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Dear MDEP,

I request that the comment period be extended on the Norridgewock special landfill. I have only just heard about this and haven't had time to look into it yet. I am concerned about leachate of forever chemicals and things like POFS getting into the Kennebec River and would like to see information on the study of how this will be tested for and what the limitations are. Further, I feel that expanding our State's capacity to receive other state's toxic chemicals is a travesty and we shouldn't move forward without clear protections in place for how these will be encapsulated and tested to ensure no leaching. Let's not rush this through so other states can pollute our waters and lands and end up costing Maine taxpayer money to clean it up.

As stated, I would like to see an extension of the comment period so the public can be better informed and the Department can look into ensuring this facility will not be a source of pollution in the state for generations to come.

Sincerely,
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