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I have watched with horror as a battery storage facility near my hometown has disrupted life and endangered citizens, wildlife, and agriculture for months and months. As a retired public safety dispatcher, I am far too familiar with the danger of having facilities that cause problems than cannot be contained too close to residential areas. Literally there is nothing to do but wait if these facilities have a fire- which happened. It was in trying to remove the undamaged batteries left in the building that the fire began again- causing 4 public schools to shelter in place and residents to again start googling 'danger from battery fires.' We don't yet have the knowledge technology to mitigate the dangers. Putting these close to humans is immoral and dangerous