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I object to the lack of preparation of proper containment for the contaminated soil coming to this facility. To my understanding there is only the thinnest of asphalt laid without any impermeable barriers under it. In addition there is not any way to monitor for leaching of contaminants that will make their way through the asphalt. I live less than five miles from this facility and my drinking water is fifty feet below ground level. What has the State of Alaska done to ensure that my drinking water is protected? Has there been an inspector onsite through any of the installation of this facility? Will this be another Poppy Road?

I was an inspector for the State of Alaska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission for 26 years. I know what happens when you allow these type of operations to go by the "Honor System". You had better be prepared for litigation. Anyone's name related this endeavor, private or public will be Mudd if things go wrong.

My biggest questions are,
Why don't they burn this dirt where it is right now?
Why do they have to bring it here?
Do you realize the cost that someone will incur if our drinking water is contaminated?
Why hasn't any state inspector been onsite yet?