

Clean air is an important element of a good quality of life. Past poor decisions and lack of actions have resulted in poor air quality in this area of Southern Ontario.

Science has determined that people who are in a stink develop a high tolerance for the smell - viz. the citizens of Dryden under the old sulphur process of the pulp plant. That fact doesn't ameliorate the problem. A plant of such increased magnitude will seriously pollute the atmosphere of Oakville and Burlington.

Just for a change, we should pause and investigate alternative measures instead of implementing the cheap, easy and conventional sewage plant. Let's rise to the occasion, and do something thoughtfully - something which will look smart 20 years from now.

I strongly believe more study should be conducted on the externalities of the proposed plant.

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