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After having read an article in the Chokio Review, I am appalled at the fact that this expansion wasn't brought to anyone's attention sooner. I also find it ridiculous that this expansion doesn't even require an environmental impact study done, with all the manure this business produces and the runoff etc., it shouldn't be in question that this study should be MANDATORY!!! I also heard that they claim all the manure will be stored on site... If they consider stored on site to mean in fields such as the one next to our property, then I know that means they will locate a giant pile of manure right in the path of someone's place. Every time that they pile it right to the south of our place the strong south wind we always have during the summer blows that manure dust and debris right to our place. We end up breathing it all in and I also hate to think how it contaminates our garden produce. You can't tell me that's healthy for us or our pets. Also, where is all this water they use for their operation coming from? You can't tell me that excessive water use isn't going to affect the water table for everyone else in the nearby area. I also believe that we should be protecting our natural beauty and resources and there is a wildlife protection area and the Pomme De Terre watershed near that area etc. This shouldn't even be something you feel you can entertain in the slightest. I don't want anyone else having to through the same headaches we've had to go through either. In other words, I'm highly against this expansion.