn	Simmons	Albuquerque	NM	87106
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Shann	Stringer	Santa Fe	NM	87505
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Lesley	Weinstock	Albuquerque	NM	87106
Laurence	Wellborn	Albuquerque	NM	87105
Natalie	Wells	Santa Fe	NM	87507
Jo	Wilsdorf	Albuquerque	NM	
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As a concerned New Mexican, I am outraged by the administration's continued efforts to pander to the mining lobby and weaken protections that safeguard New Mexico's water. New Mexico needs a strong copper rule in place that protects our scarce water supply, and therefore our livelihood. New Mexicans are counting on the administration to keep robust public health safeguards in place, hold polluters accountable, and protect our families, communities, and livelihoods.

I strongly oppose adoption of the New Mexico Environment Department's proposed rules as they will allow the mining industry to pollute our valuable groundwater resources rather than prevent pollution at mining operations as required under the State Water Quality Act.

Doug Abbott
Silver City, NM 88061

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To the New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission:

As a concerned New Mexican, I am disgusted and outraged by the administration's continued efforts to weaken protections that safeguard New Mexico's water. These efforts make no sense for the future of our state!

New Mexico needs a strong copper rule in place that protects our scarce water supply, and therefore our livelihood. New Mexicans are counting on the administration to keep robust public health safeguards in place, hold polluters accountable, and protect our families, communities, and livelihoods.

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Susan Selbin
Albuquerque, NM 87104

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Please be proactive in creating a safe water future for New Mexican and withdraw the proposed changes immediately.

Rich Schrader
Santa Fe, NM 87507

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Protect New Mexicans - Enact a Strong Copper Rule

It is your responsibility to protect New Mexico citizen's health and our water. That is your job! This includes supporting effective regulations on copper and other types of mining to ensure water quality. I strongly agree with the following:

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Steven Yanoff
White Oaks, NM 88301

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Neri Holguin
Albuquerque, NM 87104

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Water is New Mexico's lifeline. We cannot afford to lose a single watershed, aquifer or stream. We are losing them to climate change. We cannot lose water to weak copper rules.

I strongly oppose adoption of the New Mexico Environment Department's proposed rules as they will allow the mining industry to pollute our valuable groundwater resources rather than prevent pollution at mining operations as required under the State Water Quality Act.

Carol Johnson
Glorieta, NM 87535

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We can't drink copper, and if the copper company is out of state, the insult and injury are even more grievous - our land is damaged and our most scarce resource used to produce profits for them. Any monetary benefit we derive from the proceeds of their depredations can't make up for the destruction of our way of life and our very lives.

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Martha Ennis
Albuquerque, NM 87106

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To the New Mexico Water Quality Control Commission:

As a lifelong New Mexican who believes that clean water is one of our state's most valuable resources, I oppose any efforts to weaken the protections that safeguard New Mexico's water.

New Mexicans need a strong copper mining water quality rule in place to protect our precious water supply. We are counting on you to keep robust public health safeguards in place, hold polluters accountable, and protect our families, communities, and livelihoods.

Therefore, I strongly oppose the adoption of the New Mexico Environment Department's proposed rules, as they will allow the mining industry to irreparably pollute our valuable groundwater resources. The proposed rule will not prevent pollution at mining operations as required under the State Water Quality Act.

Thank you for considering these comments.

Kristina Fisher
Santa Fe, NM 87501

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Short term vs. long-term thinking and no consideration of who pays for externalities. That's Capitalism.

Steven Rudnick
Santa Fe, NM 87508