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Dear Chairman:

In my opinion water testing and monitoring for plums of toxic material must be done by the proposed 55 SS LLC Fairfield 40B project identical to that, being done by Woods on the abutting Bird Machine property. This is necessary because The 40B and Bird Machine are both in The Water Resource Protection Overlay District Area3 Zone II Water Supply. They share the same drinking Water Aquifer. The 40B must pay for testing wells and monitoring of the toxins, but the Hydrologist must be selected by and report to the BOH.

Family members of Bird Machine former employees said in my presence that dump trucks backed over the rail road tracks and illegally dumped on Bird Machine property that was sold to the 40B project and is a good portion of the 40B project foot print.

I drank and Showered using Walpole Water polluted with TCE. My family, friends, and neighbors ingested an adsorbed through the skin TCE from Walpole's drinking water Before removal was attempted first by pumping water containing TCE to waste, then purified by carbon filters, and then removed by Aeration. The Board of Health must do all they can to prevent such insults to residents of Walpole from happening again by monitoring for the toxins identified by Woods.

Cape Cod Communities suffered insult to their health by mobile plums of toxic material polluting their drinking water again and again. Please take the steps needed to prevent such insults from happening in Walpole by requiring test wells and monitoring to protect the residents.

M.G.L. c. 40B defines The Housing Appeals Committee (HAC), and The Comprehensive Permit for Development of Low or Moderate Income housing Consistent with Local needs as set forth in 760 CMR 56.03 of the 40B. These needs do not outweigh Local Concern for the Health and safety of the proposed occupants of the 40B and Walpole drinking water safety. This project is located on Walpole's Area 3 Zone II water supply. Woods reports to the BOH identifying many plums of very toxic material, which if become mobile due to the project construction, lowering water tables, and changing pressures in the Aquifer can eliminate more than 2/3 of Walpole's drinking water.

To risk such a loss is not justified by local needs for low or moderate income housing. Testing and monitoring identical to the Woods reports to the BOH must be paid for by the developer; The ZBA must reconsider the original approval and deny this 40B project. It threatens Walpole Health and Safety.

Thank you in advance, for your kind and prompt attention to this very important drinking water threat.

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