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Hello,

I am writing to request that you consider my comment regarding the Juniper Ridge Landfill. Leachate from the Juniper Ridge Landfill is currently trucked to the Old Town Mill ("Nine Dragons") where it is processed and then released into the Penobscot River. The Penobscot River is culturally valued by the local indigenous people that have always relied on fishing from it to sustain their families, for generations, due to pollution from this leachate they can no longer fish from the river.

The residents of Maine that reside along the Penobscot do not want to be the dumping grounds for all of New England. Please change the rules to prevent out-of-state generated waste from polluting this beautiful river.

Thank you,

Nicole Schofield

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